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## NO COMPLAINT FROM LEON

"It's a little early but here's my check for another year's dues to the National Radio Club. If all the money I spent brought me the returns this does, I would not complain!"

\*Leon S. Neblock, 863 Yates Street, Galesburg, Ill.

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

Date	Calls	kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. E. S. T.	Stations' Time
Tue. Feb. 4	KWHL	1580	Midland, Texas	1,000	2:30 - 3:00	2:30 C.S.T.
4	KHFH	1420	Sierra Vista, Arizona	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 M.S.T.
Wed. Feb. 5	WHEY	1220	Millington, Tennessee	250	3:00 - 3:30	2:00 C.S.T.
Thu. Feb. 6	WMS T	1150	Mount Sterling, Kentucky	500	2:00 - 3:00	1:00 C.S.T.
Sun. Feb. 9	KWFT	620	Wichita Falls, Texas	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00 C.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 10	KHEM	1270	Big Spring, Texas	1,000	2:00 - 3:00	1:00 C.S.T.
10	WOSC	1300	Fulton, New York	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	3:30 E.S.T.
10	KTUT	990	Tooele, Utah	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 H.S.T.
Sun. Feb. 16	KBRV	540	Soda Springs, Idaho	500	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 H.S.T.
16	WCNG	540	Canonsburg, Pennsylvania	250	5:00 - 5:30	5:00 E.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 17	KTE T	1220	Livingston, Texas	250	2:00 - 3:00	1:00 C.S.T.
17	WSYD	1300	Mount Airy, North Carolina	5000	2:00 - 4:00	2:00 E.S.T.
17	KVOE	1400	Emporia, Kansas	250	2:45 - 3:45	1:45 C.S.T.
17	KVIP	540	Redding, California	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	12:01 P.S.T.
17	WTA W	1150	College Station, Texas	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	2:30 C.S.T.
17	KPIN	1260	Casa Grande, Arizona	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 H.S.T.
17	WMLF	1230	Pineville, Kentucky	250	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 E.S.T.
17	KVE T	1300	Austin, Texas	1,000	4:30 - 5:30	3:30 C.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 24	KBBB	1600	Borger, Texas	500	2:15 - 3:15	1:15 C.S.T.
24	WNAB	1450	Bridgeport, Connecticut	250	12:05 - 5:55	12:05 E.S.T.
24	WCVC	1600	Ripon, Wisconsin	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00 C.S.T.
24	KECK	920	Odessa, Texas	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00 C.S.T.
24	CHRD	1340	Drummondville, Quebec	250	3:45 - 4:45	3:45 E.S.T.
Mon. Mar. 17	WLEO	1170	Ponce, Puerto Rico	250	3:00 - 4:00	4:00 A.S.T.

## ON N R C

Mon. Feb. 10	KPIN	1260	Casa Grande, Arizona	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 H.S.T.
Sun. Feb. 16	WLB A	1580	Gainesville, Georgia	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	3:00 E.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 17	WLA S	910	Jacksonville, N. C.	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	3:00 E.S.T.
17	KLGA	1600	Algona, Iowa	5,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30 C.S.T.
Sat. Feb. 22	WBA A	1580	Pittsfield, Illinois	250	3:30 - 4:00	2:30 C.S.T.
Mon. Feb. 24	KLU E	1300	Shreveport, Louisiana	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30 C.S.T.
Wed. Mar. 5	WTE B	1330	Owego, New York	1,000	2:00 - 2:30	2:00 E.S.T.

## BE SURE TO REPORT!

- and - Be sure to put your name and address at the top of your report;
- and - be sure to include the frequencies of the stations you refer to;
- and - be sure not to exceed 30 lines of DX NEWS print;
- and - be sure to double space your reports for the convenience of your Editor;
- and - be sure to use only our DX NEWS standard abbreviations in your script.

PLEASE  
REPORT

TO  
ALL  
DXERS.

DX NEWS  
VERIE SIGNERS

550	K R A I	Richard T. Jones, CE	L	1320	W B R T	Donald E. Allen, CE	F
	K O P R	William H. Emmerson, CE	H	1340	W I R Y	Leroy L. Fuller Jr. CE	F
560	K W T O	William Bailey, Pub D	L		K W K C	F. W. Tipton, CE	L
	W E B C	Norman P. Gill, CE	B	1350	W P F D	Marvin G. Rivenburgh, CE, A K	
600	W F S T	Elby Stevens, GM	C	1360	W M F C	Harold Harris, CE	K
	K C L S	Charles J. Saunders, O	L	1370	W S P D	William Stringfellow, CE	L
620	X E N K	Victor Blanco R., G.	L		K P O R	Donald R. Nelson, O	A
730	W P A L	Joseph Sarco	F		W I V V	David R. Crane	F
	K W G B	James Blair, O	J	1380	K M U L	Don Kemp, E	H
	W H I S	Winslow T. Porter	M	1390	K T U R	Maxon B. Sayre, CE	J
740	K C B S	A. M. Cormack, CE	H		W Q I C	Jay Gilbert, M	G
810	W I P A	Joseph H. Griscom Jr. CE	I	1400	W T H E	John K.L. Peterson	G
860	W A F M O	James Herbert, CE	M	1410	W L u A Q	Walter Baldwin, PD	J
	W E V A	Will Stone	F		W P C C	Glen French	F
900	C K B I	F. F. Rawlinson, AM	J	1440	K I L O	Arnold H. Pitrick, CE	F
	W D O T	Thomas Roane, PD	L		W Z Y X	James F. Spencer	J
910	K R I O	Maurice Cofer, CE	J		K D q N T	Harwell V. Shepard, OM	K
	K O Y N	William Banks, CE	K	1450	K W H W	Frank E. Wemberly, GM	L
920	W M P L	Fran Locatelli, CE	M	1480	W S q A R	Arnold Malloy, CE	K
950	K P R C	Leonard Pattilão, ESu	K		W L E E	Thomas J. Kita, CE	K
970	W A V E	H. B. Goltran, ACE	K	1490	W C P M	Virgil Cornett, CE	F
980	C F P L	Ward M. Cornell, FM	K		W L A U	William B. garter, CE	F
990	K A T T	Hal Briggs Jr., E	H		W S F B	Emerson W. Brown, Lic.	F
1030	K A T R	Paul H. Waller, CE	K		W K N Y	Thomas C. Durfey, CE	I
1070	W H P E	Gary C. Davis, P, CE	K		K D u R S	William O. Driskell, CE	J
1080	W E F E P	Victor Klein, CE	M	1500	K X u R X	W. H. Frost, CE	J
1220	W S H E	John Carlson, GM	DF		W L q A C	F. D. Binns, CE	J
	K T E T	William W. Coker, M	F	1570	W B U X	George Pleasants, GM	D
1260	W C O L	Tip Carpenter, CE	H		W E c E R	Joseph Terrien, CE	G
1240	W S K I	S. Marcotte, CE	F		K L L A	Byron Stokes, CE	K
1260	W M M A	James C. Hillebrand, M	G	1580	W P M P	L. Craig <del>xxx</del> Apker, SM	F
1280	C J H S	Jean Garceau, CE	F		W M D F	Peter Toomey	BFK
1290	K H S L	Boyd Crawford, EIC	K		K D S N	James A. Peterson, CE	A
1300	K L U N	C. H. Maddox, CE	M	1590	W N Y S	Luther M. Schaeffer, M	BM
	W S Y D	Robert H. Epperson, M, CE	DE		W V p N A	James Sail, M	J
	W H F T	James A. Fleming, CE	M	1600	W M C W	Richard A. Riley	CF
	W O S C	Richard Strait	D		W T R U	James R. Swanson, CE	A
1310	K W B R	Jeane K. Kellberg, PD	L		W K T X	Robert K. Lynch, M	FK
1320	W A H P	Peter Gramba, ACE	F		W I D U	Daniel F. Owen, O	K

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

Another four-verie day on Monday, 1/27, in WMTN and KLUE DXes on 1300; WMPL-920, WAMO-860 and WTEP-1080, the latter two also DX confirmations, so one more large thank-you from me for our CPC boys who are doing a swell job. Not much this week, but here is the mahoska: 1/23- Noted YVKA-330 and YVQO-750 wrestling with WSM on with bulletins on the latest revolution, with one playing, in between bulletins, Beethoven's Third Symphony, and the other, Beethoven's Fifth. Wonder if there was a low-powered one on 640 with Beethoven's Fourth, hi. 1/26- Up for Sunday s/ons, but nothing new was heard by these tired old ears, but this noted: Spanish station s/on 5:57 with "America, the Beautiful" on 620 kc/s., likely HI3T. WETB-790 s/on 6 a.m. and WKIN-1320 heard at 6:15 already on, but dominant here. WHBI's carrier was on from 6 a.m. on, preventing my trying for WDMT's announced 6:51 s/on, on 1280. 1/27- WBHC-1270 disappointed us again with the channel wide open. KDES-920 was taken out by TT and Spanish station here. I did catch one, "Radio Reloj"-1170, HJFJ per DX NEWS tip in the clear 3:33-4:15 a.m. They say Monday is the AM for New Yorkers to DX with only ANs on then WOR-710, WABC-770 and WNEW-1150. This time, though, WRCA-660, WQXR-1560, WNJR-0430, WBNX-1380, WJGA-1050 all tested, and also WINS-1010 was AN. Right, Anthony L., what a town for DXing!

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

## WATCH FOR THIS FIFTY WATTER

Carrier current station WCBJ 1555 kc in Gilberts, Illinois operates weekdays from 1700 EST to local sunset and on Saturdays from 0700 to sunset. It might PROVE VERY PROFITABLE for all DXers to keep their ears open for this rare one. BEN PATCH who rushed us this information, advises that he verified them by prepared letter and the signer was Robert L. Jones.

590 WOCM St. Johns, N.F. sked is 0500-2330 exc. Sun S/on is 0600 and they S/off Sat niye (Sun AM) at 0030 (RJ) (Ralph notes that New Foundland is still 1½ hours ahead of EST)

790 WTAR Norfolk, Va wkday S/on is 0536 (RJ)

920 WMPL Hancock, Mich wkday S/on is 0600 (RJ)

930 WWNH Rochester, N.H. S/on is 0600 (RJ)

970 WERH Hamilton, Ala wkday S/on is 0500 (RJ)

1260 WWPf Palatka, Fla has FC/M 4th Fri 0230-0245 (LSN)

1310 WSIZ Douglas, Ga wkday S/on is 0500, FC is 3rd Fri 0300-0315 (RJ)

1310 WKMH Dearborn, Mich wkday S/on is 0600 (RJ)

1330 WTRO Dyersburg, Tenn hrd on FC 1/22 (4th Wed) 0100-0145 (LSN)

1360 KRCK Ridgecrest, Cal will DX for the NRC Monday 2/24 0400-0500/

1420 WTCR Ashland, Ky wkday S/on is 0600, Sun 0700. FC is 3rd / (SR) Tue 0210-0230 (RJ)

1440 KPOK Scottsdale, Ariz wkday S/on is 0700, Sun 0900 (RJ)

1590 WNYS Salamanca, N.Y. has FC 1st Tue 0100-0115 (RJ)

1600 WCWC Ripon, Wis wkday S/on is 0700 (RJ)

## CONDITION OF THE FREQUENCIES/ADDIRIONS

560 WEBC Deluth, Minn only silent period is Sun AM 0100-0845 (RJ)

1600 KOGT Orange, Tex only silent period is Mon AM 0100-~~XXXX~~0700 (RJ)

## CORRECTIONS

1230 WKBO Harrisburg, Pa sked should read as Follows: Mon thru Fri 0600-2400, Sat 0600-0100 (Sun AM), Sun 0800-2400 (CC)

1400 KMHL Marshal, Minn not Texas (LSN)

1460 WCMB is at Harrisburg, Pa not Lemoyne (CC)

## HEARD AS LISTED/DECEMBER

Last Mon WBRN

JANUARY 2nd Mon KDJI (Wants reports) 3rd Mon WFOY KDXU KDES

2nd Wed WBLT WMPL 3rd Wed KGHM WTCB 4th Wed WIPS WJJC

1st Fri WSFB 2nd Fri WCMT 3rd Fri KDBM

3rd Sat WEMB WEVA

## HOW THEY WERE HEARD

WCLC Jamestown, Tenn good at Mendota, Ill but not so strong at Omaha with QRM from HJKN and CFRN. Fair at Huntington, W.Va and at Crystal Beach. Good at Valier, Pa.

KRNS Burns, Ore occasionally strong at Manhattan Beach, Cal with KAAA QRM at 0430. Very poor but audible XX near Huntington, not hrd at Omaha, Mendota, Valier nor Crystal Beach.

WEEP Pittsburgh, Pa good at Omaha and Mendota with occasional HJAT QRM. Good throughout the East.

WLEO Ponce, P.R. hrd only at 0435 near Huntington, W.Va. Blocked most of the time by WWVA at Mendota. Blocked entirely at Omaha, Valier and Crystal Beach. This station plans to DX again.

Sorry the Jan. 25 stencil was mailed late but flu bug has really fouled things up here. Don't forget the HOW THEY WERE HEARD poll. To date three votes have been received all strongly favoring the feature. Let's hear from a lot more of you.

NRC'S SPECIAL TESTS FOR THE COMING WEEK

(Note: The programs from KWEL-1580 for Tuesday, 2/4; WHEY-1220 for Wednesday, 2/5; and WMST-1150 for Thursday 2/5 were written up in last week's issue; Page 4.

K H F H - 1420  
SIERRA VISTA, ARIZONA  
JOHN BONNETT, MGR.  
TUE. FEB 4, 4-4:30 EST

Here is another one of radio's newest honoring the National Radio Club with a special test period. This program is on a Tuesday morning, which is all-night KSTN's silent morning, which will open up the channel for KHFH for most of us. CMCG is expected to be on, of course, but we trust KHFH will make it out nicely on this special test. Our thanks go to Mr. John Bonnett, KHFH's manager and send your DX reports to him. The station is just 11 months old. **LEW KRUSE**

K W F T - 620  
WICHITA FALLS, TEXAS  
LEWIS DICKENSHEETS, AM.  
SUN. FEB. 9, 3-4 EST

Mr. Dickensheets informs us that his Program Department is putting together an excellent program for the DXers, and that should mean fine musical numbers, and information about the city and station. The channel should be free of XENK from 3:05 on, but CKCK will most likely be operating, but still, most of us should still get KWFT very easily with their 5,000 watts. KWFT has been on since 1939, but still many DXers need them and will look forward to this show. **W. STONE**

K H E M - 1270  
BIG SPRING, TEXAS  
ACE BALL, ANNOUNCER  
MON. FEB. 10, 2-3 EST

Manager Walt Lawson has consented to this special test from KHEM, another of the newer stations on the air these days. The channel should be clear in all but the Pacific Time Zone for this program, but we are hoping KHEM will stay on, say, till 2:15 CST thereby giving the West Coasters a chance of logging their stations special test. Their kilowatt, non-directional, should therefore get out very well, and we wish you all good reception. **BILL STONE**

W O S C - 1300  
FULTON, NEW YORK  
DICK STRAIT, C.E.  
MON. FEB. 10, 3:30-4 EST

Special thanks go to Mr. Strait, for he wanted to do this test at 1:00 a.m., knowing the all-night stations on 1300 in the East are off by then, but he consented to run it at 3:30 so he could give the Western boys their chance, too. So, he is sacrificing sleep for us, and let's reward him with a bunch of fine DX reports. Their kilowatt, non-directional, should do well on this expected clear channel. Be sure to tune in, then, for WOSC's special test. **STAN MORSS**

K T U T - 990  
TOOELE, UTAH  
F.WM. HOUGHTALING, PD  
MON. FEB. 10, 4-4:30 EST

Time was when we used to hear "a repeat performance for the West Coast." This test is, though, "a repeat performance for the East Coast," since on their earlier test last November 18, DX conditions were very poor and KTUT did not get very far to the East. They would like to try again and we certainly thank Mr. Houghtaling for coming back again for us DX fans. Look for another snappy program of pop tunes, information about Tooele, and KTUT. A clear channel expected. **F. MITTLER**

\*\*\*\*\* TEN YEARS AGO IN DX NEWS \*\*\*\*\*  
Vol. 15, No. 20 Stan Morss - Bradford, Mass. 1/31/48, Page 5  
Reports to KSVK KPPL WXLT WKOX WRIB KOLE WJOC WHAV WNAO WRRR WCAL. WCRO really gave service with its varie - the day they received my report they contacted me through the Amateur Radio Net, letting me know the report was correct and a varie on the way! Other varies: WLBL-dx WITH CKCL WKOB-dx WIVA. WCAL heard at 7:15 a.m. on 1/16 equal to WJZ, for 25 minutes, then still good under WJZ till 8:00 a.m. 1/16, varies from KXXX KENT WOKZ WCON. 1/17- Varies from WLBK WRRZ. Have you stamp collectors noticed the old-style Lincoln lg government post card that WRRZ uses? I report them every time just for the card. 1/18- Reports to XERF WRET WLGR CKBW. CKBW good signal on RS here at 5:00 p.m. WLGR on early Sunday mornings before WBET "wakes up."

Ted Saling - Estacada, Oregon Page 8

Here's what's new from out this way. 1/9- KFGO (790) Fargo, N.D. ET at 3:20, 1/12 KRCT (650) Goose Creek, Tex. with a DX at 1:50. KIMO (1510) Independence, Mo. DX for both clubs 4:15-4:42. 1/15- KSYC good on DX. 1/16- CJIB (940) Vernon, B.C. on RS to 2:05 s/off. 1/20- KGIL on DX. V/ls from WFAK KIPA KFXM (now on 590) KPOF WGN KIML and cards from WING WCOH KTMS, total now 395. KIPA gives s/off as 11:05 p.m. weekdays or 4:05 EST, one hour later on Sundays. H.S.T. seems to be two hours earlier than PST as KULA announces 10:15 p.m. at 12:15 a.m. here, however, 2 1/2 hours earlier time has always brought me varies. 1/17 DX NEWS one of best as answered many questions for me.

J.B. "Pat" Reilley - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries are WFST WJQN WCLC WMCW WRAM WEZE - need just six new veries to make my 3,000th. 1/13- No KUPI because of CEPL. KLUE hard to copy as an unknown here all throughout DX, no call yet at 3:58. KWEEB DX good but an old one for me. KQDY DX OK for new call, 16° at 2:15 a.m., 89° in sun at 1:30 p.m. here. 1/14- WIRJ, 740, f/c at 2:40. WGR, 550, not on today. Too noisy to DX. 1/15- WMDP, 1580, ET again at 2:38. Unknown TT on 1360 while WGMJ tested, their 250 watt auxiliary transmitter and off at 3:00, no voice yet at 3:25, very noisy again today. 1/16- XEGE, 1570, caught at 2:08 with "Blue Suede Shoes" but never can catch enough through XERF for good report. WCRY, 900, ET at 2:28 for second report, never verified Nov. 8th report. WKIS, 740, test at 3:20. WEEB, 790 f/c at 3:48. 1/17- Unknown TT atop WAKR on 1590 at 2:10. WMDP, 1580, ET at 2:24. WPRO, 630, test at 2:28. Carriers and tone on 790 at 2:40, 730 at 2:50, 1270 at 3:04, 1330 at 3:15, 1280 at 3:32, 1570 at 3:50, 630 at 4:01 but no voice used at all. 1/18- Ten inches of snow and still coming down. KLCN, 910, test at 2:34. A WMN-? call testing behind WGMJ at 2:09. WJAT, 800, test at 2:45. 730 had unknown on at 3:20 to 3:34 fade out with piano music but no voice heard. WVPO-DX hard to copy behind WHAS carrier. WMMS DX copied 3:45 to s/off, two new calls for me but never a peep out of KDDD DX as it was very noisy and bad buzzing today.

William J. Prater "The Hillbilly DXer" - Grimsley, Tennessee

So far in January I've got reports off to the following: 1/3- WTHE-1400 (ex-WJAN) on 24 hour sked. 1/3- XEP-1300 at 1:47 with lots of Rock 'n' Roll. WEEP-dx on 1080 was logged on my car radio outside of WCLC's studios. WDBM 550 heard good from 5:03 s/on to 5:21 a.m. 1/10- WAWK 1570 f/c-TT under XERF at 12:00 to 12:15. WBCA 1150 ET 1:44 to 1:58 s/off for a second report. TGTO "Radio International" 810 heard with a strong signal from 2:09 to 2:41 s/off. WMDP 1580 Mt. Dora, Fla. ET 2:54. WQIC 1390 on RS from 5:30 to 6:12 p.m. 1/13- KLUE 1300 on DX with plenty of WSYD QFM. KQDY 1320 DX heard much better on my car radio than the ten tube Spartan. 1/16- WSUZ f/c-TT under CKLW/XELO from 12:05 to 12:16. Reports also to XEWB 760 and XEWK 1190. Veries now total 3,248 with new ones in from WQIC-1390, WAWK-1570, WTHE-1400 (stated mine was first report under new call) WEZY-1480, HJCN-1100 (nice picture card) WAMP-1320, XEGE-1570, WHEY-1220, WTLB-1310-dx, WEER-1570, WBCA-1150, WMMA-1260, XERC-790, KSPL-1260-dx and WQUB-1590. '73. (Thanks for the swell WCLC verie, Bill -Ed.)

Bill Stone - Apt. 112 - 540 Dundas Street East - Toronto 2, Ontario

18th, letter in from D.C. Trowell, Mgr. of CEPL, impossible to stand by on any Monday AM, commercial commitments 12:00-6:00 a.m. Reason reply not received before, gave it to CE to answer, CE was called out of town for four days, so it sat on his desk. Was up for DXes on Monday 13th, KWEEB in OK, KQDY just didn't make it, Ed Hill says he got 'em OK, the complete DX of KLUE was covered by TT here, odd announcement heard. WONG didn't even raise a note on BFO, Ed Hill says same, likely not on. Returned to work 13th, bed at 7 p.m. now, pooped. Infected right sinuses and lobar pneumonia has taken the stuffing right out. Had a relapse on 12th, so unable to DX that AM. Was up for DX programs of WMS KDDD and WVPO, on latter heard occasional words only, WHAS had carrier on, rest, not a word. Veries coming in steadily - watch out, Ray, I'm closing the gap, now at 2,003 level, latest are: WIRY WEAW WATS WAMP KRNY CJMS WJPG WEVA WPCC WIVV WLAU WCPM WSEB WSRC WPAL WDXB WEIR WKTF WOPA WCKA WEBY WHEY WVKO WHOW WHIY WISO, 36 in so far this month, What's that Pat? Yeah, 36. Comment - there's plenty fishy on the air this year so far, must be an influx on illegal stations - letters in this week, WFLN, from Frederick Chassey CE, says transmitter is not completed yet on 1/5, at S-6 level my log reads 4:32:45. Recording on tape, lady singing SI, WFLN Radio. WKTX-1300, 1/8 2:30 a.m., announcer gave call WKTX, Atlantic Beach, Fla. again at 3:04, again at 3:18 but letter from manager says "we were not on air." Card from CE of WCEN, who is evidently running job on WWJR 1590 - we're a-building yet, cannot verify, yet three different times I have heard the call, and never at less than S-6 level. Letter from WBCB 1490, Mr. Waterbury, TD says carrier not turned on till 7:30 a.m. on 5th (aid I did it) yet from 5:40-5:57 I heard a program of martial music, and at 5:53, music cut off, and male announcer said, "WBCB testing." The pay off came in yesterday from WDEF 1460, C. Provost, CE, "We were not on the air at time you say you heard us", yet at 12:42 a.m. 30/12 solid S-9 signal, log says, "WDMF and WDMF-FM has conducted test" and CE says, we have no FM. Incidentally my hearing is 20/20, Vets Hospital, January 7. I just don't get it. I got verie in from KPOR, Quincy, Wash. yesterday - I s'ent 'em thank-you!)

Grant Batson - Sherman Road - Route 1 - Westfield, New York

Another report as I think I should endeavor to try to keep ahead of DX doings. 1/17- WMDP ET on 1580 kc/s. for a brand new station Q4 R9 plus, over XEDM 1:35-2:15 a.m. 18 th- WNIL f/c-TT on 1290 kc/s. with AN KOIL and Canadian on, 2:15-2:30 a.m. They check frequency with a radio monitoring of Kansas City, per verie, also WMMMS Bath Me. on for NNRC 3:40-4 a.m. on my old GE set. Same date, KDDD Dumas Tex. on 800 kc/s. 3:30-4:05 a.m., plenty of static. Sunday DX, WKTF Warrenton, Va. 6:35-7 a.m., quite clear. 1/20 DX KGRN DX really tough to pull in here, due to low or high pressure spots 3-3:30 a.m., reckon Bob was on as I heard, "Thanks, Bob" by the MC. KBMO DX on 1290 kc/s. better but again QRM bothered 3:30-4 a.m. WINE DX of course was Q5, 40 dbS over S9 as this is a good day local 4-4:30 a.m. and WSIZ DX on 1310 kc/s. met WCAM and WRR with a fair signal, some nice country music heard plus IDs and lastly, Jan. 22 with WCPC Houston, Miss. f/c and march music 1:45-2 a.m. Veries, a few, KPOR KSPL WRAM WTRA WTRU WNIL (four days). About the CKRS DX, where were you, Lefty? I heard him here, station breaks plenty but music was all French. Of that TV I mentioned here, Sunday 1/11 10:05 -11 a.m., CKLW on Ch. 9 was very clear here, audio 100% and video about 90%. Never had him before or since, used the Erie antenna. For SW fans here is a nice program. ELWA Monrovia, Liberia West Africa has an all request program every Tuesday night 6:15-7:45 p.m. on 19 meters, 15/2 mg/s. and at 8 p.m. a repeat, same program on 13 meters, 21.504 mg/s, usually an S9 plus, heard mine plus a nice plug for the NRC too, hi. Been hearing about those WPKO veries, I reported Oct. 29 and received my QSL Nov. 2, how's that? Maybe I was just lucky. Delinquent here are KSLR HJAL KORC KEVE, these from last year's DX. KQDY DX heard good here on Jan. 13. Wonder if KMNS will verify? Today there are 42 reports still out, Pat hasn't anything on ne. About those thanks cards, several replies sent back here showing appreciation of this expressing hope I may fare better another time (pays off). Sure was good to see my 1948 report of ten years ago, DX different then. Notice reports and number of QSLs. More another time.

Ens. Peter V. Taylor - USCGC Winnebago (WPG-40) c/o FPO, San Francisco, California

If I have done what I think I have done, then I deserve the bungle medal for the year. Got a letter back postmarked "Khartoum, Sudan" (no stamps, they used a meter) so I thought "Hot dog, here's my Sudan verie." Sure it was; they replied, saying it was the "Sudan Corner" program broadcast by "Radio Cairo." They went further on, saying to try to hear them on 574,998 kc/s. or 521.74 meters, which is the frequency I tape recorded. So apparently I sent the Cairo tapes to Sudan, and the Sudan tape to Cairo. This naturally, irks me. Some veries in, including KUBU (could do) 1590 and HJKC 4AY. Really pleased (?) to read about KPOA's CP for 10 kw. on 650. Have a new apartment and a new one block from KHON. A lot of trouble verifying AFRS-FEN stations, so recent f/ups to KMTH, FEN-650 Okinawa, AFKN-560 Seoul, AFKN-1400 Kumaree, AFKN-1250 Pusan, and AFRS-1560 Taipei. Maybe there's more to this inter-service rivalry than I thought! Other recent f/ups to WHIN KIMN KXXX KRAI KFQD KOBV WHYV WVNJ KIPA. Hank Wilkinson, this latter should answer your question on KIPA's attitude toward reception reports! A less efficient antenna has been hooked up to the ship's radios while we are in drydock, so was able to read both KTOH-1490 and KANI-1240 with no trouble the other day. Looks like my good Army friend John A. Callarman is getting considerably ahead. I guess I shall hop up one of these mornings, fight the images, and try for Johnston Island on 1250 kc/s., as it is about 500 miles south of here. In the meantime I shall be looking forward to a letter from "Radio Cairo" saying, "We are extremely sorry to tell you that what you heard was "Radio Sudan." Any rules about mounting Egypt as verified? After all, not many people have Egypt verified by the Sudan Broadcasting Service! 73s.

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

Only one verie the past week, from KSPL. Following are some of the loggings made here: 1/18- 3:30-4:15 KDDD DX for NNRC. Other NNRC DXes not heard here. 4:25-4:30, French Canadian on 1280 kc/s. 4:32-4:40 WEVA f/c on 860. 1/19- 1570, WTAY f/c way on top of XERF. 7:19-7:30 1600, WARU badly QRMd. 1/20- Batted 1,000 on DXes this AM. KGRN heard very well here, being in the clear. KBMO was fair but with KOIL QRM. WINE gave KRLD a real battle for a while before fading. WIRJ and WBAW, the two NNRC DXes also heard, the former, not needed. WSIZ was rough with plenty of QRM before WDOD s/on ruined all. 1/21- 1420, WTCR ET with strong signal promising veries on reports. 1/22- No DX this AM. I hope this snow we had will improve DX CX here. More later, till then 73.

IS THERE A REPORT FROM YOU IN THIS ISSUE? IF NOT, WILL THERE BE ONE FOR NEXT WEEK'S?



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

1/17- Annual report to CMCH 1:55-2 a.m., plenty of ads. WHEM AM show 2:30 a.m. KGHI over WEMP at 3 with TT in background. 1578, still at it. XET 990 3:30 a.m. 1/18- KLCN on 910 on most of AM testing. WCOG-1320 test 2:42 a.m. WJAT test 800 at 3:12. KDDD 800 MHRC DX weak. XET 990 still at it after 4 a.m. Spanish under CJMS all AM to after 4. Veries, WBUX WNYS WHHY and KPOR for the DX which I didn't hear, so varie sent back with a note of explanation, also letter from WLEO thanking me for thank you note. Another of same from KSPL. 1/18, p.m., WMNA 5:16-5:29 p.m. when a religious broadcast took over to 5:38, then WFMV, all 730. Hal Wagner, I've got a barrel of hard cider in my cold storage, so don't give Dr. Pepper all the credit. 1/19- KJLT f/c 970 1:21-1:35 a.m. WQXI 790 s/off 2 a.m. followed by CKSO 2:01 a.m. WHUC 1230 s/on 5:59 a.m. WTND RS 920 at 6. WEAG 1470 6:09. WKIN 1320 s/on 6:15. CMDD (?) 1200 RS 6320, slogan, "Radio Oriente". Parked on 1280 hoping for WRSA. 6:47, WIEB s/on. 6:58, WYVE on top. 7:00, WGBF s/on and dominant to 7:23 when WMNF s/on. WHEM s/on at 7:29 finished any chance at WRSA. WAAB s/on 1440 at 7:30. 1/20- KIKS 1310 f/c, not good enough for a report. HJTX 1170, "Radio Reloj" 2:26 a.m. TT on 1590 2:39, no ID. KGRN 1110 very weak, just barely heard at start of show. Am sure glad I already had them verified as I couldn't copy enough for a report. KBMO 1290 3:29-4 tough first half, but a cinch after 3:42. WINE 1080 4:02, QRM by KRLD. WSIZ 1310 fair to weak under the old block-buster WCAI, no sign of WTIK who were on early last week. 1/21- WCFR, ex-WNLX RS 6:53 a.m., about equal to WSAR here. Veries, KPOK with note mentioning that Dick Gilbert was the same one I used to hear on WHN; WSYD, WSME, WTRA and WRAM. WTRA and WSYD verified by card, also a second verification, WNYS. 1/22- WDXR 1560 RS 1:57. WJJC 1270 r/c for a new one, WTAL QRM. WJAK 1460 musical test at 2:51. Portuguese 1578 as usual WHVH TT 1450 at 3:41. WWNH 930 DX for NNRC 4:00. WOKY giving a plug for Bartell stations WOKY WILD WYDE WAKE KCBQ and now awaiting FCC approval San Francisco, too.

Pfc John A Callaman - US-56262551 c/o PIO list Bat Gp., 87th Inf., APO 132, NY, NY.  
 Week's highlight was 31st country verified - QSL card in from Linz I, Austria (1025) on 1/17 for report of 10/23. Other veries from Stavenger (1313) and Kristiansand (890) both Norway, and KVEL, Vernal, Utah (1340). KVEL varie dated Dec. 5, 1957, verifying report of April 16, 1956, and bore postmarks of Vernal, Corvallis, Ore., and Canyon, Texas, hi! Other mail included letter in German from Staatliches Rundfunkkomitee, East Berlin, denying any knowledge of the clandestine Deutsches Freiheitssender-804, the East German equivalent of "Radio Free Europe" ha ha ha! To show the vagaries of the Army mail system: Second half of Weyrich Log arrived 1/15, to date (1/21) first half has not yet arrived. I'm still getting Christmas cards, plus this: Most of time, air mail takes four to five days from States. But air mail special delivery from Canyon concerning a basketball player I'm trying to proselyte took seven days. Have received 12/16 and 12/23 issues of "Broadcasting" magazine, but 12/9 issue has not yet arrived. No new reports this week, as I ran out of IRCs and money at the same time. A few f/ups with PP cards will be sent out immediately after payday. As I write this, have one day less than three months remaining in Germany. 73 and best DX to the entire gang.

Sid Steele - Route 4 - Charleston, Illinois

Even though I have not reported this season to DX NEWS doesn't mean that I haven't been busy at the dials. Thus far 83 reports have gone out to new stations with veries back from 49 of them to boost my grand total to 2,447, so I am really out to make that 2,500 mark by the end of the season. Over a third of the new loggings are a result of the DX Specials. I was especially happy to log CFGR KIYI WEWO KSPI and many of the others. CFGR had a surprisingly strong signal here. On 12/8 I logged and have since verified a new country, namely Trinidad with the logging of "Radio Trinidad" on 730 kc/s. on Sunday s/on at 5. For the most part they were louder than CKDM. Some of my more recent loggings are as follows: 1/2- WHYE-910 s/on at 5; WKAY-1490 f/c off at 5:15, WWEB s/on at 5:30. 1/3- Found WDOL-1470 with TT 12:30-1; WAVP-1390 TT 1:40-1:45; WMEG-920 TT off shortly after 1:45. 1/3- WCLC on DX, but not new and WEEP on DX for new call. On 1/2 sent report to CKRS for 590 logging, but heard no positive ID; just a chance it was they. 1/15, DXes from KLUE KWEB and KQDY all well received, but nothing on WONG KUPI. 1/13, WRAJ finally logged at twilight after WPRS s/off. WRAJ off at 6 p.m. 1/15, WAMP 1320 logged in evening for new call and 1/17 KEEL-710 logged at twilight for new call. 1/18, WNIL-1290 f/c 2:15. CKSL-1290 RS 2:45-3. No KOIL this Saturday AM. Then WVPO-840 logged with lots of difficulty due to WHAS carrier for a very welcome new one. The 1/20 was another banner AM with five new loggings, namely KGRN KBMO WINE WSIZ WBAW. KGRN was surprisingly weak and got a neager log, but others were easy.

Mike Ferguson - 3337 Prospect Avenue - Houston 4, Texas

DX has been very much on the upsurge here lately, despite not-too-favorable WX CX and impending final examinations! These exams will complete the course work portion of my master's degree, though the thesis is far from completion. 1/13- KWEB and KNUB on Specials, KSVC on f/c or ET. 1/18- KRAC and KVFC as scheduled, KDDD potent on NNRC test. WALS-730 heard in brief spurts, positively identified but couldn't catch the record titles due to rugged atmospheric noise. This represents the first Maine reception here in almost eight years of dial-twisting. I don't recall ever hearing a Maine station from Ohio; either, though of course I didn't know about the NRC at that time. 1/20- KGRN on for NRC with Bob Gorsuch and a real party line-type DX confab. Very enjoyable. KBMO apparently was the fellow testing far behind KOIL. WINE-1080 snatched in behind KRLD, and that was tedious listening, trying to decipher WINE's signal from under such longhair selections as "Bolero" and Tchaikowsky's Fifth. WBAW-dx was next, then WSIZ-dx became my 1,200th heard station. Also noted WTIK-1310, WWBD-790 and Trinidad's pair of powerhouses, 730 and 610. Aruba seemed to s/on 655 before 5:30 EST. Panamanian strong on 1015. Did anybody ever decide who was the LA on 1170 1/20? Bill Prater mentioned it during his call to KGRN. 73. (See Stan Mossi report on P. 7 -Ed.)

Leo A. Shelly - 26 Philip Street - St. Catherines, Ontario

Please don't keel over when you get this note from me - it must be a long time since I've written for "Musings." Enjoy the letters of the other members very much, although I haven't DXed myself for the past three or four seasons. Just can't drag myself out of bed at that time in the morning - getting old, I guess! The Stamp Bureau is still functioning although I've had to stall some off for a while, for a new supply of Cubans and Mexicans. Hope my new sources of supply will stick with me for a while this time. I took over as Commanding Officer of our local Air Cadet Squadron some time ago (that is equivalent to your Junior Air Patrol boys), and trying to look after 115 boys between the ages of 14 and 18 years takes a good deal of my time, too. Am still very much interested in the stations, though, and try to keep my perpetual listing of all North American broadcasting stations up to date - with the help of DX NEWS. If there are some of the old timers who can help with the older stations' records, I'd appreciate hearing from them. Am interested in the stations' call letters, the first year they went on the air, and the power; their last year on and the closing power; and changes of call letters, locations, etc. with the years. Two stations I am particularly interested in tracing are KIAF, Sihtipoc, Minn., and WBAR, Sisiht, Wis. Although listed in several different old radio logs, I fail to find a record of any towns by those names. Be seeing you again sometime, and lots of luck to everyone. (Please do write in soon again, Leo, and do you have stamps for Venezuela/Colombia/Costa Rica?-Ed.)

Edley Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City, 20, Oklahoma

Had another fine DX morning thanks to the swell CPC programs. All Specials were logged both NRC and NNRC. CX here were fine for DX with some snow. Heard this AM were the following: 1/20/58: KGRN 1410 DX show; wish it would have been possible to hear it all. KBMO-dx 1290 was fair under KOIL, KLAN 910 AN, another log on this one, 3:30-4:00 a.m. WIRJ-740 NNRC DX good. WINE-1080 DX very difficult under KRLD which stayed on AM and played long classical pieces during WINE DX. Did get a little. WSIZ-dx very good. They must have read everyone's name. WBAW 740 NNRC DX very good; signed off ten minutes early. WDBM 550 fair with WSVA on RS 5-5:15 a.m. WCRK 1150 at 5 a.m. s/on good, WTRU 1600 OK 5:30-5:45 a.m. A tentative hearing of WVPO on its NNRC DX. Two stations on 840 here other than WHAS' carrier. KDDD 800 was good that same AM, 1/18. Verie in from: KRNS-dx, WCLC, thanks, Bill, for fine verie, KSTR, WRAM-dx KCHH CFCJ-TV KPOR-dx WEZY KDJL NSPL-dx WCRI and KPSO. KPSO quite colorful letterhead. That's it from Okie City. Hope your DX is great wherever your location is!

Frank Wheeler - Box 176 - R.D. 5 - Erie, Pennsylvania

Thought I'd send in a little report. Of the Specials I've received the following of them, all new except WINE: WKLX WCLC WEEP KBHS KWEB KBMO and WSIZ. The others I didn't receive on account of too much interference except for WCNG and CKRS, which I had forgotten, even though I received the information about them in plenty of time. Other new ones for me were: WJJC CFRS WFAX WIMS. My total is now 2,045 received and 1,267 verified. 73s:

Dick Northrup - 507 1/2 Kimball Road - Iowa City, Iowa

Verie in from WCWC, 1600 kc/s., Ripon, Wisc. and say they will run a DX Special for both clubs on February 24 from 3-4 a.m. EST. Reports should go to Gordon Alsum, C.E.



Leon S. Neblock - 863 Yates Street - Galesburg, Illinois

Not too much this time, but a report none the less. Jan. 17- KBUR-1490 r/c 1:05-1:15. WNGO-1320 ET tone and counting 1-2-3-4 1:20-1:30 through WILS. WCOJ 1420 ET for second night 2:24 to s/off 2:30. WEAG 1470 ET, s/off 2:37, s/on 6 a.m. Jan. 17- 1010 TT 2:45-3:00, no ID. Also 1290, same deal 3:25-3:40. Jan. 19- KJLT 970 f/c 1:30-1:35 in here S-9 for a change as he is usually S-4. KTBC 590 RS 1:40-2:05 s/off, s/on 7:00, first time heard here. Jan. 21- Snow and more snow. KOFO-1220 TT and music for a new one 1:30-1:35. WPRC-1360 RS 1:30-3 p.m. Jan. 22- WKLX-1410 r/c 1:00-1:15. Reports to contrary, WKLX is still fourth Wednesday as Ben Patch lists. WTRO 1330 r/c 1:17-1:45, new. Jan. 22- WPCP-1320 r/c 1:45-2, S-9 all the way; s/on 6 a.m. WJJC 1270 r/c 2:00-2:15, S-9 until 2:05 when WTAL came on with 5 kw. WTAL 1270 f/c and ET, tone on f/c, music on ET, 2:05-2:45. Jan. 23- 620, TT, no ID, 1:45-2. 1/24- 1460 tester bucking WAIL, never heard ID. WAIL signed off at 2:00. WWFF-1260 f/c 2:30-2:45, hard to get with WNDR banging away.

Ralph Johans - 72 East Genesee Street - Buffalo 3, New York

V/l's by WMDP (1580) P.O. Box 591, tested first 1/10 and opened RS on 1/20. WCC (590) P.O. Box 920, started in 1936 with two previous years of 40 watt experimental broadcasting, their time is 1½ hours ahead of EST and the transmitter is four miles from studio. Their Special DX was tougher through WEEI than WMDP through WWRL. WIEBC (560) has logs back to 1922 but 1924 was official date, moved from 1320 kc/s. in 1954, they f/c themselves, Sunday AM only silent. WTCR (1420) Box 848, also send an OK v/c, has no pop music, 5½ miles from Ashland is transmitter and studio, the other studio in Huntington, W.Va. WNYS (1590) gets a lot of CHVC (1600) slapover here, Catawagus Broadcasting Service, 91 Main Street, has f/c first Tuesday, s/on 7 a.m., in March; 6:30 a.m. WWHK (930) has Seacoast studio, also in Portsmouth, Pease AF Base, Wolfboro and in Center/Ossipee, N.H. and can drop instantly to 1 kw. from 5 kw., also has Comelrad, only does Proof of Performance Tests with one soon coming up starting after midnight, s/on always 6 a.m., also when on EDT. WSIZ (1310) P.O. Box 202 has f/c second Friday. WCCN (1370) call stands for: Wisconsin, Clark, County, Neillsville. WAMO (860) call letters mean W-Allegheny, Monongahela, Ohio, a colorful letterhead. WCWC (1600) Charles K. Heath, PD and AE mentions coming Special 2/24 for NNRC/NRC, has minimum radiation at 87 and 173°, major at 310. KPOK (1440) with CE office at KPOK Building, has no r/c, went to 5 kw. 9/17/57. Canadian D of T now gives CEGP (1050) 10 kw. DA-1; CKX (1150) 2940 Victoria Ave., 5 kw. D, 1 kw. N. Heard KQDY Special mention a phone call from Illinois; took KOGT (1600) through WWRL's yak-yak 2/22, then WTAL (1270) being, also WIPS (1250) r/c through WCAE and CHWO, they both s, off at 1 a.m. WJJC (1270) r/TT /c, also WKLX (1440) as listed, he evidently made mistake in v/l saying the third Wednesday, but meaning fourth. Lefty, CKLC (1380) was still going that AM and Stan, WBNY (1400) runs Saturday's programs through till 2 a.m. Sunday for past 14 years. So long till after Ground Hog Day.

Hank Wilkinson - 6320 Beaman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

First, I've read several times about the new "Spanish Report" form that was made up by Jack Hathaway but the question is: Where can a fellow buy them and how much? Sure would like to know. My present form isn't doing too well this season. Secondly, I have nothing but praise for the new edition of "Broadcasting Stations of the World", Part 11." The best they have put out yet. On the past two Monday mornings (January 13 and 20) I've gotten good loggings on six new Central American stations never heard here before. On 1/13 I picked up TGAF, "Radio Indiana" at 6:07 to 6:35. TIQ, 1175 kc/s., from 6:55 (s/on) to 7:04. YNW, 935 kc/s., from 7:23 to 7:34, and TGK, "Radio Novidades" 1085 kc/s., from 7:42 to 7:50. On 1/20 I logged HOJ, 1125 kc/s., "Radio Provincias", from 6:10 to 6:31 and YSEB, 1075 kc/s., from 6:59 s/on to 7:31. TGAF is listed on 1060 but he is closer to 1065 kc/s. Please note times heard. On the two mornings it was very clear here and sunrise was also clear and bright. (Is this PST, Hank? -Ed.) Just listening at the right time, I suppose. I now believe that my "mystery" on 995-995 kc/s in the evenings (Sunday) and on several mornings at 6:00 is YSDF. Not positive, however, as TIEC is also on at that time. Trans-Pacific stations are at a premium right now. I hope that area "opens" up soon. Haven't heard a good signal from Down Under since early last September. Say, Roy, watch that fella, Clarence Freeman. He's out to grab that first place certificate out here. Next season I have plans for two 60' antenna poles. They cost \$110 each. I guess the Dodgers will stay after all, Lefty. Best of DX to everyone. I hope the WX gets back to normal for you fellas in the Mis-West and East. 73. (Keep the Dodgers, Hank; I hate to watch old men go down hill, hi -Ed.)

Jim Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California

Between January 8th and 21st reports have gone out to 980 KUPI-dx, weak signal and program; 980 KSVQ for test during part of the KUPI-dx, and to 1300 KLUE-dx, all on 1/13. This past weekend reports were sent to 800 KDDD NNRC-dx, 740 WIRJ and WBAW for NNRC DXes, and 1450 KDXU for listed f/c on third Monday, though they weren't on at that time during November and December. Back to January 12, 590 KFXM decided to run AN, so all I heard was an ID from KNHS, so sent a thank-you card. On 1/13 I did not hear KWEB KQDY nor WONG. Might have heard a whisper from 840 WVPO for NNRC 1/18, but on 1/20 CFUN covered 1410 and KGRN; KOIL was all I heard on 1290; KRLD was on AN so no WINE, and KWBR is AN Mondays now, so no WSIZ. So three for the NNRC and three for the NRC DXes the past two weeks; only KDES next week. The CE's got busy after Christmas, and I received the following: 550 KQPR, 740 KCBS and WKIS-QSL, 990 KATT; 1130 CKVX and their magazine; 1350 KENS and WCOL; 1380 KMUL; 1420 K000 (thanks, Phil); 1440 KTEM and WZYX 1470 KPLC and 1550 KOBY. Signers not published recently are on a separate sheet. I hope all members getting veries will do the same. Other DX notes of possible use to members: 590 KFXM is off Mondays; 1360 KRUX same (nobody nearby on 1340 AN, now). 600 KR0D was not on listed f/c third Saturday; is that time EST or CST? Please check. Moved the TV lead-in, and installed an East-West wire in the attic; now the TV antenna gives the best signal strength all over the dial. Anybody ever DX with a Stromberg Carlson receiver? Are they good? Still looking for an excellent DX receiver on AM, with FM, and good tone; any comments gladly received. Happy Lincoln's Day to all. 73.

Francis H. Nittler - 2305 South Lincoln Street - Denver 10, Colorado

DX CX continue to be poor here so not too much to report. On 1/15 KET (990) noted with what sounded like AN snow and noticed couple of other mornings so report sent. On 1/19 sent report to WCAL (770) Northfield, Minn. for 7:00 s/on although not a new one. On 1/20 had only fair luck with the DXes. KGRN heard here most of the way for a welcome catch but KOIL took over the second half of the program. Only other new one was WIRJ (740) DX for NNRC in fairly well here. No chance for WSIZ here with regular AN WRR heard plus believe KWBR and KLIX both with new AN shows. On 1/21 reports sent to KWGB KSMO KEEJ WSPD KWKC and on 1/23 KOLT and KCHJ for another try. None of these new though. Veries still coming in well with 13 in this week. These included WZYX-dx KSOL-dx WBAW-dx CKBI (900) WLAC (1510) KXRX (1500) KDRS (1490) WLAQ (1410) KURA (1450) WVNA (1590) KRIO (910) KTUR (1390) and KWGB (730). Ben, this gives me 1,347. Local K DEN (1340) has extended their s/off from 2:10 to 4:00 a.m. EST. Also KOA from 2:00 to 3:00 EST. KVOD still not back on AN on 630 though. Up listening for a while this morning (24th) as didn't get home until after midnight but nothing heard to report. I did notice KMG off AN sked but with poor reception only thing heard was KLEO testing there. Also noted KSVP (990) on with MD auction but not needed. Finally got some winter WX here but hasn't helped reception so far. Heard KQUE (920) Albuquerque announcing this morning that they are back on with their AN snow every morning so hope they don't bother too many on the KDES-dx. I am looking forward to hearing Raleigh and his laughter on this show and would sure like to add WBHC too. By the way no WINE heard either Monday as KRLD showed up with AN show. Also believe another new ANer is KRBC (1470) A ilene and KWKC (1340) in same city is definitely AN now. Best of DX all.

Bill Dicklund - 54 Pine Street South - Port Hope, Ontario

This is unusual for me to have two reports in two weeks but DX has been great during the past week. DX by date: 16/1- CHOV-1350 s/off at 12:09 through QRM from CKLB. 18/1 Brought in two of three NNRC Specials namely WMMS and WVPO also on the same morning heard CJOB through CHLQ on 680; f/c of WEVA and WEMB as listed; also heard and logged was WEAN at 5 a.m. s/on. 20/1- Logged KGRN-dx with a very weak signal, also WINE, KBMO and WIRJ. I felt sick so I went to bed and missed WSIZ and WBAW-dx, also 20/1 WGN1-1340 at midnight s/off. 22/1, f/c of WIPS also DX of WWNH with an S-9 signal, WPVA-1390 with 5 a.m. s/on, at last I heard WBNY-1400 at 8:30 a.m. through CKRH; WBEA-1370 from 11:02 to 11:32 p.m. through WSAY, two New Hampshire stations for me, not bad for one day. 23/1- KARK-920 at s/off 12:11 a.m. and WTTM at s/off 12:08 a.m. on 920 kc/s. On Jan 22 I was out to Peterborough with the Rover Scouts and toured CHEX radio and TV. I asked when they were changing to 980 kc/s. and no one knew, so the next day I listened to the news on CHEX and they said they will change to 980 kc/s. with 5,000 watts around the middle of February. Veries are in from WHPA CHOV KLEK WICW and WRAM. I now have 28 reports out. JGH A non-member although interested says that WEMD 930 s/on is 4:52 a.m. Every report to DX NEWS I forget to thank Ken Borien and Mark Ward for their support to Carroll Weyrich in getting out his wonderful radio log which is more to me than just another log, thanks, gents! For now, 73s.

Ben A. Patch - 2760 Deerfield Road - Deerfield, Illinois

Lots of DX to report this time, starting from 1/9 when I logged WIDU. Due to poor logging I tried for the next two AMs for a better log. Did not hear them again but while trying on 1/11 ran into another ET from WKTX in Atlantic Beach, Fla. which was using tone to 12:35. That followed with a test from WMOF 1580 Mount Dora, Fla. to 2:25 s/off. Also on ET at 1:45 was WGEE 1590 and did I hear an ID from WCBG 1590 at 1:45 also? KVIM 1360 ET @ 4:30-5, and AN WLEE and WSAR 1480 logged. Is KANS off AN sked now? Not heard for several days. WMFC logged at 4:53 p.m., on 1360, and took a log on KPRC-950 at 9:20. Sunday 1/12 WFPD 1350 @ 5 s/on and that night caught closing of KBRZ 1460 @ 6:45 followed by 930 KITE s/off @ 7. Sent report to KBRZ only. The big DX AM of 1/13 was very poor here but did log KLUE-dx with QRM from tester. Didn't need KQDY or KWEB. WCNG did not seem to be on and KUPI blocked by stronger than usual CFPL. Logged CFPL though. WDSU 1280 @ 3 s/off, and WEAN 790 @ 5 s/on. Morning was quite peculiar with North Eastern stations in strong. Next session was 1/14 for WAMO-dx. Heard here but unloggable. 1/18 DX session which I have been waiting for with hope and anxiety was a complete bust. Slept through the alarm clock rings. Saturday night though I hit a corker! Believe it or not a bootlegger! At least it sounded that way. The station operates supposedly on 1570 kc/s. and announces as WTDJ with studios, transmitter and antenna located a mile East of Gilberts, Ill. on Highway 72. Carried commercials for Dundee National Bank so I sent a prepared letter there. Actually they were on 1555 kc/s. with heterodynes on CBE and WQXR from them. Also heard on Sunday afternoon and evening 2-7 p.m. Eastern reception was a surprise as WEOL 930 rolled in at 7 and WAVE 970 strong at 8. KSCM 1360 also logged. Got all set for the big AM of 1/20 and started off with KBMO DX weak behind KOIL. Next heard was a short test and close of KZEY 690 in Tyler, Tex. on ET. CX were not good this morning either with a strong hiss all over the dial. Nothing from the West in at all. KRLD messed up the WINE DX with a special airport opening for American Airlines. WSIZ-dx in on top of 1310 till WTIK took 'em out at 4:58. Regular s/ons of WDOL 1470 @ 5, WPON 1460 @ 5:25, WIVV @ 4:30, WIST @ 6 and WWBD and WKLM 790 at 5:30 all logged. Veries moving up slowly: 1,345 with addition of 22 new ones, WKIS WEAN KCLW WDDT (thanks Hal) KOYN KPRC WAVE CFPL KATR WIFE (wow what a beaut) KSPL-dx KHSL WRAM-dx WFPD WMFC KDNT WSAR WLEE WIDE KWTX WIDU KLLA, WILL. Be looking forward to the DX from WMOK in Metropolis, Ill. 73.

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

DX a little better this past week and the following reports went out. On 1/20 1290-KBMO heard good; 1310-WSIZ not bad at all, WCAM did not do them much harm here; 740-WKIS caught coming on the air for RS; 1410-KGRN heard but kinda tough although got enough for a decent report; did have to call them when Bob Gorsuch announced no calls from the East. 1/22-930-WWNH heard swell here but was awfully afraid WBEW was on with a tone test, but it turned out to be WKY. Veries are of the One a Day brand, and like vitamin pills, pepped me up. They were letters from WEEP WMMS KLRS and by the way, Scooter, they did play "Elvis Presley for President." Also veries from WTRA @ card, printed. Total veries now at 2,021. DXes from KDDD and WINE not needed. Will be on hand the 27th for WBHC and KDES I hope. Otherwise nothing new here. Getting our winter as we have had a gooddeal of snow lately and more this morning, the 25th. Working steady days now, so DX will suffer but will still make those Monday AM DXes and any that are on Saturday or Sunday AMs. Again glad to see several of the oldsters reporting, keep it up and also to you non-reporting members. How about a report or two?

Ted Weiser - 19 Fairview Avenue - Schuylkill Haven, Pennsylvania

Quite a few veries in, WGMA WTLB CHUM WHEY WSBS WFST KBHM WIPA WVSC WKNY WDDT WJED WAWK WEZE WRAM WTRA WZYX WMDF and WCLC, thanks Bill Prater for the very nice WCLC verie. Glad my report was of some interest, nice reply from WKNY on their test of last Nov. 3, the delay was due to new transmitter set up. They topped 1490 that AM here, WIPA sent along a very nice hand written letter by CE, says he is always glad to hear from us fellows on their WIPA signal. I logged them on RS behind WGY on 810 kc/s. For not to mention that KQDY also made it here with their DX on 1/13, logged on 1/20 KGRN WSIZ WBAW and KBMO on DX, KBMO heard briefly due to electrical noise here. Isqueezed in eight minutes when the noise was off. Seems like Philadelphia will get another radio station for Cosmopolitan Broadcasting Corp. of Los Angeles applied yesterday 1/21 to the FCC for a daytimer in Philadelphia to operate on 1170 kc/s, 250 watts. I sold my Halli-crafter S-53A over the weekend but the guy brought it back again for he has more electrical noise than I have for he lives by a textile factory going 24 hours. Don Reynolds, thanks for tip in Dec. Popular Mechanics on electric ~~QRM~~ I've sent for a copy.

Bob Reck - 98 Revere Road - Manhasset, New York

Greetings to one and all! Latest verifications are in from WEDR WILS KPOK-dx WRAM-dx WTRA-card-DX, KSPL-dx WGOB WLOH WEST-dx KFJM-card-DX, WAOK-card, WING-card, WPCR letter and card, WIP WNAE-card, WOBS WCDJ WVIP WKLY-dx. On their test WKLY asked for tapes and so I sent a tape and asked them to do a short tape if they had the time. Russell Bell (the announcer on our program) did a nice reply tape to me. Recently heard are WWHH S-3 DX, WPVA on early on 1/22, KGRN S-6 DX, WINE S-8 DX, WSIZ S-8 (WCAM on top) DX, WBAW S-7 DX, KLUE with a TT, KWEB S-9 DX, WSEZ S-8 & KBHS-TT-DX, WJLP-dx WCLC-dx WGSW 5:00 s/on 1350 kc/s., WION-1430 6:00 s/on, WCHB ETing 12/29/57 @ 1:50, WBYE (ex-WSCB) heard 12/27/57 on ET. Now have 337 verified and an unknown number heard. Only states that I need yet to verify are Montana, Kansas (report to KFH), Vermont, and Idaho. (Hi, Ed.) Dill. I have a report out to KDEM (Montana) as I heard them behind a carrier. I did hear a station break though. WHIT is getting a new CE and so I hope that now they'll be able to give a DX test for us without all of this red tape that the present one has thrown in. I also hope that he'll still let me continue doing the varies for WKIT. I'll be going out to WBAB shortly (I hope) and I'll try to get them to test for us. Till my next report 73s and good DX to all.

Rusty Perrine - 38 Mason Drive - Manhasset, New York

Hi Ed. and all you other DXers. Newest DX: KWEB-dx, WEZE, new call, CFPL-930, WJOL-1340 AM. All these on 1/13/58. Newest varies in from WVIP new, 1310, WFMJ-1390, KPOK 1440 DX, WERA-DX-1480. Was reading in DX NEWS (what else?) that a few lucky, fortunate NRCers have gotten new WDTV. Acting on tip I took a look for them with Bob Reck on 1/23/58 and heard only unID Spanish with unusually weak WOWO, around 6 p.m. (WLIB-1190 local, was off). Thanks, Ed., for the welcome in the recent issue. Have been noticing the DX NEWS is late in arriving here. Is it true, "Mail is late in '58"? Notice WFBC 1330 on 5:30 here along with WBOB 1360 at 5:00. Went with Bob to WKIT and saw the departing CE wave good-bye, said "Hi" to Harry Jack. Hope to go with Bob to WBAB to arrange a Special test for us. Ed.: does the NRC receive notification of our NRC tests, as we do theirs? (Yes, Ed.) WBOB not in here as of late, WDM-540, comes in nicely in Garden City. Going over again today and will use the Zenith and do it up right instead of using the car radio. Received two new states and verified Vermont, WTSA, Arizona, KPOK. I have 292 verified to date, well over that heard. Bob and I are plannin an AN session some night, hope two earphones are better than one. Great DX to everybody. 73s.

C. L. "Stan" Stanbury II - Box 218 - Crystal Beach, Ontario

Starting off with the domestic varies and I have a flock of them to report: WHEE WAILL. WWBC KDUZ CJEL WGMA KRBI KIYI KTYC WERH WTLB WMNS WNEW KSPI (thanks to John and Bus) WATP (like KTYC not very definite) WEAG WELD WKLY WSTL KFJM WRAM KSPL KATR WROK and KCON (at last). In addition to Specials the following domestic stations have been logged: 11/5- WAOK (1380) Atlanta, Ga. on AN RS. 11/16- KATR (1030) Corpus Christi, Tex. at sunset. 12/16- CJOB (680) Winnipeg, Man, AB RS, forgot it above but they verified promptly. With so many specials on that AM I used two receivers. Worked okay except that my second receiver isn't particularly powerful so actually only logged one station with it; WSTL. In addition used it for keeping tabs on 1360 till KQRS went off and WIOD showed up. 12/22- WROK (1440) Rockford Ill. on RS and CHNO (900) Sudbury, Ont. AB RS. 1/15- WMDP (1530) Mount Dora, Fl. ETing and asked for reports. 73s.

Maurice W. Nittler - 2818 South Cherokee - Englewood, Colorado

Tried a report on 1/14 on XET-990 which seems to be running AN for the past two weeks. They never answered last February. 1/15- WCCN-1370 was running ET and f/c. Glad to get them as I missed their DX. Also took log on WSPD-1370 through WCCN on AN. 1/19, another report to KFNB-980. 1/20- KFBC-1240 r/c, KLMX-1450 r/c, KDXU-1450 r/c, KGRN-1410 with swell DX show, thanks, Bob. KBMO-1290 made it through KOLL pretty well. 1/21- took another report on WREN-1230, also KRUX-1360 both on evening RS. 1/23- KQJM-610 with one ID on r/c, and WLOK-1480 good on r/c. Varies have come in from KWOC-1230 K'HW-1450, KAKC-1340, KCLS-600, KWTO-560, WDDT-900, KPOR-1370-dx, XENK-620, KFBC-1240, KRAI-550, WSPD-1370, KWEB-1310 for total of 1,351. Had letter today from WLEO-1170 and Mr. Cordero said that no one heard their program due to WWVA so they have rescheduled for March 17 from 3:00 to 4:00 EST or 4:00 to 5:00 AST. They contacted WWVA themselves and have their promise to keep the frequency clear. WLEO received 12 thank-you cards from NRC members but no reports. Here is a station that really wants to co-operate with the NRC so let's everyone give them our support.



Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

Owing to unavoidable circumstances I had to miss sending my "Musings" for the 1/25 edition. Since joining the NRC in March '50 I have missed just 14 editions, seven because I did not have the time to send them in and seven because of delays in the mails. This week I'll confine my Musings to the reception phase. 1/12-13, Sorry to miss all of those DX Specials because of working until 6 a.m. and all needed. 1/14- Getting home from work at 6:05 a.m. I tuned 1440 at 6:15 to see if I could catch WBAB Babylon, Bay Shore, N.Y. as I noted in Lefty's Musing they are an RS. Many stations were on 1440 and I got one ID from WAJR but not enough for a report and they are needed. 1/17- WALY-1420 Herkimer, N.Y. f/c-TT as listed but they started at 12:01, not needed, however. 1/19, I've been trying for years to log CHAB-800 Moose Jaw, Sask. and at 1:38 Sunday AM they boomed in S-4 in the clear until s/off at 2:14. 1/20- Six DXes listed for the NRC and NNRC and all needed except WIRJ-740. I tuned 1410 for KGRN at 2:56 and the frequency was clear as a bell but at 2:59 a "hum" developed and I could not read KGRN until 3:15 then poorly so at 3:22 went to 1290 for KBMO but a lady announcer was all over 1290 and after ten minutes found it was WHBI-1280 "spilling over" so at 3:57 tuned 1080 for a "Glass of WINE" from Kernmore, N.T. easy logging for a new one. Then to 740 and found WIRJ on very strong but not needed and at 4:30 WSIZ-1310 was fairly well heard through the half million watts of WCAM (stealing Hank Tyndall's apt phrase, hi). At 4:45 I tuned 740 for the needed WBAW and they were well logged for five minutes, when they suddenly signed off. Results of the AM, four new ones and old oldie. 1/23- At 1:33 I heard WSOD's announcer read part of a report from M. Nittler, quite a surprise but of course I could not log WCCN on f/c. WPPA-1260 Pottsville, Pa. heard at s/off at 2:00, not needed, and WKAT, Miami Beach off at 2:03. XET-990 Monterrey, Mexico logged S-4 2:10-2:50, strange music with Spanish announcements "El Pregonero del Norte" Monterrey. Wish I had the Spanish report forms out I'll send a regular NRC report. WWNH-930 well heard for NNRC but also not needed. WPVA-1290 Petersburg, Va. S-3 at 4:30 with "Early-Morning Jamboree" asking for reports and phone calls. WICE was not heard so guess they do not s/on at 4:30 now. WPVA gave P.O. Box 87, Petersburg as address. 72.

X Richard Morris - 218 Virginia Avenue - Bridgeport 10, Connecticut

Sorry for the lag in my reporting. I guess I'm just lazy. I would like to thank Francis Nittler very much for the letter he sent me. Now to take up where I left off. 1/12 Three new ones received - WIL (1430), CKWS (960) and CHUM (1050) on RS. 1/13- Another bad day with the DX Specials with only one received - KWEB (1270) with a surprisingly strong S-7 signal. KUPI was blocked by CFPL which was needed so it wasn't a loss anyway. Much wanted KQDI (1320) just couldn't make it. KLUE was blocked by WAVZ's testings and WCNG was not received. I doubt if it was on. The morning turned out to be successful anyway though with five more new calls added to my log - WMOH (1450), WXYZ (1270), WBLR (1430), WPRW (1460) and CJAD (800). I have a mystery station on 1450 kc/s. Mondays morning 1/13 at 5:30 I heard on s/on, a station which sounded like WJDA. It had an FM station and it sounded like the Market Bill Broadcasting Co. Can anyone help me? (My guess is WKVA, Martinsville, Va. -Ed.) 1/18- Four NNRC tests listed but I awoke late and only received WELD. 1/19- At 6:45 WTAY and WLRP were testing behind XERF for new calls. 1/20- At last a pick-up in my DXing on the Specials with four out of six received. WINE (1080), WSIZ (1310) rough through WCAM, WBAW (740) very poor signal, and WIRJ (740). Also received were long wanted WIVV (1370) and WITA (1140). Both were surprisingly clear. Now for the DX Mail Bag. WRVA 1140, CJAD, WEEP 1080, CKWS 960, WHBG 1360, WBCM 1440, CFPL 980, WKTF 1420, WHKK 640, WHLN 1410 and WFBG 1450 in, nice letters. WEML 1240, WILS 1320, WRC 980, WHYN 560 in, letters. WITH 1250, WIRE 1430, CKSM 1220, WWL 870 and WCFL in QSL cards (WWL and WCFL were a half postcard and half QSL card), WKVA 920, received as a post card. Well, that 's it for this time.

Dick Daneker - Lansdale, Pennsylvania

Not much doing here in Lansdale this DX season. I guess I'm too fussy when it comes to DXing for I haven't added one new station to my list this season. I have listened at various times and found nothing new to add to my log. I have heard some foreign DX a few times and on January 11th Nice, France on 1554 was really booming in here. I heard them from 1:05 to 1:25 a.m. when vocal selections and news items were heard. Signal strength varied from S-5 to S-9 without my -re-selector in operation. Others heard the same AM were Oldenburg, Germany on 1586 kc/s., signals were S-5. Light music with man and woman doing the announcing was heard from 1:00 to 1:05 and 1:35 to 1:45 a.m. C1 Clevedon, Great Britain on 1457 kc/s. was heard after 1:30 with a man (cont'd on P.14)



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

800	Fort William, Ontario	1,000 U-3	1490	Phoenix, Arizona	500 D-1
1290	Rocky Mount, Virginia	1,000 D-1	1540	Port Credit, Ontario	1,000 D-1
600	Escanaba, Michigan	1,000 D-3	1570	Dorval/Pointe Claire, Que	5000U-3

NEW CALLS

930	K E N Y	Bellingham/Ferndale; Wash.	1420	W A V O	Avondale Estates, Ga.
1480	W C F R	Springfield, Vermont,		CALL CHANGE /	1290 K S R C Socorro, New Mexico
					from WNIX.

FACILITIES

590	C K A R	Huntsville, Ontario,	to 1,000 U-3,	from 1340 kc/s.,	250 U-1.
610	C K T B	St. Catherines, Ontario,	to 5,000 U-3,	from 1,000 U-3,	from 620 kc/s.
920	C K W X	Wingham, Ontario,	to 2,500/1,000 U-4	from 1,000 U-2,	same channel.
1050	C F A M	Altona, Manitoba,	to 3,000 U-4,	from 1290 kc/s.,	1,000 U-3.
1220	C K S F	Cornwall, Ontario,	to 1,000 U-4,	from 1230 kc/s.,	250 U-1.
1540	W J M J	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania,	to 50,000 U-3,	from 1,000 D-1,	same channel.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

790	W R B S	Tuscaloosa, Alabama	FCC	1050	C F G P	Now 10,000 U-3	CDT
1150	C K X	Brandon, no 2	5,000/1,000 U-1				CDT

(Dick Daneker, con'd from P. 13) giving news reports, signals were S-4 to S-6. It was reported that "Radio Luxembourg" had burned down some time ago; but I believe they were on the air as I heard a station weakly (S3-5) on about 1439 kc/s. from 1:40 to 1:45 a.m. on the 11th. Again on the 14th I tried my luck and found Lille, France on 1376 kc/s. from 1:15 to 1:25 a.m. However CX were adverse to good reception as they have been most all season whenever I've turned the dials. I haven't been too active this year for several reasons, namely, lack of good receiving CX for foreign DX, two weeks of being real busy with the Christmas rush at the Post Office and being bushed for a couple of weeks with a heavy cold. I could have found plenty of USA stations, I think, but I concentrate on foreign stations only for the past few years. I received a verie from ZFY, Georgetown, British Guiana early this season for a report of last spring, making a total of 52 countries verified on the ECB with 198 foreign veries. I have no excuse for not writing to your column earlier this season other than to say I had nothing to say, but I've certainly enjoyed reading the reports of those who have had something to say! Go ahead and say it, "What a Club we'd have if nobody had a thing to say"; but that's the advantage we of the NRC have in having a scattered membership. Everybody isn't speechless at the same time!

Porter Atherton - East Slough Road - Harvard, Massachusetts

Short report from here, after a long lapse in listening due to sickness in the family and just plain tuckered out with the stockmarket and the weather. In last report, I mentioned a blizzard of 20" of snow, and followed it up with 12 more when Boston, 30 miles away, got only rain. Mixed with sleet and freezing rain with the result that I lost both aeriels. Got them up in makeshift manner yesterday and tried for a little late afternoon DX Saturday January 25. Amazed to find the Northeast rain storm we are still having completely killed out two dominant 50 kw. stations, WRCV on 1060 and WRVA on 1140. Much surprised to find WHFD in Benton Harbor, Mich S-9 on 1060 and WSIV in Pekin, Ill. holding forth S-8 on 1140. Copied WHFB from 5:15 to 5:30 p.m. and WSIV 5:35 to 5:50 for reports to two stations I never expected to hear. Was just checking in red pencil dominant daytime stations heard on each frequency in the Weyrich Log and stumbled on them both just by chance. This mornig, Jan. 26, got up at 3:45 to try for a few 24 hour stations not yet bothered to report and then hoped to get a report to Montego Bay on 1180. Just about the last Sunday shot at them as it is getting light now by 6:30. They were barely audible at 5:59 s/on but got up to S-4 soon after and logged until 6:35 when they faded out. Jamaica also heard on 720 with same program but they were a bare S-1 at best. Unidentified TTers on 1260 and 1300 at 4:10, and another on 1390 at 5:30 fighting it out with WEAM. Anyone still needing WHUC here in the East; they are in the clear on 1230 until 7:50 a.m. Sundays. Others logged this morning for reports; WEAM-1390; WMGR 930 and WSRC on RS at 6:55. Nothing startling, but glad to be able to send out a report or two for a change. Veries here now at 1,735 with recent ones received being WEAG WPAL WEZE WKTF WRAM WSME WAIL WTYL and WEER. Best of DX to all, and 100% veries.

SEE YOU ALL AGAIN NEXT WEEK WITH, WE HOPE, MORE REPORTS. IS THERE ONE FROM YOU COMING?

## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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

Back up to date now with a normal week's reports for you this week, and things should remain normal for a while now. I'll be back on the road at least once a week, and that's when this DIGEST gets done. In Roaring Spring, Penna., for this one.

## NORTH AMERICA

COSTA RICA--\*TIWG (1035) San Jose, identified as the station on this split frequency 12/7 at 2048, ID by a man. (NHRC) TIQ (1175) was fair to strong from 0555 S/on to 0604 on 1/13. ("Radio Casino" in Limon). (HJW)

NICARAGUA--\*YVW (935) Managua, was S-6 from 0623 to 0634 on 1/13. Report sent. (HJW)

MEXICO--\*XEX (730) signs on at 0645. KEAK new call for XEAC (690), XET (990) heard often after 0300 announcing, "XET Morterrey" between records. (KR)

PUERTO RICO--\*WJJB (710) Mayaguez, verified with fine letter; signer is Jose S. Rodriguez, CE. (RIM)

CUBA--\*CHOA (1583) "Radio Marianao", Habana, logged at 1930 on 1/16. (CMS)

PANAMA--\*HOJ (1125) Chitre, heard at S-6 level from 0610 to 0631 on 1/20. (HJW)

EL SALVADOR--\*YSEB (1075) San Salvador, heard at S-8 to 9 level from 0659 to 0730 on 1/20. (HJW)

GUATEMALA--\*"Radio Novedades" (1085) was S-7 to S-9 from 0642 to 0650 on 1/13. WRLD and KING blocked him at 0700. (HJW) (Correct call for this slogan is TGK, assigned 1100 Kcs. Address him at 9a Calle A, 4-50, Z-1, Guatemala City-FV) "Radio Indiana" (1065) heard S-7 to 8 from 0507 to 0535 on 1/13. (HJW) (This is TGAF, Mazatanango. G. A. Flores is Director, assigned 1060 Kcs.-FV)

HAITI--\*Current schedule for 4VEH (1195) Cap Haitien, is daily except Thursday 0430-1030, and 1500-2230. Sundays comes on the 2nd transmission at 1300 instead of 1500. Station is silent on Thursday. (SW)

## SOUTH AMERICA

COLOMBIA--\*HJKN (1258) "Radio Metropolitana", logged S-9 at 0525 on 1/10. Even better at 0435 on 1/13. (HJW) Verie in from Enisoras Nuevo Mondo, S. A., HJKC (840) CaRaCol outlet in Bogota. Signal hrd 11/28 in the clear from about 500 miles west of Honolulu. Country #38. (Never could verify Colombians from Florida) (PVT)

ECUADOR--\*HCJB (700) now 20 Kw. (WZ via KR)

VENEZUELA--\*YVFM (1210) "Radio Coro", Coro, was S-7 to 8 at S/on on 1/10 and S-7 at S/on at 0528 on 1/11. Report out. (HJW)

## EUROPE

PORTUGAL--\*CB35 (1578) Porto, logged at 0300 S/on on 1/13. S/off is 2000. (CMS)

SPAIN--\*EAJ28 (1133) "Radio Bilbao", Bilbao, is now broadcasting a regular mail-bag program in the weekly international transmissions on Sundays at 1800-1900. Every letter received before noon on Saturday will be answered on the following Sunday night. Broadcast in Spanish, French, English, Danish, and Esperanto. (SW)

SCOTLAND--\*According to RADIO TIMES the following is the schedule available to Scottish listeners.

809 Kcs. Scottish Home Service Sunday: 0250-1806

Mon-Fri: 0130-1811

Sat: 0130-1806

1214 Kcs. Light Programme. Sunday 0145-1900, Mon-Fri 0145-0150

Sat: 0145-0150 0200-1900

0200-1900

At 0145-Greenwich Time Signal. Also at 0400.

647 & 1546 Kcs. Third Programme. Sunday 1400-1805. Mon-Fri 1500-1800  
Saturday 1500-1755.

647 & 1545 Kcs. Network Three. Monday 1315-1445, Tues. 1315-1415  
Wed. 1315-1445, Thurs 1330-1445.  
Fri. 1345-1445. Sat 1330-1445.

These times were given for just one week, and there could be some variation from week to week. (GHD)

## AFRICA

CAMEROON--Verie card received from Radio Yaounde. Impressionistic sketch on one side and verie info on other. Station was heard on special Christmas eve program and is the first of my Christmas DX to verify. (CMS)

SUDAN/EGYPT--Letter from M. H. Eid, senior controller, Sudan Broadcasting Service, stating that the tape I sent them was "The Sudan Corner" as broadcast on Radio Cairo (Should I count it? Don't think so, as your letter isn't from Cairo-FV) This means probably that I will get a letter back from Cairo saying that I send them Sudan Brd. Service tape. They state (Sudan) that their frequency is 574.998 Kcs. RM has them on 572. (PVT)

## ASIA

PHILIPPINES--New stations are DXJW (1010) Zamboango City, DXKL (1400) Bacolod City, Chronicle Broadcasting Network, DXUM (740) Davao, DXMC (900) Davao to increase power to 5000 watts. DZPC (? Voice of Education, National Pacific College, Manila, reported by Japanese Shortwave Club. (WZ via KR)

RYUKU ISLANDS--"VOA" (1180) Okinawa, ID clearly at 1000 on 1/23. (RHM)

## OCEANIA

HAWAII--KGMB (590) Honolulu, verified by letter, signed by Dan Hunter, CE. KILA (850) Hilo, verified by letter, signed by James J. Jaeger. (RHM)

NEW ZEALAND--LYZ (800) Rotorua, verified by QSL card and letter. (RHM)

AUSTRALIA--Verie in from 4LY (960) Box 587, Ayr, Queensland, as heard 11/26. Two page letter signed by R. D. Savill, T. I. C. They said that the report was correct, but my times were two hours off. (PVT)

## REPORTERS

RHM-Roy H. Miller, Rt. 2, Box 6704, Issaquah, Washington.  
KR-Keith Robinson, Kapuka, No. 7 RD, Invercargill, New Zealand.  
CMS-C. M. Stanbury, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada.  
GHD-C. Harley DeLourere, 66, Gray Street, Aberdeen, Scotland.  
SW-Bulletin of Sweden Calling DXers, Radio Sweden, Stockholm, Sweden.  
EJW-Hank Wilkinson, 6620 Popman Avenue, North Hollywood, California.  
NNRC-Newark News Radio Club, 215 Market Street, Newark, New Jersey.  
PVE-Ens. Peter V. Taylor, USCGC Winnebago (WPG-10), C/o FPO, San Francisco, California.  
(Mailed in Honolulu, Hawaii)

## THE OVERSEAS MAILBAG

From G. Harley DeLourere---In one of the December issues of DX NEWS someone asked me for a report. I would have sent way more reports, but I am not DXing up to full capacity for several reasons. First I am only DXing in the daytime and evening, since the radio is not in my room but downstairs. Second the receiver I am using is an old one that came along with the house. I don't see any value in buying a new one since we are moving back to Hobart in August, and the British voltage is much more than the American. Also it just wouldn't work back home, and I already have three radio sets. Third, I am living in a city here, and the houses are all built together, so there is a lot of daytime interference, and I get practically nothing. In Hobart I had no antenna. Enough stations and verifications were received to keep my busy. Here I've got an antenna. No good...

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I did however, log the following stations: Frankfurt AFW (872), Radio Luxembourg II (1439), Munich AFW (548), Athlone (566), Radio Tunis I (629), Berlin (611), Frankfurt HR (593), Hilversum I (746), Brussel II (926), Hamburg WDR (971), Vatican Radio (1529), Praha I (638), and Radio Bremen (1358). Praha I was logged on 1/11 and Radio Bremen on 1/17. Of these I have confirmed 872, 1439, 926, 746, 611, 971, and 593. As you can see I've only confirmed seven in five months. The addresses are the same as those given in World Radio Handbook. Only two of the signers' names could be read. AFW Frankfurt signed by F. K. Tourtelotte, Lt. Col, SigC Commanding; and Brussel II (926) R. Allard, QSL Manager.

Keith Robinson---Reception has been irregular lately. Reports have gone to WKOZ, WRBC, KTEE, WTTS, KJLY, WREN, KRNT, KDSN, KOGT, WVNA, WAIL, XEX, WJBB, XEAR, BLUE, WIOK, WCWC, WDKD, KCLN, WERZ, XET, WBUY, WCSC. Voices from WCHF, KENS, DZFE, WHIN, KOZE, KIYI, WJLN, KPAL, KFLY.

## GENERAL

Seems strange to have everything cleared up and still have room to go on the third page. A couple of comments to pass along; first from Pete Taylor, who says if he can get the Pat Boone records, rock n' roll, etc, verified as heard on Ramallah, Jordan, on 677 Kcs., he is willing to forget the tape mix-up between Cairo and Sudan mentioned in the DIGEST. He says that follow-ups have gone to AFRS Taipei (1560), FMTH (900) Midway, FEN-650 Okinawa, and "FHS's on 560-1250-1400 in Korea. He has heard from none of them and wonders it might be inter-service rivalry. Also a follow-up to KFOD (730).

Hank Wilkinson wants to know how ZOI signs on, as he heard the same program on both 1180 and 720 Kcs. at 0552 on 1/14. When he heard them a man was singing a slow stirring song with a bass voice and a chorus singing with him on several occasions. He will try again for ZOI on 1/21 and 1/28. If anyone can help Hank, please drop him a post-card at his address given under REPORTERS.

Hank says that he still has 3 "Asian" logs left and will be glad to sell them to the first three who request them. I've mislaid the price, but I think it was 50¢. Anyway, if you want one, write Hank. Speaking of logs, a fellow can have a pretty darned good set now if he gets that Asian Log of the New Zealand boys that Hank has, and adds it to the Herrich Log, FBIS logs, and World Radio Handbook. With this set the world is pretty well covered. It certainly should do for any medium wave DXer in the USA.

We have ceased to receive the Swedish DX bulletin we were getting for a while. We now receive the two New Zealand Bulletins, Medium Wave News from England, WRH Bulletins, Bulletins of Sweden Calling DXers, Deutsche Welle DX-Bulletins. If any of you know of any other overseas publications with medium wave news, please let me know so that we can arrange to get them. The purpose of the DIGEST is to make available to WRC members all of the information possible on overseas and foreign stations. We'll get it out to you if we get it here.

The overseas clubs have had fun with set listening periods. I wonder if we could try it. Let's try Sunday, February 16th, from 0100 to 0300 between 800 and 1200 Kcs. Everyone in the club that wants to help out listens at that time in those frequency limits. Report to the DIGEST only the foreign stations that you hear during that time. We might get some interesting results, particularly if listeners on both coasts and in the middle participate. If you think this one is fun, we will set up another one later on. It makes for concentrated listening and often turns up interesting DX that would be missed in using the usual methods. Let's try it once and see how it goes. And that about covers everything from Lemoyne and Rearing Spring for this week. 73.

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

## TESTS BEFORE MIDNIGHT

Joe Brauner advises that nearly every new Western Pennsylvanian has conducted so called program tests during the regular sunrise to sunset period. More important, some stations in this area, on 1570 thru 1600 kc, have conducted tests in the early evening with open carriers.

## DX PROGRAM FLASH

Tue Feb 4 KHFH 1420 kc Siera Vista, Ariz 0400-0430 EST

This station has been on the air since March 1957 and most DXers still need them. KSTN is silent Tuesday mornings so the channel should be clear except for CMCG down in Cuba. Reports go to Mr. John Bennett who is the manager.  
(Arranged by LEN KRUSE)

550 WGGA Gainsville, Ga wkday S/on is 0540 (RN)  
730 WMMS Bath, Me DX was dedicated to the NRC as well as the NNRC  
740 WMBL Moorhead City, N.C. has FC 1st Sun 0500-0520 (RN)  
850 WJW Cleveland, Ohio wkday sked is 0630-0030 (RJ)  
930 WBEN Buffalo, N.Y. S/off at 0200 on Sun AM (RJ)  
CFBC St. John, N.B. wkday S/on is 0459 (RJ) (EDITOR'S NOTE  
When reporting this one it might be a good idea to note  
the exact time the carrier goes on as you will not get  
much program data after 0500)

~~KOKY~~ KOKY Oklahoma City, Okla was the station ETing during the  
WVNH ~~DX~~

1020 YVLL Caracas, Ven S/on is 0500 (JH)  
1100 KYW Cleveland, Ohio S/off is temporarily 0100 (RJ)  
1270 WTAL Tallahassee, Fla hrd on FC 1/22 (4tg Wed) 0215-0248 (RJ)  
KVCL Winnfield, La has FC/T 2nd Fri 0200-0215 (RN)  
1250 CHWO Oakville, Ont wkday S/off is 0100 (RJ)  
1260 WDOK Cleveland, Ohio S/off is 0100 (RJ)  
1310 WTIK Durham, N.C. S/on is 0455 (RH)  
1330 WRAM Monmouth, Ill has FV 2nd Wed 0615-0630 (LSN)  
KWVL Waterloo, Iowa hrd on FC/T 1/18 (3rd Wed) 0100-0115 (RN)  
1370 WLTC Gastonia, N.C. S/on is 0500 (RH)  
1420 WHK Cleveland, Ohio wkday S/off is 0100 (RJ)  
1580 KFMA Davenport has FC/T 2nd Mon 0100-0120 (RN)

CONDITION OF THE FREQUENCIES/CHANGES AND ADDITIONS

690 XEAK Tijuana is AN with TOP FORTY show (JH)  
830 KIKI Honolulu, T.H. is off Mon AM only at 0400 (LK)  
920 XEBH Hermosillo, Mexico has begun AN programing (LK)  
980 KFVB Los Angeles, Cal Mon AM S/off is 0300 ~~XKXX~~ (WF)  
1110 WBT Charlotte, N.C. has ceased AN Tting (CMS)  
1150 KANI Delete from list (LK)  
1330 KFH Wichita, Kans is off Sun AM only (LK)  
1340 KICK Springfield, Mo is AN (LK)  
KWKO Abilene, Texas ditto (LK)  
CFSL Weyburn, Sask ditto (LK)  
1350 WAVY Tidewater, Va has no silent period (LK)  
1360 KRUX Glendale, Ariz is AN on this new frequency. Silent Mon/  
1380 KGMS Sacramento, Cal is now silent Tue AM (LK) /AM (LK)  
CKLC Kingston, Ont has resumed it's AN sked (RJ)  
1390 WEAM Arlington, Va is still AN (CMS)

CORRECTION

1440 WKLX Paris, Ky appears to have FC 4th Wed as listed, instead  
of 3rd Wed as previously reported (RJ)

QUESTION BOX

1350 WESR ?????, Va "The voice of the Capes", Who is this? (RP)