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THEY'RE HIGH ON US IN OHIO

"Well, here is my second \$4.00 for the N.R.C. membership. I figure out each issue costs about 12¢ per copy. To me each issue is worth \$4.00. Since becoming a member of the N.R.C. I have logged about a thousand stations and about 250 verifications."

-Carlton Howington, Box 428ⁿ, Sweetzer Road, Uniontown, O.

C F A R

A letter from Marvin Robbins of Omaha says CFAR has been asked to DX for NRC on Sunday morning, May 19, from 3:00 a.m. EST, on. Since this date is too soon for the program to be reported in this issue, your Editor suggested to Marv he again contact CFAR and ask them to make it a week later, on May 26, beginning at 3:00 a.m. No return reply has been forthcoming, so we can merely suggest you check 590 kilocycles on Sunday morning, May 26, at 3:00 a.m., for CFAR, 1,000 watts, Flin Flon, Manitoba. Marv tells us that WOW is silent Sunday mornings which should aid us all in trying for this station.

N E X T I S S U E

It will be dated June 22, and deadline in Brooklyn will be Tuesday, June 18, and in Crystal Beach Wednesday, June 19. Let's have information for that issue from all of our good members who may be tuning the band during the warm weather!

V O T I N G

As Hal Wagner explained in the April 27th issue, the ballots did not go out with that issue as had been planned. It will be found in this one, then, so be sure to act on it right away and get your selections in, as explained in the accompanying rules.

C H A N G E S I N S T A T I O N D A T A - F C C

NEW STATIONS

✓ 550	Sudbury, Ontario	1,000 D-1	✓ 1330	Bellevue, Washington	1,000 D-3
✓ 570	Cranbrook, British Col.	1,000 U-3	✓	Lakeland, Florida	1,000 D-1
✓ 610	Elliot Lake, Ontario	1,000 D-1	✓ 1340	Mountain Home, Idaho	250 U-1
✓ 810	Saanich, British Col.	1,000 D-1	✓ 1370	Manchester, Georgia	1,000 D-1
900	Macon, Georgia	250 D-1	1380	Walsenburg, Colorado	1,000 D-1
950	Presque Isle, Maine	1,000 D-1	1410	Cleveland, Mississippi	1,000 D-3
	Auburn, California	500 D-3	1430	Homestead, Florida	500 D-1
1050	Douglas, Wyoming	250 D-1		Marion, South Carolina	1,000 D-1
1150	Rockford, Illinois	500 D-3	1440	Livingston, Texas	1,000 D-1
1220	Hastings, Michigan	250 D-3	1470	Alcoa, Tennessee	1,000 D-1
✓ 1230	Falls City, Nebraska	100 U-1		Plymouth, North Carolina	1,000 D-1
✓ 1270	Pine Bluff, Arkansas	5,000 D-1	1480	Mission, Kansas	500 D-3
✓	Grants Pass, Oregon	1,000 D-1	✓ 1580	Phoenix, Arizona	1,000 D-1
✓ 1290	Panama City Beach, Florida	500 D-1	✓ 1600	Winter Garden, Florida	1,000 D-1
✓ 1320	Kitchener-Waterloo, Ont.	1,000 U-4			

CALL CHANGES

630	K I D D KXXL	Monterey, California	1450	K B G F KUDI	Great Falls, Montana
1330	W P O W WBBR	New York, New York	1490	W L C X WLDL	La Crosse, Wisconsin
	W E B O WONY	Owego, New York	1600	W T R U WKMK	Muskegon, Michigan

(Continued on Page 2.) We hear that WGEE-1590 in Indianapolis and WISH-1310 of the same city have merged and are operating as WGEE on WISH's old 1310 channel. Is this so?

V E R I E S I G N E R S

550	K T S A	Glenn M. Cook Jr., SE	D	1350	K D I O	Richard S. Schultz, CE	A
590	K I D	Carroll Secrist, CE	D	1370	W G H N	R. T. Schmitt, CE	B
690	C M B C	Domingo R. Fernandez, M	E		K T p X N	James V. DeWalt, CE	C
740	K B I G	C. Harvey Haas, ESU	E		K V W O	Charles L. Wovis, PD	E
770	W E W	Bruce Barrington	B		W N T M	James Driscoll, Sales M	E
790	W R U M	Peter F. Paul, CE	G		K A P B	Charles P. Woodside, CE	E
840	W H A S	O. W. Towner, DoE	F		W D q E F	B. C. Baker, CE	E
860	W F O X	(Robert Mayer (Edward F. Wille	C CG		W K F M C	C. Irwin Metzger, CE	E
870	W F L O	John D. Wilson, M	F	1380	W I V V	David Crane, CE	G
920	W L I V	George W. Daugherty, CE	A	1390	K B f V M	Don Hopkins, SM	A
950	W K A Z	William E. Ford	G	1400	X E O R	Bert Metcalf	E
	W X L W	Norbert J. Goetzinger, CE	E		W M A B	Dwayne Anderson, CE	AC
	W L O F	W. D. Daniel	B	1420	W B r I P	W. I. Dave, M	E
	W S p H E	(George E. Schneider, CE f (same	C G	1440	K H F H	Arlo Woolery, CE	D
990	K T U T	D. Ray Gardner, CE	D		K O K Y	Howard M. Peters, SM	E
1050	W A C R	Jay Aldridge, CE	G		K P f R O	James W. Gardner, CE	E
1150	W I H A	William E. Harrison, CE	C	1460	W K L X	W. T. Williams, CE	EG
1190	W A H N	L. H. Blum, P, CM	F		W K L V	Cosby A. Draper Jr., CE	F
1250	W D q V A	H. D. Clendenen, CE	E		K R q N Y	Bert Gallimore, CE	C
1270	K I H O	John Kramer, CE	B		W O f K O	Lloyd W. Snowdon, CE	E
	W T A L	T. Dudas, CE	E	1480	K A F A	William Lask, CE	A
	K D J I	Donald E. Jacobs Jr, CM	E		K D O N	James R. Huntington, CE	D
1280	W F Y C	Bruce H. Rigg, CE	E	1490	W L E E	Thomas T. Kita, CE	F
1290	W M I L	Dick Holloway, M	E		W L f O K	B. E. Jones, CE	CEG
	W T H C	James H. Bailey/Jr., CE	EG	1570	K T O P	Henry H. Guck, CE	E
	K D H S	Edward R. Hall, M	G		K O W L	Robert M. Bruce, SM	D
1300	K O L Y	R. L. Cory, CE	E		X E u R F	Miguel Calderon, CE	B
1320	K V H L	Beverly Harkness	A	1580	W A f K U	Manny Alvarez, CE	E
1330	W P O W	William R. Sweeney	G		C F O R	Gordon E. Smith, O, II	F
					K T e L U	Gunnar M. Tosch, CE	B
					W G p L C	Henry Ash, CE	C

C R E D I T S

A - Len Kruse B - Ev Johnson C - Pat Reilley D - Jim Critchett
 E - Harley DeLeursere F - Jack Hathaway G - Lefty Cooper

F. C. C. CHANGES, CONTINUED

N E W C A L L S

620	K S T R	Grand Junction, Colorado	1340	K G A N	Bastrop, Louisiana
730	K B C S	Grand Prairie, Texas	1390	W A V P	Avon Park, Florida
900	K E L L	Kellogg, Idaho	1400	W K D X	Hamlet, North Carolina
960	K V Y K	Farmington, New Mexico		W I L I	Williamantic, Connecticut
990	K C L P	Rayville, Louisiana	1410	W D A X	McRae, Georgia
1050	K L P L	Lake Providence, Louisiana		W Y M B	Manning, South Carolina
1250	K C F I	Cedar Falls, Iowa	1430	W S M F	Murfreesboro, North Carolina
1270	W H I Y	Orlando, Florida	1470	W D O L	Athens, Georgia
1280	W S J C	Magee, Mississippi	1480	W E Z Y	Cocoa, Florida
	W M N F	Richwood, West Virginia		W T H R	Panama City Beach, Florida
1310	W L E N	Hattiesburg, Mississippi	1590	W I L Z	St. Petersburg Beach, Fla.

F A C I L I T I E S

710	C J S P	Leamington, Ontario, to 1,000 D-3, from 250 D-3, same channel.
850	C K Y L	Verdun, Quebec, to 50,000/10,000 U-4, from 10,000 U-4, same channel.
1050	C F G P	Grande Prairie, Alberta, to 10,000 U-4 from 5,000 U-3, same channel.
1150	C K X	Brandon, Manitoba, to 5,000/1,000 U-1, from 1,000 U-1, same channel.
1220	C K D A	Victoria, British Columbia, to 10,000 U-3, from 1280 kc/s., 5,000 U-3.
1270	W L S H	Louisville, Mississippi, to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.
1350	W L O U	Louisville, Kentucky, to 5,000 D-2, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.
	K R L C	Fwy Lewiston, Idaho - Clarkston, Washington, addition of new main studio
1420	C J H T	Chicoutimi, Quebec, to 5,000 U-3, from 1450 kc/s., 250 U-1.
1490	W S Y I	Sylvania, Georgia, to 250 Specified Hours, from 250 U-1, same channel.
1570	C M U D	Nanaimo, British Columbia, to 10,000 U-2, from 1,000 U-3, same channel.
1590	K A N M	Sinton, Texas, to 1,000/500 U-4, from 1,000 D-3, same channel.

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERSHank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

In thinking back over the past DX season I find that even though there were a lot of "gripes" there still were some DXers who really had a nice season in between sunspot activity, etc. From the concensus of reports to "Musings" I find that the LA stations gave us the best DX. The boys in the East and parts of the Mid-West didn't do much with the TAs and the boys out here didn't get many TPs except Don Reynolds who verified around 21 Japanese stations. The best period of TP reception out here was during August and September with a short comeback near the end of October. My biggest thrill this season was hearing two different Japanese stations at the same time with different programs on 940 kilocycles on the morning of October 29th. I reported this oddity and on November 23rd I received a nice letter in English from the NABJ verifying both reports and they certainly were surprised, especially that they are 1 kw. stations. Also verifying KMTM (Midway), 4VA and WWWW gave me a kick. Latest veries in are: KHVH, 1040 kc/s., Honolulu, YVMF, 1120 kc/s., "Ondas del Lago", Maracaibo, and LR-1, 1070 kc/s., "Radio El Mundo", Buenos Aires. I would say that Everett Johnson of Illinois is proud of his 4VEC verie. Congrats to Stanbiry, Hank H., Roger A. and Carl Parsons on their "St. Pierre" veries. Will someone forward me the Station Calls, frequencies and power, also s/on time (EST) of the stations in the Virgin Islands? There seems to be an error in my log from C. Weyrich or perhaps I failed to pick up the latest info in the bulletins. Would appreciate this info very much. Would like to hear from anyone using a Federal Navy DAK-3 receiver. Still have 14 foreign reports out. F/ups have been sent to over half of them. I received a letter from Ken Mackay of New Zealand and the DXers down there are warming up for another "phase" of DXing. By "Phase" I mean another part of the world to concentrate on. What a place for DXing!

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The past two weeks only five new loggings made to my DX Log. On 4/8 Station WBCA, Bay Minette, Ala. (1150) was heard with an ET from 1:36-1:45 a.m., well on top of this frequency. Then on 4/10 I heard for the first time Station KFML (1390) Denver, Colo. with its r/c second Thursday 2:00-2:15 a.m., using tone, with some QRM from AN KCBC. The final NRC DX Program of the season from Station WDMC (1290) Ocala, Fla. from 2:00-2:30 a.m. was a new logging, but interference was had from KALM on with a test, and KHSL with its RS. Also on 4/15 AM I heard KGON (1520) Oregon City, Ore. with its final program of the day, signing off at 3 a.m., and seemed to be in the clear. The final logging was Station WTRU (1600) Muskegon, Mich. with its RS of the day from 6:00-6:30 a.m. This is the new call of WKNK which just recently was changed. During this two week period ten new verifications were added to my collection. These were letters from: KRAK KAFA WMAB KPSO KSUL WLOB-dx WLIV KIRT KFML and a card from WBSM-dx. This brings my total veries to 3,018. All have a pleasant summer, and hope to see you all in Ponca City!

Scooter Segraves - The Swamp Angel DXer - Box 453 - Stuttgart, Arkansas

About time for another report from this den, although it is still very inactive around these parts. No DX to speak of, with the exception of a daytime logging or two on RS. Some of the more "recent" veries are from KTXC KCRT KGMS KLMS WPME (thanks, Joe Pelletier) KAML KQLR and WGVM. The first-mentioned came in February 10 and the last today, May 1, so you can see that the postman is taking Summerfield seriously around here, hi. Thanks to Bob Reck for recent tape; hope you're not too shocked by the return recording Bob, ha. Enjoyed a recent visit from John Bryant of Stillwater, and now I'm really looking forward to that NRC Convention in Ponca City. Hope all of you are planning to come to it. Believe Alex Mackenzie and some of the Croton DXers are planning to stay with me a week or so before the Convention, so we should really be "ready" for action. Any others who find Stuttgart anywhere in the general direction of the route they'll take to get to Ponca City, let me know and we'll find some place to put you. Would like to have a whole gang of NRCers over here. Maybe I could introduce some of the sane ones to the guys I run around with and they could see that just because you're a DXer you're not necessarily a lunatic, hi. About 3½ more weeks of school, and then summer. I'm ready for it. I understand the KWAK moguls plan to groom me as a baseball play-by-play announcer, so there's no telling what will happen, hi. Oh yes, baseball, Lefty, what's wrong with the Dodgers? Boston's doing better than I'd expected and Chicago is going great but I've given up on anyone but the Yankees ever winning the AL. Just hope Williams gets most homers and batting title. Fooey on Mick!

John D. (Jack) Hathaway - 5717 Second Street South - Arlington 4, Virginia

Stations logged by date as follows: 4/8- WANN 1190 from 5:20 to 6:45 p.m. s/off. When they went off, there was WLIB 1190. Veries now stand at 59 since January 8 with 44 reports still out since March 20. Verie just received from WNNT, 690. 4/9- WNOW, 1250, at 5:30 p.m. WBRV, 1590, 7:30 p.m. WCHS, 580, at 11 p.m. 4/10: Seven veries received today! WANT 990, WBMD 750, WCEM 580, WINS 1010, WLW 700, WHJB 620 and WQOK 1440. New ones heard today are: WIPA, 810, 4:15 p.m. Sent second report to DXGI, 960. WFLO, 870, heard signing off 6:45 p.m. (Wednesday). 4/11: Three veries received today: WCMB 1460, WRCV 1060, WCHA, 800. Heard: WJEJ 1240, WMBS 590, WEYE 1290, WVAH 1450, WGAR, 1220. 4/12: Verie received from WING, 1410. Heard: WSAY 1370. 4/13- WTMA, 1250, was heard poorly at 6:15 p.m. under spillover from WWDC, 1260. At 7:55 p.m. WCAE, 1250, was on top of this channel. WIBC, 1070, 10 p.m. 4/14: WPAT, 980, 1:54 a.m. WIST, 980, 6:55 p.m. 4/15: Verie received from CFOR, 1570. Heard: WBT, 1110, 7:15 p.m. 4/16: This was the first day in several days that I did not get several veries; today I received none. Heard: WEEU, 850, 2:50 p.m. WLOA, 1550, 7:55 p.m. WKAZ, 950, 7:58 p.m. 4/17: Veries received from WOR 710 and WANN, 1190. Heard: WTND 920, heard signing off at 7 p.m. WNOX, 990, 11:15 p.m. 4/18: Veries received from WGY 810 and WLEE, 1480. Heard: WENC, 890, 6:30 p.m. with QRM from WLS. 4/19: Received six veries today from: HAS 840, WFLO, 870, WBT 1110, WHAM 1180, WCOJ 1420 and WKLV, 1440. Heard: WJAX, 930. 4/20: WAVZ, 1300, 3 a.m. Verie received from WGAR, 1220. Heard: WUST, 1120, 6:30 p.m. 4/21: WMCA, 570, 2:00 a.m. WHDH 950, 2:37, WERE 1300, 3:00. 4/23: Veries received from WNOW 1250; and WCBG, 1590. Heard: WHYI, 960, 3:30 p.m. WJLK, 1310, 9 p.m. 4/24: Verie received from WHO, 1040, together with program sked. 4/25: Received verie from WMAL, 630. 4/26: Received veries from WMMW 1130, and WDEL, 1150. 4/27: Heard: WGN, 720, 1:00 a.m., Q5 S9 plus 37 db.; WABC 770. 4/28: Heard: KMX, 1070, Q5 S9 plus 17 db at 2 a.m. Best 73.

John W. Hoogerheide - Explosive Division, E.I. DuPont de Nemours & Co., Wilmington 98, Delaware.

Darn it all, Lefty - your plea for DX reports, so I'll send in to let you all know I still love DX, but my typewriter is in storage, so I'll print clearly and hope you'll excuse me until June 1 when I am assigned somewhere permanently. Right now I am a real hillbilly, in the hills of northern West Virginia, located in Martinsburg. My HX-S-20-R is going to the junkpile; same troubles here as in northern Minnesota, so again a plea. Who has a good radio for sale? I'm sure in the market for one. Hank Holbrook - one of these weekends I'm going to visit you to see how you manage to log so many stations. I'll need a few tips from you. Also for your deleted list, 1430 WEXT, Milwaukee, Wisc., 980, KLER, Rochester, Minn., 1080 WREX, Duluth, Minn., 550 WLIN Merrill, Wis. (now FM), 890, WENR, Chicago, Ill., plus in Wisconsin: 1250, WMAW to WEMP; 1530 WTAQ to WBAY; 1290 WMLO to WMIL; 1010 WTWT to WSPT; 1290 WKLJ to WCOW.

Stan Morse - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

Veries, WLOK for December report, no f/up, KERNY, WFNM by PP card. WMCW, a very nice letter by Ben Patch, well worth the wait. KEOK for NNRC DX, WAKU, WBEC DXes. No time for DX but did notice WCOJ on top of 1420 on truck radio in early PM, 6:15 or so. Ponca City next stop.

Harvin E. Robbins - 7805 Woolworth Avenue - Omaha 14, Nebraska

Awoke at 3 a.m. this morning, or thereabouts, without the aid of alarm clock, and decided to stay up to see what was on the air. First, I found what I believe was WFIS (1600) with f/c 3:55-4:00 on 4/27. Left the air at 4, and static took out ID pretty much. Will have to check f/c sked for that one. It was almost two hours later before I came up with anything else new here, and I might add, just minutes before I thought I would give it all up and go back and hit the hay. At 6 logged KSST (1230) Sulphur Springs, Tex. in the clear with just trace of KNUZ QRM. At 6:15 got my most-wanted Texas station KCVL (1450) Lampasas s/on and mixed with KPIG. Heard for almost ten minutes with readable signal. At 6:30 another surprise was KVIN (1470) in Vinita, Okla. s/on and on the clear almost with just trace of WMBD QRM. Both these last two made patience pay off, when I just about pulled the "big switch" at 5:50! Noted about 18 s/ons during the 2½ hour period but most of them were stations already logged and their times are noted in DX Down the Dial. KFBI (1070) Wichita, Kans. also seems to have joined the AN parade. Only other DX logged lately was KSNY (1450) Snyder, Tex. on 4/20 at 1:30-1:45 with f/c, probably regular as monthly on Saturday nearest to 20th, usually the third Saturday). Same AM heard someone at 2:50-3:15 with a DX on 1370. (con'd P.5)

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(Marv Robbins, con'd from P. 4) Sounded like may have been WKMC, but static level too high to tell for sure. On 4/18 logged WLIL NNRC DX and f/c, and f/c from WDEH (300) 1:05 to 1:15. On 4/15 KALM (1290) Thayer, Mo. with ET starting at 2:00, and WTRC (1290) DX behind them. Hope everyone gets the NRC DX from CFAR coming up, also the one from WKIC (1430) Hazard, Ky. 73 and DX.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

Ken Mackey, of the New Zealand DX Radio League, has asked me to contact all NRC and NNRC members in regards to an up-to-date "Pacific Ocean and Asiatic Log" that is now being published and is selling for 25¢. Being that Fred isn't putting one out for the coming season, I feel that a compact TP log will be needed by many of the members of the two clubs. I know that Ken has put a lot of work into this log and for all the information that it will contain I certainly think that 25¢ is a terrific bargain. Please send your orders to me and enclose stamps for the amount involved. Now that the DX season is over, I wonder how many members will take the time to vote. If my memory serves me correctly, I believe that only 70 or 75% of eligible members voted last year. I know that this percentage could be much higher. I take my voting seriously - just as serious as the fellows who do the big jobs to get our bulletins to us. Think of the wonderful job they do and then show your interest and confidence in them by voting. I'd better stop before I start sounding like a California politician! No veries received at this den for several weeks. While on vacation, I'm going to finish up my f/ups. Just three to go. I know that many LAs were reported this year and from the bulletin I feel that the LAs as a whole, seem to be verifying more reports and more promptly, too. Perhaps, as a group, the American DXer is gaining the prestige that we had in the 30s and even in the early 40s. By the way, does anyone have a late verie signer or CE, etc. from WORA in Puerto Rico? I sure could use a signer. Can't get a verie even after two reports and two f/ups. 73.

Pat Reilley - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

New veries are KIXN WAYN WGLC WSHE WKBX WAKU WLOK KENV KENV WFOX WTAM WMAB WIMA and 28 reports still out yet. 4/22- WTRC, 1340, f/c at 3:08. KAPB, 1370, test at 4:01. 4/23- WTJS, 1390, ET at 2:31. KOSI, 1430, f/c at 2:33. WIMA, 1150, test all AN for new one. 4/25- WIMA again on test at 2:21. WFPM, 1150, and WCOP, 1150, all at same time. WGRC, WETB, 790, both testing at 3:45. 4/26- KGLC, 910, tornado news 2:28. WTAB, 1370, test at 2:45. 4/27- Loud tone on 1570 with XERF at 2:35 but no call heard. WMGY, 800, f/c at 3:25 for a new one and this is an old one in my needed log. Does anybody have an address for WRCA or WABC New York City? 5/1- Unknown on 620, 1:45 to 2:08, no voice and off air. 5/2- YNW, 935, swell signal and yelling, talking and march music, 2:50 to after 3:00. 5/3- WAMY, 1580, f/c at 1:54. WCPH, 1220, f/c at 2:14. WOC, 1420, ball game at 2:35. 5/4- WRFC, 960, at 1:32 for new one. 5/7- KLIZ, 1380, test at 2:26. 5/9- KAFA, 1460, f/c at 2:15 to 2:20, then kept air for an ET and a swell signal. KGEN, 1370, came on at 2:30 for ET and good signal; KAFA and KGEN had better signals than when I verified them in December. WPAC, 1580, ET at 3:07. 5/10- Caught XEOR, 1590, for a good report. Hope they will verify. Haven't written to one in Mexico for a long time now. Don't know if KCBC was on as all I heard was an unknown TT and one giving PST in behind XEOR. Twenty-two veries back in April and only two veries so far this month. 5/11- WKID, 1580, f/c at 1:24. WCAO, 600, is this another AN? WLSV, 790, ET at 2:06 after WQXI signed off.

James E. Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California

I did not listen for any DX Specials from April 17th on. On May 8th I have not yet received the April 27th DX NEWS - was it mailed? Reports have gone to: 590 KID for Easter Sunrise CBS show; 990 KTUT and 990 KTKT morning schedules; 1420 KHFH same, at Sierra Vista, Ariz. (I mailed report to Fry, Ariz.). 1570 KWIC before XEGE s/on, and 1150 KDEF for listed f/c. Have heard some Oregon and Washington stations after California signs off with its DST but no reports sent out yet. Veries are in from 550 KTSB 590 KID, 530 KKOG-dx 790 WGRA-dx 990 KTKT and KTUT; 1150 KDEF; 1300 KRMW-dx QSL; 1380 KPEG-dx; 1420 KHFH; 1460 KDON QSL in envelope; and 1490 KOWL, Bijou, Calif. DX Contest delinquents are: 800 KINY; 1320 KSLR; 870 KIEV; 1460 CJNB and 1310 KARY. Have several other delinquents also, will send list to Atherton; hope something can be done to persuade them to verify. With the absence of special DXes, and increase in static, the urge to DX has diminished considerably here. It is hard to go to bed in the daylight, so I am getting less sleep during the week, and tired over the weekends, so sleeping more. But will report anything of probable interest to the others trying to DX during the summer. 73s.

Roy H. Millar - Route 2 - Box 6704 - Issaquah, Washington

I believe a DX NEWS is due out May 18th, so will try to get a note therein. No DX NEWS of April 27 as of May 9, so possibly some schedule change. Speaking of May 18, that's "kickoff" date for my '57 vacation; will be in the vicinity of a lot of you NRCers, but don't think I can make any contacts, although may make a phone call or two. Listening notes since my last report: Apr. 22 - No WRUMp790 DX heard here! just KDAN on f/c, 3:33-4 a.m.; KLAC-570 ID at 6:29 a.m. as testing, so report sent to a needed Californian. Apr. 25- KAIR-1490 Tucson, Ariz. ID at 6 a.m. on AN programming through KBLA. Apr. 29- KPOW-1260 Powell, Wyo. s/on at 8 a.m., surprisingly strong for such a late hour at this season. May 5- KFXM-590 and KWOW-1600 logged on AN advertising programs, KFXM through KUGN at 5:55 a.m., and KWOW atop KLAJ at 7 a.m. May 6- CFCW-1230 Camrose, Altz. nicely atop at 2:07 a.m. s/off, with KLAS on f/c-TT until 2:25 a.m.; KEMX-1470 f/c one hour earlier than listed due to DST in California. May 8 KEDU-1240 Dinuba, Cal. s/on at 7 a.m., then programming in Spanish. Another station signed on just a few minutes before, call seems to be KOPA, but haven't positively IDed as yet. Will continue to try and ID this, as 1240 does not seem to have any Western AN any more; am I complaining? Veries in: KTKR-1310; KDOT-1230; KCSJ-590, KRMW-1360-dx; KKOG 730 NNRC-dx XEXX-1420, CHWK-1270-dx, KPEG-1380-dx, KAIR-1490, and CKPG-550-dx. Understand my EAK-3 receiver has been shipped; any suggestions or ideas from any others who have or are using same will be appreciated as I know from nothing about such rigs! Working over my lists of "top veries" domesticwise, I see that I now have 24 of 2,000 miles or better in the 1/4 kw. class; five of these (WEAR-1230, WNIA-1230, WHIR-1230, WWXL-1580 and CKOT-1510 were added this past season, and all but WEAR were on NRC DX programs. In fact, the three 1230 stations were all added the same AM! A happy summer to you all.

Albert E. Lehr - Route 1 - Box 353 - Livermore, California

I haven't written since December so I thought I would bring things up to date. 12/13- KGEN-1270 f/c 3:39-4:30, KRBO-1050 f/c 5:06-5:12 and XECM-950 on RS 9-9:04 p.m. 12/15- KLOG-1490 s/off RS 5:02. 12/17- KDES-920 f/c 3:30, KIEV-870 with good signal on NRC DX. 12/25- WABA-850 RS 5:06, WILD-850 s/on 6:00, KYW-1100 RS 6:25. 12/31- KEMM-1230 weak on NRC DX, XEWQ-1190 RS 3:47. 1/3- Local KRAK-1140 (ex-KGDM) noted with new call. They no longer carry CBS network programs. KJOY-1280 has dropped MBS affiliation too, so KWG-1230 is the only network station in Stockton now. KWG carries ABC and MBS programs. 1/7- 4VA-1080 RS 6:05-6:30 for country #13 heard. 1/14- KAAA-1230 on NRC DX with QRM from KELY, WKOE-1070 RS 6:09. 2/4- KLAJ-1600 on RS 6:11. 2/8- JOKD-1370 RS 4:22-4:25, KENT-1550 RS 6:55, KWCO-1560 s/on 7:00. 2/11- WAKR-1590 RS 4:42. 2/15- XEDS-1010 in Escondido on RS at 1:30 a.m. quite a bit off frequency as they are every night now. 2/18- KYTE-1290 fair on NRC DX. 2/23- CHUB-1570 s/off 4:06. 2/24- KDOT-1230 (ex-KWEN) RS 3:30. 2/25- Caught s/off of DX from KARY-1310. KWIP-1580 heard on RS at 1:44-1:58 p.m. 2/26- WRR-1310 RS 4:48-4:23. 2/28- WMAG-860 s/on and RS 6-6:07 over KONO and GABL for a surprize catch. 3/1- KCVL-1480 heard from 3:37-3:43 with a DX program for the New Zealand DX League. WSMB-1350 RS 4:15-4:18. 3/2- XEHL-1460 RS 11:03-11:30. 3/3- KENL-1340 on RS from 12:18 to 12:35 a.m. 3/4- KUEN-1410 easily readable on NRC DX despite local KSTN on 1420. KSTN is just about the loudest station on the high end of the BCE here. KLAN-910 RS 4:50. 3/10- KATT-990 (ex-KECC), another local with call change. Heard them announce a few days ago that they plan to start operating 24 hours a day. 3/18- KRMW-1300 good on DX. KWOP-1400 r/c 5:15-5:30. 3/25- KPEG-1380 DX OK; KQIK-1230 f/c 4:05-4:08. 4/1- KHVH-1040 RS at 4:30. 4/13- KATR-1030 RS 6:53. 4/25- KMBY-1240 s/off RS 3:10, KSMA-1240 f/c 3:18-3:25. 4/29- KLOQ-1390 RS 3:30, 2:55. 5/3- Local KFIV-1360 (or "K-5" as they call it), Modesto, Cal. heard with call change from KMOD. That is all for now so 73 and best DX to all.

Leon S. Neblock - 302 West Main Street - Knoxville, Illinois

4/15- WRVK-1460 RS, good 2:00-3:06. KDEM-1340 f/c good, 2:13-2:26. WFLW-1570 through XERF 3:05-3:10. 4/16- KXGI-1360 ET 2:05-2:38. 4/19- WEAS-1010 ET 1:35-1:42. 4/29- WNOR 1230 RS 1:45-2:20 good. KVOR-1300 RS 2:35-3 good. 5/3- WMT-600 RS, s/off 1:00. WRAM, 1330, new station in Mornmouth, Ill. first ET, 1:30-2:00. KVOX-1280 f/c 2:15-2:20 through KTLN. 5/5- WSLI-930 on with C.P. Telethon, 2:00-2:30, good. WMCA-570, 1:49-2, good. 5/6- KRIB-1490 RS s/off 1:08, through WOPA. KROP-1300 f/c 3:05-3:15 good. Veries in since April 14: Cards: WLCS KDON WKIS WNOR. Letters: WJPG KWVA WRVK KFJB KDEM WLOK WLOS WEAS WVSC.

DON'T FAIL TO VOTE IN THE ANNUAL N.R.C. ELECTION. ALL THE INFORMATION IS CONTAINED ELSEWHERE IN THIS ISSUE OF "DX NEWS." LET'S MAKE IT 100% AND THAT MEANS YOU MUST VOTE!

Hank Holbrook - 4710 Edgemoor Lane #206 - Bethesda 14, Maryland

Thought the DX season had ended in March, but reception CX certainly perked up, and surprisingly reports went out to 35 long and medium wave stations during the month of April. So far in May, 20 reports are out, but all loggings have been on the long wave band, as I can't seem to find anything new on BCB. BCB stations logged and reported are as follows: 4/1- WSSC 1340 f/c 4:55-5 a.m., good strength. 4/5- WAVZ 1300 AN 4:01 to 4:35 a.m. fairly good. 4/8- WGRA 790 NNRC DX 3:33 to 3:55 a.m., strong signals, but heavy static. 4/12- WSGN 610 AN 5:03-5:20 good. WYTI 1570 RS 6:50-7 p.m. s/off. Very good. 4/13- KEOK 540 NNRC DX 1:30-1:57 a.m., fair. 4/15- KBIG 740 NNRC DX 3:14-3:45 a.m., excellent, one of the best signals from West Coast ever heard. 4/16- WSTN 1420 NNRC DX 4-4:25 a.m., good. WPOP 1410 RS 10:50-11:30 p.m., good. 4/22- WRUM 790 NNRC DX 3:50-4:15 a.m., poor to fair. WOOW 1490 RS 5 a.m. s/on, WLOH 1490 RS 5 s/on, and WSSB 1490 RS 5:05 s/on and later. All QRMing one another, but enough for reports to all three. 4/26- KEOK 920 f/c 2:07-2:30 a.m., poor to fair. 4/28- WPVA 1290 RS for call change from WCLA 9:33-10:05 a.m., good. 4/29- WFCR 1310 RS 11:04-11:30 a.m. excellent. Now have all local BCB stations verified, hi! Thanks to Stan and Horv Robbins who revived my interest in LW, a whole bevy of new low band stations have been added to the log. Stant sent log of Caribbean and SA beacons which solved many of my mystery stations. Marv purchased an RBL receiver similar to mine and has been going to town between 200 and 535 kc/s. Just call me the "beacon chaser" as 38 reports have been sent to low band stations in April and May. Best DX has been "SF" Santa Fe Cuba, 412 kc/s. which is strong most AMs, and now verified. NES Coco Solo, Canal Zone which is often well received during early AM on 414 kc/s. A report is out to "CF" in Cienfuegos, Cuba, on 212 kc/s. Verie in from "CM" 260 Turks and Caicos for a new country between 150 and 180 kc/s. #75. All above stations use anywhere from 750 to 1,000 watts. MW beacons logged, reported and verified in April are "CLO" 1630 in Cali, Colombia and "MDE" Medellin, Colombia, on 1690 kc/s. During the past couple of months, the following BCB veries have been received: Letters from WICO WKLM KAML CINVO WNKY LR-6 WKAZ WIPA WGRA KEOK KBIG WSTN WRUM WSSB and KEOK. Card from WKIS. PP from WFCR and notation on my report from WSSC. Am taking my vacation first of June and back to my second home, Cape May, N.J. A fine summer to all. '73s.

G. Harley DeLeurere - 1 East 8 Street - Mounted Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

I sure am missing the weekly DX NEWS already. I haven't received an issue since the April 13th edition. 4/19: A letter from KPEP-1420, San Angelo, Tex. 4/20: WGIL-1400, Galesburg, Ill. on r/c from 5:25-5:50. Letters from KWVO-1370, Cheyenne, Wyo. and WNIL-1290, Hiles, Mich. 4/21: Nil. 4/22: KAPB-1370, Marksville, La. testing from 3:50-4:04. KTNM-1400, Tucumcari, N.M. on r/c from 4:05-4:15. A QSL card from WTAL-1270, Tallahassee, Fla. and letters from KOKY-1440, Little Rock, Ark., WNTM-1370, Vero Beach, Fla., KTOP-1490, Topeka, Kans., KDJI-1270, Holbrook, Ariz. and WFYC-1280, Alma, Mich. 4/23: KBOE-740, Oskaloosa, Ia. on for NNRC from 4-4:10. 4/24: A letter from KOLY-1300, Moberge, S.D. 4/25: WBIP-1400, Booneville, Miss. on r/c from 3:15-3:30. 4/26: KNOK-970, Fort Worth, Tex. on RS from 5:30-5:45. A letter from WIMC-1290 Ocala, Fla. 4/27: KGKL-960, San Angelo, Tex. from 5:25-5:50. WPUX-800, Waupaca, Wis. from 6:30-6:36 with CKLW QRM. Letters from KBIG-740, Avalon, Cal., WAKU, 1570, Latrobe, Pa., XEOR-1390, Reynosa, Tams. and WLOK-1430, Memphis, Tenn. 4/28: Nil. 4/29: WPOP-980, Pensacola, Fla. testing from 2-2:10. KGIW-1450, Alamosa, Col. through KPIG and WTIK on r/c from 2-2:15. Veries from CMBC-690, La Habana, Cuba, KAPB-1370, Marksville, La.; WDEF-1370, Chattanooga, Tenn. and KPEG-1380, Spokane, Wash. 4/30: WKLX-1440, Paris, Ky., f/cing from 1-1:15. WSAN-1470, Allentown, Pa. on AN from 1:50-1:50. WKMC-1370, Roaring Spring, Pa. on RS from 4:30-4:50. CKPC-1380, Brantford, Ont. on RS from 4:50-4:55. WOKO-1460, Albany, N.Y. on 4:58 s/on until 5:01. WAVL-910, Apollo, Pa. from s/on at 5 until 5:06. 5/1: Nil. 5/2: KOTA-1380, Rapid City, S.D. caught just before s/off from 1:53-2. 5/3: CMBL-860, La Habana, Cuba, on AN from 1:55-2:15. KVOX-1280, Moorhead, Minn. on r/c from 2:10-2:20 with KTLN QRM. A form letter from WXLW-950, Indianapolis 22, Ind. for my 3/25/56 report. 5/4: KFJM-1370, Grand Forks, N.D. testing from 2:15-2:32. A verie from WBIP-1400, Booneville, Miss. 5/5: Nil. 5/6: A QSL card from WDVA-1250, Danville, Va. and letters from WOKO-1460, Albany 1, N.Y. and WKMC-1370, Roaring Spring, Pa. 5/7: KGHI-1250, Little Rock, Ark. through WELP from 3:45-4. 5/8: XEW-900, Mexico, D.E. from 12:30-1 coming in very well. WDWS-1400, Champaign, Ill. conducting monthly f/c from 5:15-5:30. A QSL card from WCKY-1530, Cincinnati 1, O. and a letter from WKLX-1440, Paris, Ky. 5/9: Form letter from KPRO-1440. 5/10: WOMI-1290 caught s/off 1-1:03 through WOPA. WRAJ-1440, Anna, Ill. test 1:05-1:15

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Hello fellows. It's May 10th as I write this and no April 27th DX NEWS has arrived at this den. Possibly something has interrupted the issuing of it so am hoping nothing serious has happened. DX has practically been at a standstill here dur to overtime at the plant and gardening, etc. but will send in what I have logged since May 1. 5/3- KTRM-990 in Beaumont, Tex. on for Discathon. The fellow was trying to see just how long he could stay awake. He was in his 86th hour. XECL-990 s/off at 3. WAIY-1580, Amory, Miss. testing and asking for reports, not needed here. KTUL-1430 s/off 2:25. 5/4- WRDB 1400 f/c per f/c list. WGHN-1370 Grand Haven, Mich. f/c 2:45-3 and verie back saying f/c first Saturday at time mentioned. WMAX-1480 f/c per list. KIHT-1450 f/c per list, also 1490 WBFC per list. 5/5- KDTH-1370 s/off 1:00. 5/6- Verie in from KIHO-1270 Sioux Falls S.D. saying f/c fourth Thursday, 1:30-1:55. That's all the DX but a few veries to swell the total to 1,499. They are: WTMC-dx, WNTM, NNRC DX, WMCW-1600, thanks to our good friend Ben Patch. WABA-850, KTLU-1580, Rusk Tex. to make #90 from Texas. WAKU-dx KEMW-dx WKAZ-dx XERF-1570, WLOF-950, KIHO-1270, WACR-dx WIV-770 and today, WGHN-1370. Sure would like to get a few more of those overdue ones. I still have nine DXes from NRC reported, namely PP card to WPKO, 4/2, KSLR WJAL WJMO CJNB WBBN WVID WMAF WSAC. Sixty-four DXes were heard and 55 verified, to date. Thanks to all you CPC workers for the swell DXes although all could not be heard. A big vote of thanks goes to Lefty, Fred, Stan, and all others who made this past season a poor but pleasant one. The poor being from poor reception, hi. Guess that's all for this time but don't forget to vote. I will as soon as I get my ballot. 73s and may you all have a good summer. Stop in if near this den.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The past three weeks I have added but three new catches to my DX Log, so you can see the DX season has come to the end. On 4/28 I was happy to log Station KBWI (1380) Lancaster, Cal. on a test program from 4:05-4:30 a.m., topping AN KGMS. Then on 5/6 the brand new WOMP (1350) Pine/City, Minn. was heard on an ET from 2:04-3 a.m. and sending a very good signal into this den. And the third logging was Station WORM (1010) Savannah, Tenn. on a f/c on 5/9 from 1:15-1:30 a.m., and topping this frequency for one I was happy to log. Verifications received during the same three-week period were letters from KDIO WAKU-dx WTMC-dx WMAF-dx KPEG-dx KVHL KBWM WACR-dx. This brings my total veries to 3,027 as of this time. I hope to see everyone at Ponca City!

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

My letter to KLAJ-1600, Lakeland, Col. came back because I sent it to Lakewood, which doesn't exist in that state. Stupidity is setting in on me so the season must be at an end. Anyway, a little DX, very little, in fact. 4/30- WKLX-1440, f/c-TT 1:00-1:15 with a tremendous signal here, right after KMLB signed off at 1:00, in the clear. 5/1- WPOW-1330, New York, N.Y. on its first day of broadcasting 7:53-8 a.m. s/off. They s/ on every day, seven of them, at 5 a.m. 5/2- Noted YNW-935 on and shouting news with a background of Sousa marches, and found out later he was describing a war between Nicaragua and Honduras. I wish I had known in advance, but I didn't, or else I'd have searched for a Hondurian. I've spent a lot of daytime trying to track down the back-ground station to WPOP-1410 thinking it might be the new Eatontown, N.J. station but it turned out to be WDOV, Dover, Delaware. Veries: WKLX-1440, WACR-dx-1050, WSHE-950, WPOW-1330, WIVV-dx-1370, WFOX-dx-860, WLOK-1480 for a September report with no f/up, WRUM-790-dx, WKAZ-950-dx, KDMS-1290, WTMC-1290-dx, KNLR-1380. What is f/c of WEWL-1220?

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

910	W R K E	Roanoke, Virginia	FCC	1350	W C M P	Pine City, Minnesota	NRC
960	W R F C	Now 5,000/500 U-2	FCC	1360	W I O D	Sanford, Florida	FCC
970	W A H D	Aberdeen, Maryland	FCC		K F I V	Ex-KMOD	NRC
1040	K H V H	Honolulu, Hawaii	NRC	1450	W O K K	Ex-WTOK	FCC
1050	W F S C	Franklin, N. C.	FCC		K B G F	Ex-KUDI	FCC
1150	W B C A	Bay Minette, Alabama	NRC	1460	W R V K	Mount Vernon, Kentucky	NRC
1290	W C H K	Canton, Georgia	FCC	1470	W N B P	Newburyport, Mass.	NRC
	W P V A	Ex-WCLA	NRC	1480	W T H R	Panama City Beach Fla.	FCC
1310	K B O K	Ex-1420 kc/s.	NRC	1490	W L C X	Ex-WLDD	FCC
1330	W C R B	Now 5,000/1,000 U-4	FCC	1580	C M D S	Holgain, Oriente, Cuba	FCC
	W P O W	New York, New York	NRC	1570	K M A R	Winnsboro, Louisiana	FCC
	W R A M	Wormouth, Illinois	NRC	1600	W T R U	Ex-WKNK	NRC

WE HAVEN'T MANY REPORTS FOR THIS ISSUE, SO LET'S ALL DO OUR BEST TO GET ONE IN FOR THE JUNE 22 ISSUE OF DX NEWS. LET'S KEEP OUR PUBLICATION TOP-NOTCH EVEN IN THE OFF SEASON!

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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

If this issue gets to you a day or so late, you can blame me, as I just couldn't make the deadline. Little League baseball season has started along with the busy season at work, so time just isn't as plentiful as it is during the winter. However, here goes with what is on hand here. First the contest results.

FOREIGN CONTEST

Manager: Roger Anderson, 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia

EASTERN LEAGUE

1. C. M. Stanbury, Ontario: Adds WIVV, ZP3-----145
2. Kermit Geary, Pennsylvania: Adds CMBK, CMKJ, HJAD, HJED,
LA1600, XERCN, ZFY-----137
3. Roger Anderson, Virginia: Adds HJCV, YVMB, YNX, LR6-----126
4. Hank Holbrook, Maryland. Adds LR6-----120
5. Carl Parsons, Pennsylvania. Adds none-----70
6. Fred VanVoorhees, Pennsylvania. Adds ZFY, WIVV-----51
7. Hal Wagner, Pennsylvania. Adds none-----20
8. Steve Johnson, Maryland. Adds none-----15
9. Relfe Luton, Joe Lippincott, Carroll Seth, Lefty Cooper,
Stan Morss, Morton Schlesinger, Frank Wheeler, Charlie Conley,
and Ray Moore, all no entries-----0

CENTRAL LEAGUE

1. Hal Schrock, Illinois. Adds 4VEC, JOKD, TIQ, ZFY, YNX, KULA,
KAIM, HJCV, WIVV-----128
2. Everett Johnson, Illinois. Adds none-----66
3. Carlton Howington, Ohio. Adds none-----43
4. Maurice Nittler, Nebraska. Adds none-----42
5. Marvin Robbins, Nebraska. Adds KETZ, ZQI(720), CMBZ, CMBL,
XEG, XERD, XEKE, WPAB, XEQR, XEOY, XEOR-----35
6. Len Kruse, Iowa. Adds none-----14
7. Harley DeLourere, Indiana. Adds none-----14
7. Eric Bristow, Joe Knack, and Ben Patch, no entries-----0

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

1. Don Reynolds, California. Adds JOAB JOAK, JOQR, JOKR, JOBK,
JOJR, KHVH, IYZ, HRXW, LR4, LRI, HJGE, WIVV-----302
2. Hank Wilkinson, California. Adds ZFY, YVOD, KAIM, KHVH,
YVMF, LRI-----183
3. Roy Millar, Washington. Adds KULA, KAIM, WIVV, CMHQ-----117
4. John Alexander, California. Adds none-----66
5. Ted Vasilopoulos, California. Adds CB66, 4VA, 1Y C, 2GB-----63
6. Albert Lehr, California. Adds None-----58
7. Jim Critchett, California. Adds none-----33
8. Morton Mechan and Eugene Cameron, No entries-----0

TOP FIVE

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|-------------------|---------|-----|-------------------|---------|-----|
| 1. Don Reynolds | Pacific | 302 | 3. C. M. Stanbury | East | 145 |
| 2. Hank Wilkinson | Pacific | 183 | 4. Kermit Geary | East | 137 |
| | | | 5. Hal Schrock | Central | 128 |

Good scores for a generally poor season. Roger asks me to remind you to get your entries in to him promptly. He feels that some of you who have not submitted entries have received foreign veries. Please report all of them as soon as you can.

NORTH AMERICA

NICARAGUA--*after three tries, reply card finally received from YNX (745) signed by Jos. Rodriguez. (R.)

MEXICO--*Verie letter in from XERF (1570) Villa Acuna, Coah. Signer is Miguel Calder, C. E. (EJ) XEDF (960) Nuevo Laredo, Tams, sent verie letter signed by Felipe Maldonado P. (EJ) XEOR (1390) Reynosa, Tams., signed by Rogert N. Pinkerton. (EJ)

May 18, 1957

PUERTO RICO--*WABA (850) Aguadilla, sent form letter for 5 AM sign-on signed by F. Bonnet Velez, G. M. (EJ) WKAQ (580) San Juan, "Radio EL Mundo", sent nice letter for 2/15 report signed by V. Lamas, G. M. (EJ)

CUBA--*CMHS (1020) Caibarien, Las Villas, is a new 100 watt assignment, unlimited time. CMDS (1580) Holguin, is now in operation with a 250 watt station. (FCC)

SOUTH AMERICA

ARGENTINA--*Reply card received from LR6 (750) "Radio Mitre", rubber stamped by Empresa Editorial Haynes Ltda, S. A. and Emisora Radio Mitre. (Ra)

COLOMBIA--*Airmail letter and salmon colored pennant received from HJCV (1200) "Radio Popular", signed by Marcos A. Torres, Administrador. (Ra) SW shows "Radio Villavicencio" as operating station HJEA on 1040 Kcs. We show the call as HJIA. Can anyone check? (SW)

VENEZUELA--*Reply card received from YVMB (800) "Ecos del Zulia", signed by Raymundo Garcia. (Ra)

PARAGUAY--*Veric letter received from ZP3. Signer is Jesus Amado Recalde, Director and the address Iturbe 326. Country #64. (CMS)

BRITISH GUIANA--*"Radio Demerara"'s new transmitter is located at Sparendam in swampy land. Uses 10 Kw., on 660 Kcs. (WRH)

ASIA

JORDAN--*Output power of the Jordan Broadcasting Service is 20 Kw. on 677 Kcs. and 5 Kw. on 1449 Kcs. (WRH)

PHILIPPINES--*DZFE (1030) has an increased schedule now on from 1600-1000 daily. (WRH)

CYPRUS--*At 2200 on March 30 the "Voice of Britain" ex Sharq-cl Adna ceased to exist as such and was taken over by the BBC as a relay station for Arabic and General Overseas Service Broadcasts. On 637 Kcs. is 2245-0110 BBC in Arabic and 0110-0300 GOS. 0500-0800 BBC Arabic and 0800-0920 GOS, finally 0000-1530 BBC Arabic. (DW)

REPORTERS

DW-DX Bulletin of Deutsche Welle, Koln, Germany.

WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.

CMS-C. M. Stanbury, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada.

SW-Bulletin of Sweden Calling DXers, Radio Sweden, Stockholm, Sweden.

FCC-Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

EJ-Everett Johnson, 504 Sixteenth Street, Mendota, Illinois.

Ra-Roger Anderson, 5700 8th Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia.

GENERAL

Ev Johnson notes that he has outstanding reports to XED, XEDM, TGW, HJAL, KEL, XEBG, CMCH, CMBK, and some others. Anyone have any more to add to his list.

Roger Anderson notes that in early May YVQC, HJKA, TIRA, Trinidad, HJED, KROW, PJC2, YNW, HOF, YVOA, TIFC, YSC, HOU, YSEB, HOJ, HJBJ; HIN, TIQ, YVMP, 4VA, and PJA5, were all quite good several nights. Roger reports his veric return to be about 63% this season from Latin American countries only.

And this just about brings to a close the DX season just past. There will be further reporting of verics received. Please check your verics and be sure to send your list to Roger Anderson if you are entered in the contest. Let us hear from you if you do any foreign tuning through the summer, and also let us know if you get any more verics. Overseas members, remember to send your reports to this section, and not to Lefty Cooper.

And with those words, we bid you so-long from Lemoyne until June 22nd, deadline June 17th at Lemoyne. 73

Despite the fact, that due to a vacation to Mexico, the April 1st standings were carried over until May 1st, entries coming in were exceedingly low. Little interest or enthusiasm has been displayed toward this year's contest. . .and I certainly am wondering if it is ALL attributed to a "poor DX Condition" season??? Certainly the CPC has lined up numerous programs for ALL Contestants and DXers to go after, yet returns coming in on this contest reflect a poor showing. Aside from a half-dozen or so contestants, little or nothing has been heard from the others. What gives fellows. . .????

Now to the standings.

ZONE 1 - E. S. T.

1. Stan Stanbury, Crystal Beach, Ont. 69 points. Add:
 KYTE WJRD 4VEC CHAB WJOE WPIE WIVV KSLR WMAF WICO CHWO WLOB CFCP WGBB WKLM
 CUNB KAIL CHIV WMAF WBSM WBEC Radio St. Pierre
2. Elbert Tewell, Carey, Ohio. 45 points. Add: None.
3. Hal Williams, Seymour, Conn. 43 points. Add:
 KUEN WCBG WPAE CHJO WBSM WKLM WIVV
4. Stan Horss, Bedford, Mass. 36 points. Add: None.
5. Milton Bay, Brooksville, Ky. 33 points. Add: None.
6. J. "Pat" Reilley, Jamestown, N. Y. 30 points. Add:
 WBBN WICO KYTE WKLM WBSM WGBB KJIM WKAZ WIVV
7. Warren Routzahn, York, Pa. 27 points. Add: None.
8. Frank Wheeler, Erie, Pa. 18 points. Add:
 WILY WSAJ CKEN WTEP WSPN WPIE WICO WBSM
9. Walt Betzendahl, Moorestown, N. J. 15 points. Add: None.
 (Listing corrected to delete WOPX KTGB WJPG which did not DX for NRC).
10. Charlie Conley, Lemoyne, Pa. 7 points. Add:
 CHAB CHWO
11. Hank Holbrook, Bethesda, Md. 6 points. Add: None.

ZONE 2 - C.S.T./M.S.T.

1. Hal Schrock, Paxton, Ill. 71 points. Add:
 CKLY 4VEC CHAB WJOE WBBN WPKO WCBG WPIE KSLR CHSB CHWO WMAF KAIL WKLM KJIM
 WIVV WBSM WLOB WBEC
2. Marv Robbins, Omaha, Nebr. 68 points. Add:
 WIMC KPEG WKAZ KJIM WAKU WELF CHWO KAIL KREX WIVV KDBM WKLM WJRD KYTE WERT
 KAMA WICO
3. Len Kruse, Dubuque, Iowa 62 points. Add:
 CHAB WBBN WICO WJRD WKLM WIVV KREX WPIE KAIL CHJO WGBB WLOB WBSM KJIM WKAZ
 WAKU WTHC KPEG WELF
4. Eva Johnson, Mendota, Ill. 50 points. Add:
 CKLY 4VEC CHAB WJOE CHIV KREX WPIE WGBB CHJO WICO KAIL WKLM KJIM WIVV WIMC
5. Maurice Nittler, Geneva, Nebr. 36 points. Add:
 CKLY KAMA WJOE WPIE WSHS KAIL WKAZ WKLM
6. Francis Nittler, Denver, Colo. 27 points. Add: None.
7. Hank Ward, Ponca City, Okla. 26 points. Add:
 WICO WKLM KREX WPIE KAIL
8. Joe Knack, Ponca City, Okla. 3 points. Add: None.

ZONE 3 - P. S. T.

1. Roy Millar, Issaquah, Wash. 43 points. Add:
 KAMA WJRD KARY WHIR CHAB KHEI KUEN CFJC KREX KJIM KRAW CHMC KPEG
2. Ted Saling, Estacada, Ore. 35 points. Add:
 KYTE CKLY KAMA CHAB KREX KUEN KDBM KRLM KPEG
3. James Critchett, San Diego, Calif. 17 points. Add:
 KLEFT CHAB CKOT KAMA KYTE KREX KUEN

That's it as of May 1st. CONTEST ENDS JUNE 1st. FINAL entires must be postmarked NO LATER than MIDNIGHT, Saturday, June 1, 1957. Hank Ward, Contest Manager.

NRC DOMESTIC DX CONTEST PRIZE LIST ANNOUNCEMENT

FIRST PLACE each division: 100 NRC Letterheads and 100 NRC Report Forms plus a certification of position in this year's contest.

SECOND PLACE each division: 100 NRC Report Forms, plus a certification of position in this year's contest.

THIRD PLACE each division: 100 NRC Letterheads, plus a certification of position in this year's contest.

Sorry for the delay in making this announcement, but Hal Wagner offered to figure out the prize list for this year's contest. . .and as we all know, Hal's job and NRC publishing chore has kept him hopping. . .so, "Thanks, Hal!"

The certificates noting prize winning spots in the contest are through the courtesy of our good friend, Charlie Conley in Lemoyne, Pennsylvania. . .and Charlie's done a beautiful job on them. I know you lucky guys that win these are going to be pleased.

1957 NRC CONVENTION NOTATIONS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

A number of you have inquired about plane and train connections to "Convention City." The Chamber of Commerce is helping me compile this information, and when it is completed, will cut a stencil noting train arrivals and departures and the same for planes and buses.

Briefly, Ponca City is served by Santa Fe R.R.; Central Airlines; and Trailways buses.

PLEASE, those of you planning on coming, PLEASE be here by late Saturday afternoon if at all possible, because that will be the evening of a big banquet and a rootin' tootin' program of fun! Don't miss it!

In response to our inquiry as to your feelings toward a \$1.00 registration fee, I want to thank all of you who took the time to write. . .and the response was overwhelmingly in FAVOR of a \$1 registration fee, per member. I wish to make that point clear. . .the registration fee is for member only. There will be NO registration fee for the member's wife or any members of his family.

Advance information from the Chamber of Commerce indicates that the Ponca Indian Pow Wow will be in full swing the last week of August and over Labor Day at White Eagle. White Eagle is just six miles from Ponca City, and if you would like to see various "Plains Indians" assembled together for their Pow Wow fun and ceremonies, plan to arrive a day or so early. . .and bring your camera.

More details about Convention plans and information later.

DISA-ABD-DATA

Haven't had a DX News Bulletin here in weeks and weeks. Last dated one is mid-March. So, can only guess at deadline dates for publishing DX News. Hope my announcement re Mexican stamps available here has gotten out to you fellows that may be interested. Not one verie in here since return from trip early in April. Correction, not one BOB DX verie. . .five TV DX veries in from hot Texas opening on 23rd of April when KOEN-TV KTBC-TV WFAA-TV KSYD-TV and KFJZ-TV were added! No verie in here from following DX specials: WPKO-KSLR WMIQ CJTB WBBB KAAA HJAL or WEND. Note several in the contest are reporting several noted as delinquent here. Well, from letters received here, I'm not the only one being skipped. Hi, Marv, enjoyed talking with you, podnuh, and sure hope Uncle Sam let's you make it here this Labor Day. Karl, believe you'll find good connections to Ponca from Kansas City. But, no definite information as yet here, C of C working on this information for me. But from K. C. we're a snap via train, plane or bus. Attention Rail Fans: Got a couple of dandy 3-D shots of a Mexican National narrow-gauge passenger outfit. As a rail-photog fan, got a real kick out of getting that baby in my view-finder! Hi. 73's. Hank Ward, Ponca City, Oklahoma

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Send All Items To; C.M.Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario
 ALL Times are EST
 920 WMLP Hancock, Mich has FC 2nd Wed 0230-0300 (NNRC)
 1330 WEBY Milton, Fla has FC 1st Wed 0130-0230

IS THIS YOUR VERIE?

President Ray Edge has received a verification from KMUL (1380) Muleshoe, Texas addressed only to the National Radio Club. If you are looking for a confirmation from this station, send Ray the date and time of your reception and if it coincides with the letter he is holding, he will send it on to you.

REALIGNMENT OF MAJOR BROADCASTING ORGANIZATION

The Storer Broadcasting Co has scrapped their North and South divisions in favor of a plan which will make the Radio and Television operations independent of each other. Storer presently own WWVA, WGBS, WJBK AM TV, WJW AM TV, WSPD AM TV, WAGA AM TV and KPTV. In addition, they have recently acquired WIBG (990) Philadelphia and WPFH (TV) in Wilmington, Delaware. They also own WBRC AM FM TV in Birmingham, Ala but have agreed to sell it as they are over the multiple ownership limit set by the Federal Communications Commission.

(Newspaper clipping from SID ROSENBAUM)

MIGHT BE OF INTEREST

If you are interested in brightening up your prepared card veries, it might be a good idea to get hold of a book entitled FUN WITH YOUR TYPEWRITER by Madge Roemer (The Falcon's Wing Press). Most important to the DXer, it shows how to make four different large fancy alphabets with an ordinary typewriter. Probably available at most book stores for a dollar.

CHUM

This station on 1050 kc in Toronto, Ontario has apparently hit a snag in their construction plans. They were scheduled to begin 24 hour operations on May 1st but still have daytime programming only. At present, they appear to be equipment testing during the evening hours. No identification has been heard however.

SILENT CALLS

A number of four letter calls beginning with K and W are assigned to ships that have transmitting equipment. The letters are used for visual signaling only but are considered as official allocations. At least two present day broadcast calls have been promoted from this category. WNXT (1260) Portsmouth, Ohio and KMAP (1490) Bakersfield, California. KMAP will be remembered for equipment testing during an NRC DX program about a year and a half ago.

CANADIAN ELECTIONS

National elections will be held on June 10th. It might pay DXers to watch for needed Canadian stations early on in the AM of June 11th.

CASUALTY

Radio Station KPLT (1490) Paris, Texas was temporarily put out of business on May 13th. On that date a tornado completely demolished their tower. And it wasn't even FRIDAY. (WXRA)

Your editor is always happy to receive suggestions. Do you have an idea for a new feature? Or a way of improving one we already have? Let me know.

73s STAN

NATIONAL RADIO CLUB
Ballot Instructions

May 18, 1957

1. Everyone receiving this sheet is entitled to vote and we earnestly hope that you do so.
2. No write in votes. If the member of your choice is not listed it is due to one of several things: The member is not in his second or more year of consecutive membership, his dues are overdue; he has asked that his name be omitted: or he is a foreign member or one in the Armed Forces who we feel could not fulfill the mailing limit set on Board members in answering Official Business.
3. Vote for up to ten candidates, no more. It is possible, especially with the newer members that you can not pick out ten members who you feel are satisfactory to serve, in that case, vote for fewer than ten. Do not cast more than one vote per candidate, even tho you have ten votes they can be used only one to a candidate.
4. For our U.S. members, an addressed postal card is enclosed for use as your ballot. We suggest you check the names on the opposite page until you get your final choice, then write them on the postal card, in this way the names will be in alphabetical order. For our foreign members, especially our many Canadian friends, we are sorry we could not furnish postal cards for you also. However, you may vote either by postal card or by encircling the names of your choice on the opposite page and mailing to Ralph B. Sperry, 576 Edison Road, Trumbull 19, Conn.
5. Deadline in Trumbull, Conn. for counting ballots will be June 24, 1957.

And there it is, later than we like but please make up for it by voting promptly.

Our appreciation to the following fine members who offered to help count the ballots this year. Miss Eva Haslam, Herb Campbell, Scooter Segraves, Ralph Johanns, Charlie Conley, Hal Williams, Ev Johnson, Joe Brauner, Bus Boatman, and Ralph Sperry, We immediately ruled out the older members who have already worked and donated their time to the club. Miss Haslam we reluctantly ruled out due to the difficulty of getting the ballots back via mail from Canada. And a toss of the coin finally decided between Bus Boatman and Ralph Sperry. Thanks to all of you for your offers.

Interesting to see how well some of you read your bulletins by the cards coming in saying I forgot to put the ballot in last issue. C'mon gang, read every word of our bulletin, you never know what you miss otherwise. For those of you not familiar with this area: normally during the spring one can work outside 3 nites out of 7, the rest of the time, rain, snow, windy or too cold. This year after the warm spell before Easter it stayed clear for 3 weeks, so I never got a bad spell to get the bulletin out. This issue is different, its pouring rain here today, May 19th, cold and windy, just a fine day to stay inside and work.

A pleasant but all too short a visit here this afternoon with our other Erie member, Frank Wheeler, wife, daughter and friend and also former member Bob Seybold of Dunkirk, N.Y. the TV DX champion. Frank said he has his sets fixed up for DX now that the season is over. And we all agreed that TV DX is opening. WBAP, Ft. Worth seen here 8:30 PM EST May 16th and Bob said all Okla. stations seen last nite, May 18th after 10 PM EST. He laid skip due to tornados and say Hank Ward, how is the Arkansas River doing? Will Ponca City be there come Labor Day? Very good article in current National Geographic on Wichita Mountains in Okla., maybe a place for us tourists to camp and spend our vacations before the convention. Dick and Peg Cooper visited on business trip on April 15th, both are fine and are grandparents twice over now. 73 Hal

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 The Club has an election each year to determine which ten of the Club members the membership wishes to have represent them on the Board of Directors. This is an important duty, for the Board determines the policy of the Club. The only other Board Member is the Executive Sec'y and he has just one vote, the same as the elected officers. Because of mailing difficulties, foreign and members in the Armed Forces are omitted from the above list but all other members who are in their second or more year of consecutive membership are listed above. We know of no more democratic way to select the Board. Please make it representative of the entire membership by YOUR VOTING NOW. Please follow directions on the other side of this page.