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✓Philip Potter ✓Carroll Seth We thank all these gentlemen, and renew our invitation to the new members as well as all others to report regularly to "DX NEWS."

WCHB 1440 Inkster, Mich. now testing mid-0600. See DD the D page.

N. R. C. D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	Kc/s.	900 Location	Watts	A.M. EST.	Stations' Time
Nov. 12	C K B I	1470	Prince Albert, Saskatchewan	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	1:00-2:00 MST
	K V I N	1470	Vinita, Oklahoma	500	5:30 - 6:00	4:30-5:00 CST
	C K C L	600	Truro, Nova Scotia	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	5:00-6:00 AST
19	C J R L	1220	Kenora, Ontario	1,000	2:00 - 3:00	1:00-2:00 CST
	C K S B	1250	St. Boniface, Manitoba	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00-3:00 CST
	C K L Y	910	Lindsay, Ontario	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	4:00-5:00 EST
	C J E T	1070	Smiths Falls, Ontario	250	4:30 - 5:30	4:30-5:30 EST
23	C J B R	900	Rimouski, Quebec	10,000	4:00 - 5:00	4:00-5:00 EST
26	C F D A	1380	Victoriaville, Quebec	1,000	4:30 - 5:30	4:30-5:30 EST
19	C H S J	1150	Saint John, New Bruns.	5,000	3:30 - 4:30	4:30-5:30 AST

CPCmen: Please always check our listings of your programs to make sure they are absolutely correct in every detail. Thank you.

SEE ALSO PAGE 7 FOR ADDITIONAL DX PROGRAMS FOR N.R.C.!

N. R. C. REPORT FORMS - IN SPANISH!

The Board has authorized the publication of Spanish report forms - IF - enough of you are interested in purchasing them. They will be a bit more expensive than the English ones, and will sell for 2¢ apiece. You'll be able to buy as many or as few as you wish! But having them printed is contingent on enough interested members. We have all had trouble obtaining verifications from Central and South American station/s, and those in the West Indies. Many of these stations do not have anyone on their staff who can read English, and so many times no verification is forthcoming for just that very reason. With such a Spanish form, resembling our famous English report form, we feel sure the rate of returns will jump appreciably. Accompanying the report forms will be a mimeographed sheet with all the Spanish words you'll need in the actual report! Sound interesting? If so, please drop a card NOW to Harold Wagner, R.D. 1, Lake City, Pa. and tell him. It places you under no obligation to

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VERIE SIGNERS

560	W F I L	Cecilia I. Horan, EngS	A	1370	K R W S	R. Garrison, GM	G
560	W H I C	George D. Stearns, CE	D	1380	C F D A	Roger Gilbert, M	J
730	K W R E	Richard Cole, CE	H	1400	W S T C	Robert A. Renolds, CE	A
740	T B A M	Cyril Bunnan, CE	C		K D p T A	D. E. Towne, P (B's "p")	BG
800	C F O B	D. A. Fawcett, M	K		K O N G	Leon K. Jones, CE	G
	W D E H	E.A.Mann,M; J.R.Blair, CE	D		W J H O	Jack Smolicon, CE, M	I
820	W F A A	Karl Lambitz, PD	A	1420	W C O J	Louis N. Snitzer, P	A
860	K W R F	K. Parsons Jr., CE	E	1440	W H H H	Robert E. Hardy, CE	A
890	W H O C	James H. Mayo, CE	H		W K L X	W. T. Williams, CE	I
960	W W S T	Burt Bowman, CE	C	1460	W B R N	D. S. Denison, GM	C
	K G K L	L. O. Seibert, M	H		W N R C	Edward Camall, CE	A
980	K S r C M	E. L. Donze, M	H	1470	K I M A	Harry F. Helm, CE	C
990	K R S L	Mel Gleason, CE	I		W T K O	Ellis E. Erdman, VP, GM	E
1010	K A p M Q	R. D. Houck, M	H		W T O E	Kenneth E. Woodward, CE	E
1060	W R C V	W. L. Nuss, CE	C	1480	K G L U	H. F. Hudson, CE	G
1100	K Y W -	S. V. Stadig, CE	C	1490	K B L F	Carter B. Smith, A	G
1120	K H O X	Harry Harvey, CE	C	1570	W T A Y	Charles L. Mitchell, CE	B
1150	W C U E	George V. Paul, CE	C	1580	K C H A	Charles J. Ellis, P	I
1190	W O W O	Harold L. Brokaw, CE	AC		K H A M	Marilyn Neuber, Trill	I
	K I u I F	Milan Leggett, TS	H	1590	K H E N	R. K. Hamlin, AM	F
1220	K Z E E	R. Thomas Gibson	BI		W A p T M	George Miniard, CE	H
	K I B E	Harley J. Richards, CE	I	1600	W N p E S	R. L. Beane	H
1230	W E E X	Nelson S. Rounsley, GM	A		W B L Y	Carl Eghert, CE	F
	W E N Y	Thurhow A. Greene, CE	A		K U B A	Roger R. Hunt, GM	G
1270	W S P R	Alan A. Tindal, P	A				
1280	W H B I	William A. Masi, M	AH				

C R E D I T S

1290	K V O A	R. H. Holsclaw, CE	G	A - Anthony Lagatutta	F - Pat Reilley
1300	W S Y D	Robert H. Epperson, CE	H	B - Len Kruse	G - Jim Critchett
	W E R E	Harry Dennis, CE	C	C - J. Howard Harding	H - Ev Johnson
1340	K S I L	Earl N. McCall, CE	G	D - Elbert Tewel	I - Hank Ward
1350	K C S B	Larry McDowell, CE	G	E - J. Warren Routzahn	J - Bill Stone
					K - Lefty Cooper

Send your ne v/s to Lefty Cooper along with your report. Please use the code letters as we do above to denote QSL card, plain card, f/up, prepared card, verie on your own letter, or verie in foreign language. The initials, in the same order, are Q/ q, c, #, p, r, n. Be sure to spell the v/s' names correctly! (Also f, form letter.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

<u>NEW STATIONS</u>			<u>NEW CALLS</u>		
800	Dillon, Montana	1,000 D-1	800	W S U Z	Palatka, Florida
1070	Arecibo, Puerto Rico	500 U-1	970	W A M D	Aberdeen, Maryland
1250	Fallon, Nevada	1,000 D-1	990	K D O O	Ridgecrest, California
1260	Casa Grande, Arizona	1,000 D-1	1220	W F W L	Camden, Tennessee
1270	Rochester, Minnesota	500 D-1	1280	K H E P	Phoenix, Arizona
1300	Titusville, Florida	1,000 D-1	1290	W N I L	Niles, Michigan
	Huntington, Indiana	500 D-3	1450	W M P T	South Williamsport, Pa.
1390	Clinton, Iowa	1,000 D-3	1600	K F N V	Ferriday, Louisiana
	Hazard, Kentucky	5,000 D-1			
1410	Wenatchee, Washington	1,000 D-1			
1430	El Centro, California	1,000 D-1			
1460	Buford, Georgia	1,000 D-1			
	Mount Vernon, Kentucky	500 D-1			

CALL CHANGES

	<u>new</u>	<u>Old</u>
1250	K H O T	KGEN Madera, California
1390	K L O Q	KYAK Yakima, Washington

FACILITIES

610	K W I E	to Kennewick/Richland/Pasco, Washington (addition of two main studios)
800	W D U X	Waupaca, Wisconsin, to 1,000 D-1, from 500 D-1, same channel.
860	W D H G	Douglas, Georgia, to 5,000 U-2, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.
1050	W L O N	Lincolnton, North Carolina, to 1,000 D-1, from 500 D-1, same channel.
1290	W D E C	Americus, Georgia, to 1,000 D-1, from 1230 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1490	W T U P	Tupelo, Mississippi, to 250 U-1, from 1380 kc/s., 1,000 D-1 (when WELD moves from 1490 to 580 kc/s.)

Musings of the MembersRay B. "Pop" Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

Well, the 1956 NRC Convention is now history and it is hoped that all who attended enjoyed it as much as us Edges. It was very pleasing to meet so many, especially those newer and older members who were met for the first time. It is hoped we can as now planned, be in Ponca City for the 1957 Convention as I know Hank Ward, Joe Knack and Ken Borden will do everything possible to make it enjoyable for everyone attending. This will be our chance to greet some of our Western members who are now just names to us. Well, we kinda skipped out on the Sunday afternoon discussions and took a side trip to Gettysburg. Was very enjoyable but it certainly entails a lot of walking if you really wish to see it all and walking is something that Ole Pop is not so good at that is further than a city block, hi. Did not get to stop in Monday morning before leaving. We all slept a little late and knew that a stop at the Governor's Room would take an hour or more before getting started and that it was way past the time for the planned trip to WHP, etc., so many would not be on hand anyway we headed for a previous luncheon date and then off to Buffalo. Got home at about 9:45 p.m. and had a very scenic drive taking U.S. Route 322 from just above Harrisburg to St. Marys, then 219 to Buffalo. Weather was really perfect so again all of can say that we had a very successful Convention. In closing, I again wish to thank those who put their efforts into this Convention along with thanking Lefty, Fred, Hal, Stan for their continued efforts in getting the "DX NEWS" to us. Also thanks are in order to the entire CPC staff and the contest editors. All in all, these fellows are using a lot of their time and efforts without any compensation to give us all the Best DX information possible. So it is up to all of us to support the Club in reporting our doings and if at all possible, tune in and report the special DX programs arranged by your CPS. And last, let the stations know you are an NRC Member, along with putting that stamp in with your report for Return Postage.

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

Joe and I returned to Ponca City today, 9/9, and certainly did enjoy the 1956 NRC Convention in Harrisburg. It was wonderful meeting again with the NRC Gang and seeing and meeting many other NRCers. These Conventions are the greatest and it is too bad that everyone cannot always attend. We sincerely hope that all who can will be in Ponca City in '57. We guarantee to continue the trend of making each NRC Convention the greatest event in the annual DX doings. I won't elaborate on this year's Convention because I'm sure, as in the past, a thorough summary will be in "DX NEWS", but Joe and I, to reiterate, certainly did enjoy every moment of it. Another pleasant surprise on arriving home was to find veries in from WJHO KZIE NRSI KHAM KIBE and KCHA. Verie signers sent seperately. Also, stopped by KVIN Vinita, Oklahoma, to arrange test, and details there will also be in "DX NEWS" elsewhere shortly. So, hope as the DX season gets under way, everyone will be in there pitching and that reception will be exceptional and exceed all our individual expectations. 73s for now, don't forget those double-spaced reports to Lefty, and remember, plan now to be in Ponca City in '57!

Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Another Convention is history and I must say that I am sure that all who attended were glad that they came. I myself enjoyed it and am looking forward to the one at Ponca City. Very glad to meet more of the members. Want to congratulate the Hosts for they were swell. Not much DX being done here as yet, but hope to get into the saddle soon. Will be trying for the St. Jerome one come Sunday morn. Only two stations new to my log. They were KIMS-1480 and the AN WLCS-910. Four veries were here when I got back. They were prepared card from KANQ-1010, WSYD-1300, letter. KSGM-980 returned report marked "verified," and WHEI-1280, letter. 1,314 as I start a new DX season. My goal is 1,550 by Sept. 1, 1957. Total veries in past year, 291. Never make it this year. Not much to say at this time. Hope I can have more to report next issue. Here's wishing you all a very successful DX year at the dials and many veries. So till next time, best DX and 73s.

Francis H. Nittler - 1335 Grant Street, Apt. 22 - Denver 3, Colorado

Well, here I am, back from my California vacation and raring to go. I am starting my third season as a member of the NRC and I hope my best. I have tried my hand at turning the dials only three times since my vacation and had good luck all three times. On 9/8 I was able to log WBLR (1430) on RS at 5:01. Then at 6:00 I heard WMAG (860) Forest, Miss. with s/on and on RS until 6:16 and still good. On 9/10 I added new station KWYN (1400) Wynne, Ark. and KPOK (1440) Scottsdale, Ariz. both on with ETs and also heard WGLC (1580) Centreville, Miss. testing at 3:20. This morning 9/14 I added KFJB (1230) on r/c per list and WDUK (800) Waupaca, Wis. testing with 1,000 watts from 2:45 on. Veries received are few. Should pick up soon when I start sending out more reports. Received this week were WMAG (860) KOZT (950)-dx KJLT (970) KVOC (1230) WTCR (1420) and KUDU (1590). Was just getting ready to go to bed Sunday night when I received a phone call from brother Maurice in Geneva. He tipped me off on KWYN and they were easily overriding AN KVFD here. According to letters received this week from Len Kruse and Ec Johnson, this year's Convention was a rip-roaring success. Sure sorry I couldn't make it and most all you swell NRCers. However, I am already making plans to attend next year's at Ponca City and hope to see a lot of you there then. Best station heard on my Western trip was KOWL (1490) Bijou, Cal. Wasn't hard to log as I went through Bijou, hi. Map doesn't even show it but it is a fast growing community located on Southern end of Lake Tahoe about four miles from Nevada line. The new contest coming up sounds like a dandy and will send in my entry fee very soon.

G. Harvey DeLeurere - 1 East Eighth Street - Mounted Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

Since my last report the following stations were added to my log: WLCS-910, Baton Rouge, La. was heard on their AN broadcast on 9/1. WFHG-980, Bristol, Va. was f/c-ing on 9/5 from 4:30-4:45. WFPG-1450, Atlantic City, N.J. was received from their s/on at 5:00 until 5:07 on 9/5. WRRR-1330, Rockford, Ill. was f/c'ing with a tone from 3:30-4:00 on 9/10. KCHR-1350, Charleston, Mo. was conducting a f/c on 9/11 from 1:45-2:01 with QRM from WADC of Akron, Ohio. WVDA-1260, Boston, Mass. was logged between 4:43 and 4:53 on 9/13. WNDR-1260, Syracuse, N.Y. was heard from 4:53-5:00 on 9/13 with some WVDA QRM. Reception reports were sent to WRRR-1330, WSWA-550, KCHR-1350, WHA-970, WVDA-1260, WNDR-1260, and WMED-1470. Only one station was confirmed, WFPG-1450, Atlantic City, N.J. It is the first station that I have received from New Jersey. Reports should be sent to Blair K. Thron, WFPG, Neptune Broadcasting Corporation, Steel Pier, Atlantic City, N.J.

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 16, Oklahoma

Really little to report here, and not sure this will make the Sept. 17th issue. (?) Conditions have been good, but nothing much added. Testing all this month, according to them, is KPOK, Scottsdale, Arizona, 1440. Verie already back here. Also this AM, 9/10, two were added: KWYN 1400 3:00-3:15 a.m., Wynne, Arkansas, ET. CKCY-1400 behind KWYN 3:05-3:30 a.m. KYMA on f/c 3:15-3:30. Anyone know if CKCY advertises Bacon Motors (used cars) about every ten minutes? KYMA messed up IDs. Hope to have more next month.

J. Howard Harding - 498 Sunset View South - Akron 20, Ohio

Report mailed this morning 9/5 by regular mail should get there in time. Please don't print questions in latter part of report. Instead print the following: "Verie (preparad card) received 9/5 from WCMW; report mailed to them 9/1. Anyone wishing to verify WCMW, send PP card with first report. They don't answer otherwise. V/s is W. H. Weichter, CE. (The card got here on Monday 9/10, while I had closed out and typed all the stencils here on Saturday, 9/8 -Ed.)

Jim O'Brien Jr. - 324 Arlington Avenue - Brooklyn 8, New York

After returning from Harrisburg full of hope and vitality (DX vitality) I spent a few hours at the dials and thus began the '56/'57 season. Reports out to semi-local WJMA in Peekskill and WLDB in Atlantic City. KQV in Pittsburgh pounding in here on top of everything else on 1410 so I sent them a report. If they are directional away from this area my report will break the engineers' heart, hi. On Labor Day morning heard WJMA Orange, Va. f/c'ing and asking for reports from out of state listeners. I believe the new DX Contest will be the best ever and by including just NRC Specials should get the full support of the whole club. It was swell to be able to meet so many NRCers at the Convention under such ideal conditions as prevailed at the Penn-Harris Hotel.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

Here is my first report for the new DX season and I must say we here at 50 Third Avenue started September off with a bang. Attending both the swell NRC Convention and the next weekend the MNRC Convention, and in between being blessed with twin grandchildren. On Wednesday 9/5 Lorraine Elizabeth arrived at 6:15 a.m. weighing eight pounds five ounces and a few minutes later Lawrence Keith weighed in at an even seven pounds. All are doing nicely, including Grandpop, hi. That makes seven grandchildren for us which reminds us that we really are growing OLD. The Convention will long be remembered for the chance to meet again those whom I had met in Buffalo in '52 and as well as to meet quite a number that I had not met previously. Right here and now I want to say a GREAT BIG "THANK YOU" to Fred Van Voorhees and Charlie Conley who really went ALL OUT to make our stay in Harrisburg an enjoyable one. On behalf of my wife, our granddaughter and myself, thanks a million. My DX loggings since the August "DX NEWS" are: 8/17- WPRT-1270 Prestonburg, Ky. f/c-TT 12:15-12:30 plenty of QRM but easily readable. 8/19 I was surprised at 11:55 p.m. to log WILA-1150 Lima, Ohio with news and s/off at 12:04. Following WIMA s/off another surprise, WSNW Seneca, S.C. testing with music. WIMA was S-5 and WSNW S-4. WAGR-1480 Lumberton, N.C. f/c-TT 12:15-12:30 as per f/c list with WHOM QRM. 8/24- KEYS-1440 Corpus Christi, Texas on RS s/off 12:55-1:03 practically in the clear. WCKR-610 Miami, Fla. logged on RS over WIP 11:00-11:15 p.m. 8/27, the new WTSN-1270 Dover, N.H. easily logged on RS thanks to a tip from Howard Kemp. 9/16 I listened to a station with a TT over WOKY from 1:00-1:32 when they IDed as WBAA-920. Baa, I did not need 'em. On the brighter side was the splendid first NRC DX of the season from CKJL-900 thanks to Bill Stone and a tip from Hal Wagner as no "DX NEWS" came this week and it was supposed to be out on 9/10 according to the note in the August issue. That CKJL DX was really swell and it makes a fine start for this DX season. Veries are: KHUN-1590 (some classy letterhead); WSNW-1150; WIMA-1150 and CE states it was the first report east of New York. WCKR wrote "verie" on my report. Total now 1,658. Two other loggings I forgot were 9/13, WNXT-1260, Portsmouth, Ohio f/c-V and WMTE-1340 Manistee, Mich. f/c-TT both as per f/c list. On 9/13 I sent 14 f/ups, here's hoping. 73.

Don Reynolds - 630 Figueroa Avenue - Altadena, California

I'm getting off to a nice start this season with that nice new antenna. It certainly does improve signal strength considerably. I hope it will be sufficient to bring in those weak ones that I heard but not well enough for a report last season. I think the old 19 year old RCA Victor did a noble job last season (and without a real antenna at that!). It just doesn't give me clear enough split frequency reception, so I've been thinking of giving it a decent burial and getting a new Hallicrafters SX-100. If any of the fellows has one of these, I would appreciate your comments, pro and con. I was very gratified to see the Foreign Contest dates extended. The Foreign DX is coming in quite well already and this means more entries and more interest. I hope some of the other fellows out here in the West will get in the contest this season. I had lots of fun last time even if Roy did overtake me in the home stretch. Hank and Ted and I had a great time swapping info and competing with each other locally. So, CME ON, GANG - Let's join in the contest! There's prizes to win and fun to be had, win, lose, or draw. As for DX, Sunday 9/9 from 4:50 to 5 a.m. 4RK (840) was, 1YZ (800), 4QG (790) and 4YA (780) were all heard weakly. KILQ (850) was S- after 5 a.m. WIPR (940) fair at 5:25 and CMCF (910) and XEOR (1390) were both S-3 at 6:15. VOA (1180) Okinawa is a regular once again every morning after 6. Evening reception of Latins is improving steadily. Best times are between 9 and midnight EST. HJKC (840) is good every night. Others heard recently are TIW (755), HJCL (890), TISA (855) and some not positively IDed on 1015, 1025, 1180 and 1520. Several Cubans heard both morning and evening. Sunday mornings are best for small Mexicans at s/on time about 6 to 7. Now fellows, let's all join and make this season's Contests the best ever! 73.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

My new DX Log for this 1956/1957 DX Season has but three entries. On 9/8 Station KZIP (1310) Amarillo, Texas was heard with a f/c-TT from 1:15-1:30 a.m. and topping that frequency. Then the following morning 9/9, Station KVNA (690) Flagstaff, Ariz. was heard during their RS 2:00-2:06 a.m. at which time they signed off the air. The brand new WTUC (1580) Union City, Tennessee, was heard on ETs 2:10-2:30 a.m. on 9/13. The only letter veries since new season was WMIC (560) Monroe, Mich. from ET in March.

Joe Brauner - P.O. Box 22 - Valier, Pennsylvania

With slow DX and no report since mid-July, we have to dig back into history even for the few loggings listed here, for since then, only these were added, mainly semi-locals on RS. 7/20, WMNA, 730, ET all AM. 7/23- KLGA, 1500, ET at 2:15 a.m. 7/27- WEHH, 1590, RS at 5:30 a.m. 8/12- WTRA, 1480, RS at 6:55 a.m. Heard all day. 8/22- WFLR, 1570, ET at 1:15 a.m. 8/23- WHBG, 1360, RS s/on at 5:30 a.m., and WAMO, 860, (ex-WHOD) RS all day here. 9/3- WELD, 690, another all day local, added as a result of tip picked up at Convention. 9/5- WAMB, 1580, another new daytime local. 9/12- WMAM, 570, ERs at 2:30, and WCUT (?) 1580, Union City, Tenn. ET at 3:00 a.m. New Tennessee on 1580 is not WMES as listed, called seemed to be WCUT amidst static. Also ran into another puzzle on 1230, at 5:30 a.m. someone using EST and giving "Wilmington" as his location, signed on, call sounded like WKBC amidst terrific QRM from many others, definitely not the WLTM once holding CP on that dial spot. This on 9/10. Have not been able to hear him again. Quite a few veries during the summer. ZWL finally came back with QSL card and letter. Others with letters, WELD KLEA-dx WMNA WPHB CKSL KLGA WAMO WMLP WHBG WEHH and cards from WYZE WGHM and at long last, KLAJ, thanks to Francis Nittler. DX has been exceptionally poor here lately because of the over supply of thunder storms. The DX from CKJL, 900, this Sunday morning just barely made it through the noise. We'd had several thundershowers during the late evening and until not long before the 2:00 DX time. Had they been a bit later there would have been no CKJL here, as it was, thanks to a card from Hal Wagner, we made a nice logging of a very nice DX show. Ordinarily mid-September brings ideal DX, but not this year. Sure enjoyed the fine Convention, meeting so many old and new DX friends. Marty and I both wish to express our thanks to Fred and Charlie for the very fine time they arranged for us. 73.

Harri Holbrook - 4710 Edgemoor Lane #203 - Bethesda 14, Maryland

Mary Ellen and I certainly had one grand time at the annual NRC shindig at Harrisburg the Capitol of Pennsylvania. We hope that the '58 version will be held in the Nation's Capitol. Certainly nice renewing acquaintances with DXers met when we attended the '53 Convention at Wheeling, and of course enjoyed meeting many DXers for the first time. First logging of the new season was WELD 690 kc/s., a new daytimer which is well received in this area. Logged and reported on 9/7. On the 9th, WHBG, another new daytime station was received with heavy QRM from WEBB on 1360 kc/s. The first DX Special of the infant season was CKJL on 900 kc/s. with very strong signals. Also took another logging on the non-verifier WJVM 540 kc/s. on the 16th. Have contacted TGN 720, 4VEC 1200, HOXO 769, YSDR 820, WDTV 1190, HJAL 1460, YVKA 630, WEGM 950, HI3T 620 and HI6T 1380, HOLY 670, and ZP-3 700 kc/s. for possible DX programs this season. See Fred's column for further details. Wrote several ~~log~~ f/ups this summer and had rather surprising results with LAs. With each report I enclosed a self-addressed prepared card with postage stamps of the country enclosed. The following long sought stations are now verified: CMOA PRH-2 XEL XEX XEQR and YSDF. Last spring YSEB was added through the same method. So it can be done. I considered all of the above hopeless. Veries are also in from WELD and WHBG both of which were out less than a week. That brings the verie total up to 1,812 stations from 71 countries. Hope this will be a bang-up season for all. 73s.

C. B. Gerstner - 9853 Escanaba Avenue - Chicago 17, Illinois

DXing rather poor with few reports going out and none coming in. Following are some of the loggings of late. 9/5- 4:28, WLCS 910 on AN; 4:30 WINZ Hollywood, Fla. weak on 940 also on AN; 4:32 WFHG Bristol, Va. f/c on 980 very strong, but QRM'd by a second strong signal. 4:35-4:50, TT on 1050 behind XEG; 4:49 WETZ s/on 1330 good until KOed by WEAW s/on at 4:58; 5:04-5:06 WHKY on 1290. 9/8 - 2:22-3:02 s/off, LA on 800 mentioning Havana (CMKL?); 3:10-3:15 s/off, KDIM TT f/c on 1360; 3:19-3:30, unidentified one on 1150. Call sounded like WCOP. 9/12 - Several Wisconsin stations on late with ER. 9/16 - DX from CKJL not heard here. A very weak signal barely audible through heavy static heard but unidentified. Now that I have been to a Convention and met many of the fellows, I'm very glad to be a member of the NRC. I've never met a finer group of people anywhere. Thanks to Hal Wagner for card concerning DX Special and to Francis Nittler for KLAJ verie. 73.

BOYS, REPORTS WERE MIGHTY SCARCE FOR THIS ISSUE. BUT TO ALL WHO DO NOT HAVE A REPORT IN THIS "DXNEWS" IT WOULD HAVE BEEN LARGER AND BETTER HAD YOU SENT ONE IN! NOW LET'S NOT FORGET THE OCTOBER 6 ISSUE IN TWO WEEKS WITH DEADLINE HERE TUESDAY 10/2.

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

Hey hey - some veries finally found their way to my doorstep! A typed card in from WTBF-970 saying they're still on RS on 1490 but any day now will go RS and full time on their new 970 spot on the dial. A fine letter from CFOB-800, and a full page friendly letter from KHAM-1580 to make it 2,698 now. And, too, we've had a little luck at the dials of late, viz: 9/10 - My first new one on 1600 in a long while, or since the KMDO, Fort Scott DX of last winter, was WKBL, Clarksdale, Miss. Concluding an ET at 1:57 a.m. Noted WHTC, Hoiland, Mich. on f/c-TT on 1450 from before two to about 2:10, probably 1:55-2:10 a.m. WWRI, also 1450, is on Mondays to 2:00 EST or when DST ends (will it ever?) it'll be 3:00, and return at 6 a.m. A station had a f/c-M with a little tone after each ID from 2:45-3:00 a.m. and gave CST breaks, but not identified here, and not in the f/c list either. Any ideas on this one? On 1440 a very weak tester, which, according to Hank Ward, was KPOK in Scottsdale, so a tentative sent to them to see. 9/12 - A day off and some early AM DX, and added new, WTSN-1270 on ER to 1:37 a.m. s/off and way out on top of WXYZ, presumably, or maybe KFJZ. A tester on 1580 which could have been the new WTUC in Union City, but un-ID here at 1:36 to 2:04 and later, with help from another 1580 test with tone. WWRI was top kick here on 1450 all AM. That strange long-hair music station on 900 again this morning with a violin concerto, but nary a word was spoken. Who can this one be? He haspopped up here three times now during the summer. 9/16- The fine DX from CKJL on 900 was received S-6 here and in the clear and a fine new logging, thanks to Bill Stone's efforts, but as I listened I heard nothing about the NRC, just "DX." 9/10 - Acting on a tip from Jimmy O'Brien, WBOS-1600 logged 11:03-11:12 p.m. s/off (actually 9/9 p.m. but 9/10 EDST) following WWRL's weekly s/off. They come back in five hours. WABA-850 logged on f/c-TT and code IDs 2:22 to 2:32 a.m. and there was a weaker station on 850 with music, but I don't think it is WHDH, Bill Stone. Somebody at the Convention said he'd give me the address for CMCG-1420 but I forget who it was. Would that person please put it into a report? I'd like to thank Hank Holbrook (in advance) for the Spanish forms he is sending me. I want to re-plug the Spanish NRC Report Forms. If they sound good to you, let either Wagner or myself know. You can mention it in your report. They'll be 2¢ each, a real bargain!

TWO MORE N.R.C DX PROGRAMS

Dec.8	C J C A	930	Edmonton, Alberta	5,000 watts	3:00 - 4:00 a.m. EST
10	C F N S	1170	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	1,000 watts	3:00 - 4:00 a.m. EST

All the fine Canadian DX Specials already listed, and many more to come, we feel sure, are a part of Bill Stone's 8th Annual "Canada Promenades" series. We know this series is going to provide everyone with some new loggings, and we trust you will all support these and of course all other DXes with plenty of reports.

JOIN THE CONTEST!

We had expected the rules to the Domestic Contest would be in last September 10th's issue of "DX NEWS" but they did not arrive, so here's hoping they are included with this number. We hope everyone will recognize the fairness of this contest and that everybody who is at the dials will join in and make the contest that much more exciting for all the boys who are a part of it. It is keyed to give you pleasure and some sporting competition one with another, and also to produce plenty of reports for our NRC DX programs. It's only a quarter, gang, so why not become a part of it?

NEXT ISSUES

The next "DX NEWS" will be out in two weeks, dated October 6. Then, beginning with the October 20 issue, "DX NEWS" resumes its weekly series for the duration of the DX Season. But with as few reports as we have in this copy, they'll be rather dull, so won't you all resolve to be a part of the N.R.C. by having something to say in each issue? Let the other members know what DX is rolling down your wires, and get that report in for the next issue by October 2. AND - PLEASE DOUBLE SPACE! THANK YOU

A card from Barry Foote says WM00-1490, Milford, Mass. is probably testing now. They planned night tests to start around 9/15 and RS to begin on 10/1. Watch for this 100-watter, then, on 1490 kilocycles. Barry says also to watch 1420 for some ETs

1956-1957 NRC DOMESTIC DX CONTEST

Here is the awaited news of your 1956-1957 NRC Domestic DX Contest which was voted for and met with, the acclaim of the NRCers in convention at Harrisburg, Pennsylvania. A contest that is the height of simplicity, it spotlights one of the most important working groups in the NRC --- your Courtesy Programs Committee!

The fee to enter this new Contest is twenty-five cents (25¢). All entry fees will be returned in the form of prizes such as certificates, stationary, (NRC, of course!) and other useful items. There will be no cash prizes. The full list of prizes will be announced at a later date, but will be designed to please each contestant and make him (or her) eager to win.

Deadline for entering this contest will be Monday, October 15th, 1956. Send YOUR entry TODAY to: Hank Ward, 404 North 14th, Ponca City, Oklahoma.

Stations eligible in this contest are those stations broadcasting special DX programs for the National Radio Club as arranged by your Courtesy Programs Committee. The CPC will advise the Contest Manager of the stations so eligible. Should a station elect to broadcast a special DX program for the NRC more than once during the coming season, it may only be used once in the Contest for point count. Each station will be worth ONE POINT.

There will be three zones competing in this year's Contest. NRCers in the contest will be competing with other contestants residing in their zone. The division is (1) Contestants in the Eastern Time Zone; (2) Contestants in the combined Central and Mountain Time Zones; and (3) Contestants in the Pacific Time Zone. Prizes will be awarded the winners in each of the three time zones mentioned. In addition, it is planned to have a prize set up (such as the one offered to the NRC by Don Reynolds) for the top scoring contestant regardless of which zone he (or she) resides in. (In the event of a tie, the Contest Manager will refuse to serve again and donate the 15 gray hairs which will pop out to be divided evenly. Hi!)

In reporting to the Contest Manager for the monthly standings, it will only be necessary to note your name, address, time zone (whether EST - CST/MST - or PST) and the call letters of the eligible station verified and being submitted. These should be postmarked no later than the last day of each month --- and the standings will be compiled and published as soon as practical after that date.

The first eligible station in this contest (which was not heard here) is CKJL 900 kcs, St. Jerome, Quebec. The contest will last until the Contest Manager receives official notice from the CPC Chairman of the last eligible station of the season that will DX for the NRC. When this information is known, the final deadline for submitting entries in the contest will be decided on, but will allow sufficient time for contestants to receive their verifications from those stations DXing late in the season.

Due to the nature of this year's contest, the Contest Manager will also be eligible to participate in his time zone.

As stated, this year's Contest met with instantancous approval by the NRCers at Harrisburg, and 33 signed up immediately. We're anticipating the largest turnout yet for a NRC DX Contest --- and know that the precedent set in Harrisburg when the Contest was announced, will continue in the field. So, sign up today and rush that quarter right in, and get in on the fun and at the same time, show the CPC that you are solidly behind them!

And don't forget, when reporting to these stations DXing for the NRC --- mention your membership in the NRC and enclose return postage! 73's! Hank Ward.

Send All Items To; C.M.Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada
All Times are EST

680 This channel may be clear on Monday AM.
970 WIGA Ashtabula, Ohio. According to verie, their present sked is 0600-2215,
When they go back on standard time it will of course ~~WXXX~~ be 0700-2315
1590 KERC Eastland, Texas has FC 4th Mon at 0250

HOW THEY WERE HEARD

The following is a direct from Sid Rosebaum, KCourtesy Program Committee chairman "HOW THEY WERE HEARD is just what the doctor ordered for the CPC man who is interested to learn how programs carry on various frequencies."

But remember, HOW THEY WERE HEARD cannot be without your reports. Next issue we plan to tell the story on CKJL. So before then let us know how they were or were not heard. // WCHB 1440 Inkster, Mich. expects xmitter in 9/21 and hope to start testing that nite and several nites. Daytime only so your NEW STATIONS one chance, carrier only with ID's every 1/2 hour.

1130 WCAR Detroit, Mich. Change in location and they are now 50 KW day, 10 KW night.

1230 WNIA Buffalo, N.Y. is now on RS. But to the best of your editor's know- ledge, they have no sponsors yet. Our member, John Haskett is

CE and phoned this in 9/20. He wants rpts, write to him at WCHB at REPORTERS (of September 11) 32790 Henry Ruff Rd., Wayne, Michigna EJ Everett Johnson, LAW Lawrence A. Whitman, FN Francis Nittler, Congrats to JHH J. Howard Harding, BS Bill Stone, BD Bernie Duffy | John too. for he is getting married in 2 wks

UHF & VHF LOG LIST

As those of you who are X micro wave DXers know, there are many different kinds of X stations besides TV and FM Broadcast operating within this mammoth frequency range. Many police and fire stations operate. They are in the Utility list appearing on page 2 of DX DOWN THE DIAL.

Communications Engineering Book Company, Monterey, Massachusetts publishes logs covering most of these stations. They are as follows.

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300	\$2.10	\$2.40

100 of each for \$1.60

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Harold Wagner, R.D.1, Lake City, Erie County, Pennsylvania
Len Kruse, 816 Euclid Dubuque, Iowa

PLEASE order from your nearest distributor.

NEXT DEADLINE

The next deadline for tips will be Wednesday, October 3. Deadline for Part II of thNRC EQUIPMENT LIST is Tuesday, October 2. If your name did not appear in Part I and you have not advised me of your receiver(s) and Antenna(s) please do so right away. Thanks a lot.

CALIFORNIA PILOT SAVES DISABLED PLANE WITH KNOWLEDGE OF RADIO RECEPTION

Nelmes H. Black, a Lt. commander in the U.S. Naval Air Reserve, was returning home on July 20 with his squadron from Hawaii when a companion plane developed a ruptured oil line putting one of its two engines out. The stricken plane immediately began losing altitude and ~~XXX~~ the ten California reservists plus a television cameraman from KTTV started throwing out all unnecessary equipment to lighten the load. The plane kept on losing altitude. It wound up only 300 feet above the Pacific.

One thousand miles from the Hawaii base and radio signals, too far from its maintenance base at Los Alamitos, and too close to the water for taking star bearings, the plane faced possible disaster. Then Black advised that he knew a way to pick up a weak radio signal from Hawaii. In fact, he already had the signal on his receiver and would turn back with the aircraft, escorting them to Hawaii via instrument work. Black's method was successful and the plane reached Hawaii safely. (ARCADIA TRIBUNE)

Now here is the inside story ~~XX~~ by NELMES BLACK

Background of the flight was as follows. Usually these planes use loran on long over water hops. But Loran was out on all four P2Vs in our squadron so we had been using celestial far out and either UHF omni or ADF (automatic direction finding loop) in close. On the way home that night our celestial had been a bit lah-de-dah because any jerk can hit the North American continent and there are plenty of stations to home in on once the time comes to hit the right corridor.

When we turned back to fly escort on the disabled plane, we were about a hundred miles short of midpoint. Midpoint being some 1150-1200 miles out and is marked by a station ship. It was 1.00 AM and Hawaii broadcast stations were shut down.

However, I was able to pick up the Kohuku ~~XX~~ "Homer" faintly but identifiable. An hour later we decided to turn off to Hilo which was fifty miles nearer. But it was 25 degrees to the left, with nothing to home in on but an ordinary range station. (These form the airway "Beams" and they reach at the outside only 200 miles I was able however to pick up the carrier on 305 Kc/s and start homing in ~~XX~~ from more than 700 miles out, long before its identification was audible. It wasn't too difficult. The approximate bearing and the frequency being known.

PUBLICATIONS LISTING UTILITY STATIONS

It has come to your editor's attention that a number of NRCers also DX for Utility stations (ships, aeradios etc.). Thus we are publishing the following list.

RADIO FACILITY CHARTS are issued by the U.S. Airforce for every part of the World except the iron curtain countries and the United States. They are ~~1/2~~ published either monthly or bimonthly. Listings include Aeradios and Beacons. Your editor gets those for Central and South America. I find them to be almost 100% accurate. They are available on a yearly subscription basis and a price list can be obtained from: USAF Aeronautical Chart and Information Center, St. Louis, Mo. Those for CARIBBEAN & SOUTH AMERICA (note correct title) cost \$3.50 and all subscription go to the St. Louis address.

MERCHANT VESSELS OF THE UNITED STATES lists all merchant vessels (including commercial fishing boats) and yachts.. The price and date of the latest edition can be obtained from the Superintendent of Documents, GPO, Washington 25, D.C. Listings include Calls, names and addresses of owners. Monthly supplements are available free of charge.

REGISTRY OF PUBLIC SAFETY SYSTEMS is available for \$2.00 from Communication Engineering Book Co., Monterey, Mass. Listed are all American Police, fire etc. This publication is revised every June 1.

INTERNATIONAL TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNION publishes lists of nearly every kind of radio station. The greatest degree of accuracy is reached in the European-North African area. A price list can be obtained by writing to General Secretariat, ITU, Palais Wilson, Berne, Switzerland.

INTERNATIONAL DIGEST

Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

I hope that you all found the Foreign Contest rules in the last issue. I found them the day after I had sent the stencils to Hal, so I quickly sent them, and luckily made the deadline. Now let's get to the business at hand.

SUPREMACY RATINGS

These ratings are open to all members and appear monthly in the second issue of the month. Next appearance will be October 20th, so get your revised standings in promptly. List your total veries, total countries, total foreign veries (Outside US and Canada), and your total veries from each continent as well as your best verie for each continent. Keep these totals up to date at least twice a year, and your name will continue in the ladder. Let's more of you get behind this ladder this season. We should have at least 50 members in it.

DXer	Countries	Veries	Foreign	NA	Best NA
1. Henry Tyndall, Vermont	117	4602	1075	540	RUS
2. Ken Mackey, New Zealand	90	1574	----	1095	WSKI
3. C. M. Stanbury, Ontario	80	954	311	122	OXI
4. Roger Anderson, Virginia	72	1307	295	94	AHD
5. Hank Holbrook, Maryland	71	1812	381	163	KFAR
6. Laurie Boyer, New Zealand	66	851	---	466	WHCC
7. Steve Johnson, Maryland	59	1078	175	55	HOK
8. Harold Schrock, Illinois	58	2260	343	57	OXI
9. Keith Robinson, New Zealand	56	983	---	616	KLAM
10. W. Don Reed, New Zealand	53	645	---	290	KDMA
11. Staffan Danell, Sweden	53	190	---	94	ACE
12. W. Richard Daneker, Pennsylv.	51	1214	196	NR	NR
13. Carroll Seth, New York	47	188	61	23	TI4NRH
14. Harold Wagner, Pennsylvania	44	278	100	58	KFAR
15. Fred VanVoorhees, Pennsylvania	40	1395	139	101	HOF32
16. Hank Wilkinson, California	30	131	100	58	VE9EK
17. Eric McIntosh, New Zealand	27	340	---	135	CKFH
18. Gus Magnuson, Rhode Island	20	1776	199	NR	NR
19. Frank Wheeler, Pennsylvania	16	1235	63	53	KFAR
20. Walter I. Goldy, Illinois	11	2134	32	166?	XEOM
21. Mort Schlesinger, New York	5	324	20	NR	NR

NR-Means Not Reported.

Answering a question from Dick Daneker, I try to rotate the continents so that each will appear in order starting this month with North America, thence to South America, Europe, Africa, Asia, and Oceania. It is actually best for you to keep all totals up to date each time you send them to me. Let's have 50 members listed here. South Americans next month.

NORTH AMERICA

.COSTA RICA--*--TIALC, San Jose, assigned 1210 Kcs., has been reported operating on 1205 Kcs. (NNRC) TIJC (670) "Radio Musical" may be the station on here instead of TIU "Radio Progreso". TICM (1015) "Estrella del Aire" in Puntarenas is apparently the station here, not TIFC4. TIBH (1040) "Radio Sonora" is the station here instead of TIEM. (TIRS via WIG)

CUBA--*--Ciago de Avila station on 700 Kcs. has been assigned the call letters CMJT, operating with 1 Kw. Day, 500 watts night. (FCC) CMAD (1240) has moved from Finar del Rio to Artemisa. (FCC) Verie in from CMK "Radio Aeropuerto", Radio Aeropuerto Internacional, S.A. on 1190 Kcs., signed by Sergio Vidal ~~Extra~~ (Cayro), Director for May report. (EJ)

PUERTO RICO*-A new station has been assigned to Arcoibo, to operate on 1070 Kcs., with 500 watts, unlimited hours. (FCC) WGRF (1340) Aguadilla, is now in operation with 250 watt station. (FCC)

GUATEMALA*-There is a new station TGHB (780) "Radio Universal", in Guatemala City, with 1 Kw. Has short wave TGHC on 6140 Kcs. (WRH)

MEXICO*-XELO (800) has verified for EJ signed by J. P. McVeigh, Apartado 266, Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua. Has 150 Kw. EJ also has a verie from XEW (900) 250 Kw., Mexico, signed by Gloria Gronados, Correspondence Dept., address Radiodifusora Cadena, Calle Ayuntamiento 54, Apartado Postal 2516, Mexico, D. F. Speaking of XEW, DW reports the XEW Network to consist of XEW (900) Mexico; XEWA (540) 150 Kw., San Luis Potosi; XEWA (1190) 50 Kw., Guadalajara; and XEWB (760) 50 Kw. Veracruz. EJ also reports a verie in from XEO (970) 1 Kw., Matamoras, Tams. Signer is Robert N. Pinkerton, Mgr., For April 23rd report. The FCC adds the following Mexican changes:

- 600 XEXL Patzucara, Michoacan. Moves from here to 1370 Kcs.
- 920 XEBH Hermosillo, Sonora, change in call letters from XEQN.
- XEXV Veracruz, Veracruz, new station 5 Kw. day, 250 w Night.
- 1010 XEDX El Sauzal, Baja Cfa. Increases power to 1 Kw. D, 250 w N.
- 1300 KEYS Nueva Rosita, Coah. Becomes unlimited 1 Kw. D, 100 w N.
- 1370 XEXL Patzcuaro, Mich. moves here from 600 Kcs. 10 Kw. D 1 Kw. N.
- 1470 XERL Colima, Col. increases night power to 1 Kw.
- 1540 XEQN Hermosillo, Sonora., change in call letters from XEBH.

SOUTH AMERICA

COLOMBIA*-The verie signer for HJDW (980) "La Voz de Medellin", Medellin, is Martin Wiemer. This is key station for network called "Radio Cadena Nacional" (DW & WRH) According to QSL HJTA (800) "Radiodifusora Militar de Colombia" is on the air from 1200-2300 with power of 10 Kw. QTH is Ministerio de Guerra, Comando General de las Fuerzas Armadas, Departemento No. 2, Bogota. (RIU via WRH) DW reports that "Radiotelevisora Nacional" has a new Medellin station on 990 Kc. with 10 Kw. (This seems unlikely with HJDW on 980, can anyone check?) QTH for HJKN (1260) "Radio Metropolitana" is Carrera 7a No. 22-79, Bogota, and VS is Peco Ujuata, Dir. (NNRC) QTH for HJAT (1080) "Radio Reloj", is Carrera B, No. 23-46, Bogota. VS is Rodrigo J. Robles, Ger. (NNRC) This station is listed in Barranquilla, but above is copied correctly from NNRC.

PERU*-According to a QSL-card, "Radio Nacional del Peru" is using the following BCB freqs.: OAX4A, Lima (854); OAX6D, Tacna (1080); OAX8A, Iquitos, (1030). (DW & WRH) New station in Lima reported on 1520 Kcs. is "Radio Reloj", Colmena Derecha 611, Lima. RCA Victor transmitter and using 1500 watts, actually logged on 1527 Kcs. (DW) OAX4L (1250) Miraflores, "Radio Miraflores", correct QTH is Av. Larco 760, Miraflores. This station has English from 2215-2245 Monday evening only. (DW)

EUROPE

ENGLAND*-Modern dance music heard on 1322 Kcs. and 1025 Kcs. at 2215-2245, announcing as "The Overseas Service of the BBC". Was this a test transmission? (At 0315-0345 British Time) (DW)

DENMARK*-The Haroe Islands in North Sea will have their own transmitter from some time in early 1957 on. A 5 Kw. Marconi transmitter has been bought, will probably work on 1367 Kcs. (DW)

ADNORRA*-RP has monitored "Radio Andorra" after reading our report that it was off and agrees with CMS that it is definitely still on and louder than ever. He wonders if they may not be using 100 Kw. now.

WEST GERMANY*-Stuttgart (1106) has regular VOA programs from 0015-0034 Monday to Friday (GMT). AFN Munich (548) has VOA programs from 0015-0345 Saturdays to Tuesdays. VOA Munich (173) relays German

West Germany, Cont'd---programs from Radio RIAS from 0430-0730 and from 1045-1200, all GMT I think, Roy didn't say. (RP)

LUXEMBOURG*--"Radio Luxembourg" will not be starting English morning programs until early next year due to the fact that the Flemish service has to continue until then. The new transmitters should be on the air very shortly. (RP)

YUGOSLAVIA*--"Radio Belgrade" (917) is broadcasting in French from 1700-1715. (WRH)

AFRICA

MOZAMBIQUE*-Portuguese schedule for "Radio Mozambique" (737) and (927) CR7BO and CR7BK is from 0000-0100, 0430-0630, and 1045-1515. This in effect all year. (WRH)

KENYA*-African Broadcasting Service is operating with the following stations: ZHW3 (620) Nairobi, weekdays 2230-2330 and 0845-1310, Sunday 0100-0530 and 1000-1315; ZHW5 (791) Mombassa; and ZHW7 (1268) Kisumu. (WRH)

FRENCH CAMEROUN*-Current QSL cards from "La Radiodiffusion de Cameroun" list the only BCB frequency as 1468 Kcs. at Douala. (DW)

UGANDA*-The Uganda Broadcasting Service, Kampala, is now broadcasting English news at 1300-1315 and closing down at 1403. Operates on 971 Kcs. (WRH)

ASIA

SYRIA*-Here is exact schedule of "Radiodiffusion Syrienne"'s Home Service, Arabic 2300-0200 on 665 and 746 Kcs.; 0200-0230 on 602 Kcs.; 0630-0800 on 665 and 746; 1000-1300 on 665 and 746; 1300-1400 on 665 and 746; 1400-1430 on 665 and 746; 1430-1500 on 602, 665, and 746; 1500-1700 on 665 and 746. Foreign Service: To Near East with English 0030-0100 and 0330-0530, French 0100-0130 and 1530-0730 on 602 and 719 Kcs. Hebrew and German on 665 and 746 Kcs. from 0900-1000. (WRH)

CEYLON*-The National Program in English is broadcast by "Radio Ceylon" on 920 Kcs. (1 Kw) Weekdays 0730-1200, Sunday 2330-0330 and 0730-1200. Schools Service in English 0025 on 700 Kcs. and at 0405 on 870 Kcs. The Commercial Service operates in English from ~~0025~~ ~~xxxxxx~~ 2030-2330 on 920, 0230-0430 on 640 (Sunday 0330-0430 on 920) 0630 (Sat 0430) to 1230 on 640. (WRH)

INDIA*-East Regional stations (Calcutta A (810); Cuttack (1350), and Gauhati (780)) operate as follows: 2000-2200, 0200-0400 or 0430 on school days, 0630-1230. Calcutta B operates 2000-2200, 0200-0400, 0630-1230 on 670 and 1000 Kcs. (WRH) North Regional over Delhi A (890) 2000-2230, 0200-0320 and 0700-1230. Delhi B 2000-2230 (1070 Kc.), 0230-2400, 0430 on school days. Following stations generally relay Delhi A: Lucknow and Allahabad (760); Patna (1130), Jullundur (710), JJaipur (1120), and Ajmer (600). (WRH) Semi-recent changes which some of you may not have are Bombay B now on 550 from 1230 Kcs.; Delhi A now on 600 Kcs.; Indore now on 650 Kcs.; Madras now on 940 instead of Aurangabad. (NKDXRA)

KASHMIR*--"Radio Kashmir" is now operating from Srinigar (1490) 2100-2300 and 0230-0330 and 0730-1230. Jammu (990) is on the air from 2030-2230 and 0800-1230. (WRH)

CHINA*-Schedule for Peking Peoples Broadcasting Station (850) is 1625-2000, 0055-0445, 0525-1000. Shanghai Peoples Broadcasting Station (900) 1650-2030 (Sunday to 2000), 2050-0030, 0205-1030. (1290) 1710-2200, 2250-0320, 0435-1000. (860) 1835-0400, 0455-1000. (1080) 1650-0300, 0350-0930. (1330) 1840-0430, 0520-1015. Canton Peoples Broadcasting Station (670) 1725-2345, 0135-0630. (1370) 1635-1900, 2255-0030, 0425-0945. Sian Peoples Broadcasting Station (1280) 1640-1830, 2255-0000, 0455-0900. Chungking Peoples Broadcasting Station (1300) 1655-2000, 2220-2345, 0350-1015. (WRH)

CHINA, Cont'd---Peking has verified on 1040 Kcs., so must be them instead of Yunan as previously reported. (NZ) A weak Chinese station is being reported on 1215. (NZDXRA)

SOUTH KOREA--Station HLKY "The Christian Broadcasting Station," Seoul, is now operating on 840 Kcs. from 1630-1830 (Sunday to 2030) from 0500-1930. In English on Saturday 1800-Sunday at 2030, and Sunday from 0730-0800. All else in Korean. (WRH) Troubadour (1320) is still operating on this frequency. (NZDXRA)

PAKISTAN--Delete Hyderabad, Sind, on 910 Kcs. in your lists. It is now operating on 1010 Kcs. (NZ)

PHILIPPINE ISLANDS--DZMY, reported on 830 Kcs. may replace DZUS previously reported. (NZDXRA) DZXX, Manila, is now unconfirmed one previously reported. (NZDXRA)

JAPAN--NZDXRA says Jap on 1190 is JOHR not JOFR, also that JOFR is on 1290 Kcs. replacing JOSR. Also that JOHC is on 1410, instead of JOMC.

CHINA--One I forgot to note is an unknown reported by NZDXRA on 1360 Kcs. (NZDXRA)

OCEANIA

MARSHALL ISLANDS--WXLG (1220) Kwajalein, has a new manager, James L. Osborn, who will verify all reports. (NZ)

BRITISH SOLOMON ISLANDS--VQO (1030) Honaira, now heard 0200-0300 Monday through Saturday. Opens early on Wednesday at 0130 with a 30 minute native program. Otherwise in English with weather and shipping information at 0245. (WRH)

AUSTRALIA--2NA (1510) Newcastle, N. S. W., 2 Kw., has moved from 820 Kcs. to this freq. (HJW) LB reported that 5PA in Penola, S. A., was due on September 1st, and HJW postcards in that he is now in operation as of 9/3 on 1160 Kcs. ~~xxxxxx(820)xxxxxx~~
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NEW ZEALAND--LB advises that 4ZA (820) probably 2 Kw., Invercargill, a commercial station, is due on about October first.

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- HJW-Henry J. Wilkinson, Jr., 6620 Beeman Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.
- WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.
- NZDXRA-New Zealand DX Radio Association, Auckland, New Zealand.
- NZ-New Zealand DX Times of New Zealand DX Radio League, Dunedin, N.Z.
- NNRC-Newark News Radio Club, Newark, New Jersey.
- DW-DX Bulletin of Deutsche Welle, Koln, Germany.
- FCC-Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.
- EJ-Everett Johnson, 504 16th Street, Mendota, Illinois.
- WIG-Walter I. Goldy, River Forest, Illinois.

THE OVERSEAS MAILBAG

From Ken Brownless---Just a few lines to let you know that I shall all being well, be editing the "Medium Wave News" for ISWL during the season, six issues, November-April. A few Brazil and one or two US stations have been reported as being heard during the summer, but static makes it very difficult. I have a feeling that the coming season for DX will be similar to what it was last year. Moderate during the last months of this year and falling sharply as it did in early 56.

From Roy Patrick---Nothing exciting to report this month, no DX. As a matter of fact, I have only just returned from my summer vacation, which I spent at Blackpool, a very popular seaside place on the North-west coast. Hope to start checking the low power Spanish stations during the next few weeks as they come in here quite well at 2300 on.