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BULLETIN SCHEDULE

The next bulletin will be dated July 23, 1966. The August bulletin will be out around the third Saturday of the month. The two September dates will be announced. It is hoped that the decision on the new publisher will be announced in the July issue and that publication will be begun at his location by the first issue in September.

CONVENTIONS

ANARC--Kansas City, Mo. July 29-30-31, Muehlback Hotel. If you are able to attend this allclub get-to-gether, contact Richard E. Wood, 207 E. 16th St., Bloomington, Ind. 47403. ANARC is the Association of North American Radio Clubs of which the IRCA is a member.

IRCA--Milwaukee, Wisc. August 26-27-28-29. See Page Two for all information.

NRC---Montreal, Quebec. September 3-4-5. (Labor Day Weekend). This will be the first NRC convention held in Canada and will be hosted by two of the NRC's older members, Andy Rugg and Sam Simmons. If you are able to attend this convention, drop Andy a line for more information. 16 Lake Breeze Ave., Pointe Claire, Quebec, Canada.

These are three chances to get to gether with other enthusiasts of the DX hobby and talk DX and other topics. Conventions are a great amount of fun and every DXer should try to make them if at all possible.

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(no stencils received for this issue although bulletin held four extra days)

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(New editor of this section needed after August issue...volunteer now!!)

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NASA

The North American Shortwave Association has announced that it will become a shortwave only radio club immediately. This was done by a vote of NASA members. All BCB dxers were given a chance to transfer memberships to the IRCA or the Canadian DX Club since we have similar dues structures. NASA has been a top-notch radio club for the years it has been in operation on all bands. However, it was felt that a specialty club in short-wave was needed and would better serve shortwave enthusiasts. Anyone interested solely in shortwave dxing or in addition to BCB is invited to become a member of NASA. Their address is Bill Eddings, Exec. Editor, 1503 Fifth Ave., A2, Altoona, Pa. 16602.

Just noticed wrong address was used for Larry Snouffer in last month's bulletin so perhaps this is why no reports. Sorry, Larry, (BN)

MILWAUKEE CONVENTION REPORT

WHAT: THE OFFICIAL 1966 IRCA NATIONAL CONVENTION
WHEN: AUGUST 26-29, 1966, FRIDAY THROUGH MONDAY
WHERE: SHERATON-SCHROEDER HOTEL, 509 W. WISCONSIN AVE., MILWAUKEE
WHO: You! -- AND ALL OTHER DXERS, IRCA MEMBERS OR NOT, ARE INVITED
WHY: DISCUSS CLUB ISSUES AND DX; MEET OTHER DXERS; HAVE FUN!
ACTIVITIES: STATION TOURS; TOUR OF MILWAUKEE; ANNUAL IRCA BANQUET AND
BUSINESS MEETING; ANNUAL PICNIC; DX CONTEST; SEE RADIO DISPLAYS;
AND FUN!

IF YOU WANT INFORMATION: WRITE CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS FOR LITERATURE,
MAPS, AND ANSWERS TO ANY QUESTIONS YOU MAY HAVE.

IF YOU ARE COMING: SEND YOUR \$10.00 REGISTRATION FEE TO CONVENTION HQ.
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RESERVATION CARD WILL BE SENT TO YOU TO RESERVE ACCOMMODATIONS AT
THE SHERATON-SCHROEDER. IF POSSIBLE, PLEASE PAY YOUR REGISTRATION
FEE BY AUGUST 1.

WHAT THE REGISTRATION FEE COVERS: ADMISSION TO TOURS; BANQUET; PICNIC;
RADIO DISPLAYS; TRANSPORTATION TO AND FROM TOURS, PICNIC, AIRPORT,
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VENTIONALLY GOOD CONVENTION!

WRITE: IRCA CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS

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MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN 53217

...SEE YOU IN MILWAUKEE THIS AUGUST!!

18 June 1966

P.S.T./H.S.T. DX ROUNDUP

Lance Clayton Muller

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630 KIDO ID, Boise - s/off 0206 atop the channel 5/23. (LBG)
 650 KLIB CA, Oakland address - Tried it, but letter got sent back. Am trying the 122 Monte Ave, Piedmont, CA address. Hope I get a reply. Heard from 0010-0015 on 5/29. My first outlaw.
 (JR) (Did the Oakland address exist, John ? lcm.)
 730 CKLG HI, Honolulu - Excellent on 5/23 from 0522-0620. (LCM)
 760 KGU BC, Vancouver - Heard on 5/30 from 0200-0211. (JR)
 800 CKOK HI, Honolulu - s/off 0501 MM 5/16 strong; ann. s/on 1000 EST. (LBG)
 840 KMPE BC, Penticton - Heard on 5/14 from 0154-0215. Using 500 Watts for (my) best British Columbian. (JR)
 OUTLAW CA, San Francisco - (location debatable - outlaw) conducted "RS" 5/4 from 0005 for an hour or so. (LBG)
 OUTLAW New bootleg stn for San Diego running 5 Watts. Poor modulation on 6/8 from 2152-2239; ET with stronger sig. on 6/11 from 0015 approx-0130 at least. No call letters, "ABS" on 6/8, "Soul Radio over Soul Diego" (stolen from XEGM) on 6/11. ABS can be translated to "Amateur Broadcasting System." (LCM)
 OUTLAW Another outlaw, different xmtr, usually on 835 late afternoons. Supposedly about 20 Watts from Lemon Grove (suburb on S.D.) Also ABS, following in the illegal footsteps of extinct stns as KXR, KYR, KABS, etc ad nauseam. (LCM)
 850 CKRD ALB, Red Deer - in the clear SM's 0100-0200. (LBG)
 KICY AK, Nome - faded in about 0300 MM 5/23, and in well by 0345 (LBG)
 KIMO HI, Hilo - in the clear MM's 0100-0203 s/off; pgm in oriental language, probably Japanese. (LBG)
 KOA CO, Denver - a cinch for this state in the West at 0600 s/on. (LBG) Usually in about 2 hours before sunset here. (LCM)
 900 ??? Unknown TT 0635-0636 on MM 5/23. Excellent strength, still off at 0643. Who ? (LCM)
 910 KISN Heard on MM 5/30 0222-0229. My letter sent back, however, am trying again. (JR) (Good Luck, J. lcm.)
 930 KSEI ID, Pocatello - very good on MM 5/30 0157-0204 u/o KHJ w/ loop. (LCM)
 960 KOVO UT, Provo - I.D. with strong signals 0249 MM 5/23 w/KABL off. (LBG) Fights with KABL, KOOL, every evening here, also add KNEZ and KAVER before their respective fade outs around 2100 or so. (LCM)
 970 KOOK MT, Billings - RS 0004 5/19 through KCHV, ETC. (dS) (Is ETC a beacon dan ? I've never heard them. lcm.)
 KVEG NV, Las Vegas - testing 0215-0228 with plenty of ID's. Test consisted of repeated "K V E G, Las Vegas, Testing," MM 6/6. (MBN) (Welcome back to you too, Mike. lcm.)
 980 CKNW BC, New Westminster - Heard on MM 5/30 from 0409-0425. (JR)
 1000 KTKOK OK, OK City - Good (w/no KOMO) 0634 on 5/23. (LCM)
 1170 KV00 OK, Tulsa - Heard on MM 5/30 from 0451-0500. (JR)
 1180 "VOA" FL, Marathon Key - had jazz pgm, then ID 2300 5/18; good. (LBG)
 1250 KVEL UT, Vernal - f/c at 0229-0315 MM 6/6. (MBN)
 WREN KS, Topeka - excellent on MM 5/30 0215-0232. (LCM)
 1260 KWHK KS, Hutchinson - 0620 excellent on MM 5/23. (LCM)
 1280 KNAK/KIT UT, Salt Lake City/WA, Yakima - mixing 0623 on MM 5/23. (LCM)
 1300 KOL WA, Seattle - TTing 0301-0330 and beyond MM 6/6 over KYNO (MBN)
 1370 KGEN CA, Tulare - 0735 RS w/unk SS under, on MM 5/30. (LCM)
 1380 KSBW CA, Salinas - 0747 excellent on MM 5/30. (LCM)
 1390 ??? Unknown s/on w/SSB mx 0732 u/KGER on MM 5/30. Who ? (LCM)
 1450 KBKW WA, Aberdeen - R&R mx 0108 till s/off 0200, no NA, on MM 6/6. (MBN)
 KORE OR, Eugene - 0100 s/off MM 6/6. (MBN)
 KPAL CA, Palm Springs - conducted f/c-TT 0205 MM 5/23, earlier than List. (LBG)

USE E.S.T. !!!!

18 de Julio, 1966

P.S.T./H.S.T. DX ROUNDUP

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- 1480 KLEO KS, Wichita - in weakly u/KWIZ 0245 on 6/1. (MBN)
KWIZ CA, Santa Ana - dominated frequency after KYOS s/off 6/1. (MBN)
KYOS CA, Merced - s/off 0200 on 6/1. (MBN)
1490 KVAC CA, Bakersfield - on late MM 5/23 through to around 0300. (LBG)
1540 KXEL IA, Waterloo - Heard on 5/30 MM from 0320-0344. (JR)
1550 XEBG BCN, Tijuana - extremely strong MM 5/23 at 0216; off about
0245. (LBG)

Thanks to these contributing members :

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LCM - your editor.

Larry Godwin - P. O. Box 1048 - Berkeley, California 94701.

Hi gang. Art and I enjoyed very much seeing Gray and the family the 23rd on their way to Vancouver. Wish we could all get together more often! How about a planned weekend in Santa Barbara in September or October? (Or maybe San Diego? lcm) John Gifford, I like your "frequency of the month" section. Philip Sullivan, the Countries Committee is currently considering your interesting Panama question. Mike Hunter, the maximum power in Australia is 50 KW for ABC stations (12 in all) and 5 KW for private. Thanks for the phone patch call, Rich! So far 15 members have ordered World Publications at the IRCA discount price. The f/c list is "on" so please send me your lists of checks heard this season soon (details in another part of bulletin.) Denver in '67!

Lance Clayton Muller - 8895 Halsted Street - San Diego, CA 92123.

Hi gang... er, club! Story of the month here is my candidacy for the Presidency of the I R C A. I realize that many of you cannot correlate how I can first resign from this editorship (effective either on 8/18, or 9/8; vacation 8/19 to 8/29) because of lack of time; and then volunteer for an office which probably takes more time! The reason is that the Presidency demands only my free time, and not a specific amount of time at a specific time of the week before a specific deadline. I do not, indeed, wish to resign from the club matters entirely, but instead, wish to move to the background and continue from there. If (maybe "when" is true?) I assume the head of the IRCA government, I will follow the guidelines set forth by my predecessors, and will honor and cherish the reigns of the club. "In your heart you know" I will always encourage and sustain our "great society"-club! Let's all contribute to the next bulletin! Try to break the 20 page limit! Denver in '67. Good DX and 73's.

Many of you have expressed confusion in realizing the identity of the new modern two-letter state abbreviations. Please read the following for the solution :

Many of the abbreviations did not change :

DO, GA, ID, IA, KY, LA, ME, MD, MO, NH, NJ, NM, NY, NC, ND, PA, RI, SC, SD, VT, VA.

For the others, a simple rule of going to the next distinguishing letter, after the first letter, can be applied :

Alaska, Alabama, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Hawaii, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, Mississippi, Montana, Nebraska, Nevada, Ohio, Oregon, Tennessee, Texas, Utah, Washington, West Virginia, Wisconsin, Wyoming.

As you may have noticed, many of the ancient, out-dated abbreviations formerly used were identical, except that the first two letters are only used now : AL, AR, CA, CO, MI, OH, OR, UT, WA, WV, WI, WY, DE, FL, IL, IN, MA. When the second letter is common with another state, the third letter is relied upon : MN, MS, NB, NV, TN, TX. No general rule is apparent for the remaining AK, AZ, CT, HI, KS, MT. CZ is Canal Zone, Puerto Rico

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THE EAST COAST DX FORUM

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Mike Hunter, 1705 Westwood Ave., Richmond, Va. 23227
IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT! I am now accepting orders for IRCA decals. I hadn't intended to handle the selling of them, but I have managed somehow to do so. I want to make clear, though, that even though this is an undependent project, I am deriving no personal benefits, and actually I am taking a loss, as I am footing the postage. I have received three orders to date, all for more than 10, so things are looking good. I would really appreciate it if you would order an even number, like 10, to eliminate making change. OK? 10 are only \$.60, which I feel the budgets of most of us can handle. I'm ordering 50. Who wants to match my order? 73 & best of DX.

T.G. Peary, 2300 14 St., Tuscaloosa, Alabama 35401
Hi! Latest DX (?) is WJR on 760 kHz on my brand spanking (waaa!) radio. It is a RCA 5 tube AA5. My older brother gave it to me when he bought himself a SW-AM transistor. He's had it for about 5 years. Oh, I forgot. The time on the WJR DX was 2250-2315. Nothing very interesting has happened to #314 since last report. I just ran for President of the student body (hi), realy the student body of my school, and, as I write this report I am trying to recover from a slight case of strep throat and a shot (1.2 million units of bicillin) with a needle about 2 in. long! That was on Friday the 13th and this is Saturday, but I don't expect to recover by Tuesday. Does anyone have a circuit for a 100 mw ECB transmitter? To the guy that wanted the circuit for a 10 watt xmtr. I have a circuit for such a xmtr. Let me know if ya want it. Well, that's it. 73 to all, and to all (girls) 88. Onward and upward to infinity (?).

Mike Mitock, 1529 Nichols Ave., Lorain, Ohio 44053
Hello to all. I have one pest that keeps me wondering - an unIDed SS stn on or near to 1430kc. It messes up WHK very bad. It has a high pitched noise on each side of its carrier, and I have yet to get a clear ID. Any ideas? I see that WIXY-1260 is causing some confusion by their use of the phrase "WIXY". WXYZ-1270 also uses this term - however, WIXY ID's as ".IXY, twelve sixty", while WXYZ DJ's use "channel twelve-seven". Latest DX: 5/18 2050 WCKY-1530 w/Cincy reds baseball -S4. Also un-IDed stn u/WCKY w/religious programs. 2103 WLAC-1510 at S2. 2105 WLEC-1450 w/Indians BB at S3 with 2 or 3 other stations u/WLEC. 2106 WSPD-1370 at S2 w/"World Tomorrow". That's it. With finals coming up, I won't have very much time for any serious DX for at least 2 weeks. 73.

John C. Johnson, CTSN; NSGA Box 14; F.P.O. N.Y., N.Y. 09571
Greetings once again in June -- kinda close, like a few days, to my 21st birthday. Yeah, I'm getting along in years -- some 4 years of DXing gone by. As you all know I used to do lot's of DXing back home (some 530 veries), but don't do much anymore. In 69 when I return home I'll have an all new DX station, including new receivers and advanced tape recording factclties. Here in Iceland, I just have a sony TR-850 B transistor and Telefunken tape recorder (tapes welcomed). Found out that there is another station near me -- in capital of Iceland (30 miles from here). It's an FM stn with excellent signal (other local of course, AFRS-1484). R. Caroline, Lux. and Scotland all good sigs & BBC also. (As some of you have hrd on tape). No DX tho. To throw some more coals into the fire, kHz now used by 50¢ a copy PE. (Last time I buy PE). I don't use kHz and not too many others do either. I do think it should be left out of IRCA. Brian Lund: your "WIXY" on 1260 is WIXY-1260 (ex-WDK). Its been that for some time and reported in IRCA -- guess you missed it. Mike Hunter: Congrats on license, was sure happy when I got mine a few years ago, In case any of you wondered why Englands pirates are GMT/1, it's because they are on Daylight savings time. WE here are too -- so makes us equal to GMT. Nothing spectacular DXwise up here since KOMA & KXEL reception. Richard Hence: been quite awhile since I've hrd from you -- been watching for a tape. Well, that's 30 for now, see you next month, 73 for now and k.

Tom Mann WPE9JN, 1805 E. Elmdale Ct., Milwaukee, Wis. 53211
Thanks to everyone who sent me SWL cards and keep them coming. R. Waupun, WIKE-1170 is now on the airwaves from 5:15AM-8:30PM CDT (same as EST). This one is daytime only w/250 watts of power beamed to south eastern Wis. WIKE's signal is clear just like a semi-local station. John E. Kalpus: WPE9IGY: You don't have to change your WPE9 call. If you moved to Mich. or any other state besides Wis., Ill., Ind. then you would have to change WPE calls. I'll see you on Aug. 26th here in Milwaukee. Anyone who passes through call me at: 962-8284. 73.

Jeff Kadet, 8047 Park Overlook Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20034
6/6 WVMG-1440 Cochran, Ga. ET/M 0230. 6/13 WIXY-1260 ET 0125. v/1 WVOC, WVCF, v/q WVMG.

George Kelley, 118 White Street, Waverley, Mass. 02179

I was rather disappointed to find the lack of a DXWW column in the April 30th bulletin. DX: 4/13 St. Pierre, Miquelon-1375 noted with excellant signal @ 1930. Solid copy, country #38. CFIW-1370 good @ 2005 in FF. WSKI-1240 good with rr 2020, ABC nx 2025. Vt. #7. 4/16 CJCB-1270 loud @ 0121. 4/25 RCP-1034, Lisbon, Port. excellent @ 0055. AFCN's stn on 1197.64, ACE, San Juan, Fort Brooke, Puerto Rico was hrd with fair signals 2235 to 2307 s/off. A v/l came back in one week signed by M/SGT Mel Longfield, Stn Manager. Mr. Longfield said that as far as he knew, mine was the first rpt of reception of ACE during the evening hours, from the States. With only 50 watts, this is my best DX catch to date. Also Puerto Rico #1 verified, country #39. 4/27 Norte II-1061, Port. fairly good with "VCW" @ 1812. 5/1 CKSO-790 good with rr 0125. WTBS-640, M.I.T.'s restricted radiation stn put in its usual good signal 1700. The engineering staff at WTBS find it hard to believe that I'm hearing their stn. I'm 6 miles away and their 5 watts strong (closed circuit); whats hard about that? WHRB-565, Harvard closed circuit, carrier noted 1715. I have not been able to get any audio from them yet! 5/8 Cuban on 1562 good @ 0217. 5/9 WRUM-790 very good on a LT 0120 w/rr. 5/11

Plymouth, Montserrat-885 logged with good signal 2015, country #40. 5/12 WAKY-790 hrd @ 0204, good signal. 5/13 WENY-1230 excellent @ 0107, WITH also strong. Other veries: WQAM, WADK. Totals 480/148. New equipment consists of a IM-10 frequency meter, FANTASTIC. By the time anyone reads this DX masterpiece, I will have obtained a rather large-type motorcycle; and, if I can find the time, I will try to bomb out to Milwaukee in August. '73.

Fred Prechtel, 2416 Lysle Lane, Cincinnati 42, Ohio

Hi once again; Egad!! Has WHO gone C&W? Looks like another good stn went to pot. Aside from local WKRC, that leaves only two stns, that consistantly play good music, at night, for us good mx lovers. WHAM w/Scott Gregory Show, and WNEW. Not much DX this time, due to the gigantic job of moving, but managed to log 4 new ones, since I'm at my new "pad". 5/15 WDXB-1490 0155; 5/17 WABH-1150 w/test at 2305 (nulled WIMA); 5/22 WROL-1490 0100, & WKGN-1340 0105. Only two veries in since last rpt, from WNMP & WISI, which brings my totals to 546/268. Here are a few more XR sites; WWL, Shore of Lake Pontchartrain, 7 miles west of New Orleans city limits, nr. Moisant Internat'l. airport. WNOE, Belle Chasse, La. KVKH? Rt. 1, 12 miles NW of Sheveport, La. WGBS, In Everglade swamps, off US 27, 20 miles NW of downtown Miami, Fla. WDGY, Bloomington, Minn. KXEN, Jct. Rt 111 & Byp. 66 nr Mitchell, Ill. KFAB, between Bellevue & Papillion, Neb. S. of Omaha. WKBN, Rt 164, S. edge of Youngstown, Ohio. WENS, W. edge of Columbus, nr Whitehall, O. WOSU, Mc Coy Rd. 5 miles NW of downtown Columbus. KRMG, 2 mi. S of Rt 51, 20 mi W. of downtown Tulsa. KOMA, Rt 74 S. edge of Okla. City. KEX, Sunnyside Rd. nr. Wichita, Ore. WIBG, between Plymouth & Cold Point, Pa. KCTA, Rt. 35, 1 mi. E. of Gregory, Tex. KGBT, 2 mi. W. of Lyford, Tex. KBAT, Rt 16, 5 mi. NW of San Antonio, Tex. city limits. KTRH, off Interstate 10, 30 mi. E. of downtown Houston, Tex. CBK, 1 mi. NE of Watrous, Sask. 73.

Paul Zec, P.O. Box 19, Somerville, Mass. 02145

Hi once again. DX for May: 5/7 WSIR-1350 0032, WERE-1300 0107, CJCB-1270 0118, WBAP-820 0200, WXYZ-1270 0213, CHFI-680 0301, WKAP-1320 0410. 5/21 CJCH-920 0023, WPTF-680 0100, WSPD-1370 0159-0205, WBAX-1240 0206. Latest veries: WORL-950, WERE-1300, WHIL-1430 w/WHIL pen, & WMAQ-670. Visited local WHIL along with Ralph Vatalaro recently. Mr. John Hart, their CE, said that their signal reached as far as Wash., D.C. Shortly, WLEK-1510 will go to 50 kw. Any member who needs another stn from Mass. (besides WBZ that is) should find them easy. Though I've only been in the IRCA for three months I've now been DXing for one year. Totals are: 227/93 hrd/verified, 26/21 states, 5/4 prov., 6/4 countries, and 28/11 Canadians. Totals have more than doubled since I joined the club in January. Ron Schatz or anyone: What is the power of CMQ-640? Of CMJL-740? Let's all pitch in and make the summer bulletins nice and thick. 73.

Ray Hartman, 5350 So. Nicolet Dr., New Berlin, Wis. 53151

Here I am again after a long absence from these hallowed pages. At last school is done for a while but now work interferes with DX. Managed to log a few though. Going way back to 4/23, CJOB-680 was in around 2200, the new WIKE-1170 is hrd all day, WLWX-1490 on 6/7 2130 and WDBQ-1490 on 6/7 2145. Only verie in from WOKY-920 from a 2/11/65 rpt; fast service. Totals at 546/154. To those attending the Convention, tours have been arranged with Miller Brewing Co. and The Milwaukee Journal stns WTMJ, WTMJ-TV for Aug. 27 morning & afternoon respectively. That's all till next time from your TV DX-er.

Rick Evans, P.O. Box 718, Gary, Indiana 46101

Hi gang. Since 4/30 I have been night billing clerk at Darling Freight, Inc. working 2300-0700 Tuesday through Saturday mornings. I have 8M and MM off. I am still not sure what real DX is here because of all the Chicago locals. What I think it is: 5/1 WJRC-1510 1302, WBEE-1570 1655, YLO-540 1715. 5/10 WEEF-1430 1430 (no foolin' hi). 5/16 TAR-790 0125, WBC-1240 2040 (shares time with 2 other stns). 5/21 WJIR-1350 0507. 5/26 WIOU-1350 0520. 5/27 WY-930 0020, KOA-850 0054, WLO-580 0200, WRTW-590 0258. 5/28 WMPL-1520 2130. 5/31 CKPC-630 0017, CHQ-640 0014, WGA-720 (I presume -- several mentions of Cuba and something about 50,000 watts) 0200, WKO-1080 0310, WRAD-1460 0400 s/on, WJPR-1330 0458 s/on. This isn't all by any means. Totals here 89/1. Lone verie--v/l WAK-1320. My antenna runs from the bedroom through a corner of the living room into the kitchen where my rx is--I DX during meals mostly. A small spur does extend about three feet into the living room. I wish whoever discovered kHz would quietly find a desert island. I approve of the 2-letter state abbrev. I think Paul Kirkpatrick has done a good job and hate to see him go. I am willing to help publish the bulletins but cannot do it here at my place as I don't have the room. Am willing to work with CPC next season. Whoever is in charge just drop me a line with info. Generally work is quiet and may be able to type up two or three letters a night. I would also be willing at this time to take over as an editor if one is needed (nothing like going the whole hog, hi). I now have more freedom than I have had at any time since last summer. I would like to hear from any area members. I have no phone here, though. Street address--429 Delaware, five blocks from downtown Gary. 73 for another month. 5/17 bulletin here overnight, hi.

Tom Toltmann WPE9HYL, 5018 No. Hollywood Avenue, Milwaukee, Wis. 53217

Hi group. Another word of tx to the family of Mike Shannon and Hugh Ducklow, who were ever so thoughtful in feeding us while Jim Foley, Tom Layde, Ray Hartman, and myself were in Appleton to meet face-to-face w/mike and Hugh to continue to plan the big Milwaukee IRCA National convention, August 26-29th. The results of our meeting are to be seen in this and future issues of the DXM, as well as at the convention itself. The registration fee has been set at \$10, and transportation, the banquet, and picnic is entirely included. Those interested in registering, please send your check to convention headquarters NCW, or before August 1st at the latest. For further details, see the IRCA convention rpt which should be in this issue of the DXM. No DX to rpt at this time, but w/school out, I may find time from my convention duties and work responsibilities to get in some more DX. See you next month, and in Milwaukee in August. 73.

Gary Bourgois, 221 Beech Street, Kingsford, Michigan 49802

GREETINGS GRADUATES! Due to the requests of Millions (Sam Millions IRCC #007) I am once again adding my two cents to the Forum. Many members have joined since my last rpt so I think a little re-introduction is in order: I am 19, and will be attending Northern Michigan University this comming fall, I hrld my first DX stn (WLAG-1510 WCN) way back in 1958, and have been hitting the dials ever since. Currently, I use an R-100A for my main BCB DX rig, but also make good use of a Motorola A-12N 8 tube job. I'm IRCA #177, and in my opinion, the IRCA has been a great asset to my DXing. Recent additions to the shack include a Realtone-4597 15 transistor receiver. This set has four bands and is quite a hot little performer. I was suprised to receive KRID-FM from Dallas last week at about 1600 in the afternoon. On BCB it is pretty good, although I have never really put it though its paces yet. Also just ordered a Roberts 770 tape recorder to replace the Roberts 1630 which I sold. When the 770 comes, I will attempt to get out some tapes to any sponders interested. Joe Gragg: I want to send you a 1200' tape--what address, Palestine or AM???? A few weeks ago, I started working at the Post Office as an assistant postal clerk, and I have gained many valuable insights on such things as why 3rd class takes so long and many other aspects of mail handling. I work in the afternoons, so evenings are once more free for DXing. Well guess I had better quit for now. See you in Milwaukee.

Alex Bowab, WIPR-FM, Mobile, Ala. 36606

I haven't hit these pages in quite a while now. By the way, where is my Main Man, Park Barton these days? Mobile just got something it needs like it needs hurricanes: another C&W programmed stn- WZAM-1270. We only had three already - WUNI, WTUF, WMOO. WZAM is the old WSIM which went off the air around May 25; they came back on today, 6/11, under new ownership, as WZAM. Locally, WUNI carries Braves BB games, WTUF has Chicago hite box, day games only.

Tom Jasinski, 11510 W. 192 St., Route #2, Mokena, Illinois 60448

Hi Gang! A little introduction to the never members; I am 19, have been DX'ing the BCB for about 3 years now, totals are 345/221; states 36/34 countries 9/7. RX is a Zenith with 6 tubes & IRCA loop. LCM: I am in favor of the two-letter state abbreviations. CX are bad here, static is terrible. It seems that the thunder storms around here hit on weekends and reach their peak on MM. It's been that way three weeks in a row, so no good MM DX. By the time you all read this I will be in Boot Camp at Great Lakes Naval Training Center north of Chicago. So this will be my last rpt until things settle down. I will rpt as often as possible. Latest DX: 5/30 KBN-570 0515-0535. Hrd what sounded like a bootleg on 1550 kc on 5/13. Hrd them from 2340 until they cut off at 2400. They ID as WMMO "Memmo" radio. They gave no definite location but I think they are around the Geary-Hammond Indiana area. Anybody else hear em? Latest veries: v/c WBCK-930, KMA-960, WBAL-1090, WDBJ-960; and WWTC-1280 with a v/l. That's it till next time. 73.

Tom Layde, 4968 North Idlewild Avenue, Whitefish Bay, Wis. 53217

Tom, Ray, Jim and I enjoyed the June 4 and 5 excursion to Appleton. Besides working on the convention and recreation, we were guided through WAPL's new studios. A point of interest: former WTMJ radio and TV sports director and a former Whitefish Bay resident, Mike Walden, is now with KNX in Los Angeles. DX since last rpt: 4/25 WLAY-1450 0044, KFRU-14000114, KUDL-1380 0121; 4/27 WLTH-1370 1734; 5/8 WCPA-1490 0201; 5/16 CJME-1300 0018; 5/19 KHMO-1070 2044; 5/22 CKRD-850 0155; 5/27 KSIS-1050 0214 TT, WRIG-1400 0227; 6/6 WIKE-11702006; 6/7 KCTA-1030 0510 (in SS); 6/10 WCWS-1450 0442, WVON-1450 0507. Latest veries: v/q WCHM & CKRD. v/l WINX, KFRU, CJOY, KILO, WYZE, WLTH, and CJME. KHMO's program director verified on the back of my rpt. Present totals 416/246, states still 41/DC/40/DC, prov. 7/7, and countries 8/5. Those wanting to swap WPE cards write right (hi) now! Remember the convention! Milwaukee may not have a baseball team, but we do have a basketball team. Would you believe polo??? 73.

Ross Hansch, 302 E. Dean Ave., Madison, Wis. 53716

As you read this think of us wandering around New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, and Prince Edward Island - with a bit of fishing on Cape Breton Island. Had the hallucination of logging every broadcast stn in the Maritimes, maybe even tape recordings, but then ~~xxx~~ realized it would take my best (and heaviest) receiver plus tape recorder, so decided it had better be a vacation from radio rather than with it. Of course there's still KPJ-0395/Canada and W9RBI/VEL and we do have the car radio, a transistor, and the Channel Master AM/FM clock radio so the divorce will not be too complete! WIKE-1170 Waupun, Wis., started RS May 26 and I gave them a call and a rpt of 54DB above the noise level, with WJJD 50KW only 49 above they should be happy. Their July times should be 6 s/on and 8:30 s/off, the frequency looks a little tough for you guys very far away, KSTT Davenport just makes it in here with WIKE nulled, and KV00 with WVVA take care of the east and midwest. Other new loggings: 4/18 KVOR-1300 0330-4 several poor IDs and no answer to tape. 4/19 2100 910 CKLY atop channel. 4/25 WCIS-1580 ID 0427. 4/30 KOUR-1220 0108 sent good tape and received verie with special thanks. 5/2 0045 950 KIMN - logging #500(not counting Cubans, call changes, or stns hrd more than two years ago.) 5/4 0400 950 WKAZ s/on taken out by s/on of WFET. 5/10 0350 1300 WOOD testing. WHMC v/q, WVCF v/l received. c u in Milwaukee.

Bill Raczko WPE8JBT, 3015 Lincolnshire Blvd., East Toledo, Ohio 43606

Hi again. Not much DX lately because of exams, moving, etc. Please address all correspondence to the new address listed above. Another problem facing me is that whenever the TV set is on, I get a loud, high-pitched noise in the radio, and this limits reception to almost nothing. Anybody know what's wrong? (I think that everyone has the same problem. You might try moving the radio farther away from the TV-SRR) Recent loggings are all MM 5/30: XEW-900 0115, KTOK-1000 0147, WKJG-1380 0125, UN-ID SS 1380 0200-0300 (Maybe WENX in New York-SRR), SS 1000 0056 strong signal but faded in and out very often, and had numerous ID's, but were unreadable. This was probably XEOY but I'm not sure. Newest veries are CHNS-960 v/q, WJAR-920 v/l, WKEW-1520 v/q, and (hi) WSPD-1370 v/q. Thanks go out to Mike Worst and Mike Bratcher for the cards. Well, that does it for this time. 73 and I swap 100%.

IRCA DECAIS: If you would like to buy some IRCA red, white, and blue decals send your money to Mike Hunter. Mike's address is: 1703 Westwood Ave., Richmond, Va. 23227.

Mike Shannon, 316 South Court, Appleton, Wisconsin 54911

Welcome from IRCA Convention State! Your convention hosts had a meeting here in Appleton June 4 and 5. Those attending were: Tom Stoltmann, Tom Layde, Jim Foley, Ray Hartman, Hugh Ducklow, Scott Shannon, and myself. Further plans were made for the convention, which will be held August 26-29 in Milwaukee. See the convention rpt elsewhere in this issue of DX Monitor. Ray gave me a tip for KUPD-1060 SM, so I tried and came up with something I'm unsure of. It was hr'd around 0200 EST SM 6/5, with the "Old Timer's Show", news and wx on the hour, and a Holiday Inn-sponsored AN show after the hour No IDs hr'd. Any ideas? Also, WIKE-1170 is now on the air from SR-SS. Meet Jim Foley, expert in the field of Milwaukee's most famous product, at the convention! Meet also Bill Lipis and Garry Stoklas, future publishers for the IRCA! SEE Don Erickson, 7-up Champion of SD-65, attempt to retain his title against challenger Hugh Ducklow! SEE the drag race of the decade, with Tom Stoltmann in his Pontiac against Mike Shannon in his Oldsmobile! On the more relaxing side, there will be plenty of browsing through the displays at the convention rooms and socializing with new and old friends. Anybody see the picture of the man with 100 old radios in the EL? We're arranging for IRCA members to be able to see his collection at the convention. If your interest lies more in modern radios, Hallicrafters will have on display an exhibit of their newest communication equipment. In all, it's shaping up to be a great convention. Don't miss out on this one!

Bruce R. Pigott WPE1GMB, 53 Marshall St., Medford, Mass. 02155

As long as you are reading this, hello there. Just got through with a telephone call Ralph Vatalaro Jr. I found out quite a few things that should help me in the future. Now for some DX: 4/16 CMQ-640 0210-0218, WCMB-680 0220-0228, CMBC-690 0228-0232 o/CBF 0232-0236 u/CBF, CMCA-730 0240-0245 distorted, WCCO-830 0252-0300 good signal, Un IDed Mexican 860 or 870 0300-0315, CKCY-920 0330-0340, with a great signal better than semi-local WJAR-920, 4/17 CMCY-550 0440-0449 good signal, 4/18 WKER-1250 and WRYT-1250 fighting each other with WRYT winning most 0225-0237, 4/19 CKPC-1380 2310-2318, 4/23 UnIDed stn u/CKM-940 possibly in SS, CKIM-1580 0220-0231 great signal as if it was a local, CFCR u/CKIM, 5/21 WCWO-1190 2157-2222, 5/23 WBEM-780 2150-2208, 5/27 ZFB1-960 0108-0150, with no interference at all. Recent DX has been low because I have been away weekends which is the time I do most of my DXing. Rpts to WCWO, WKAT. Only v/q is WBEM. I have a 3 speed tape recorder, left track only, and can get a hold of a 2 speed stereo tape recorder in case anybody wants to tapespond. Does anybody know which stn Ron Landry and Joel Cash came from. They are 2 new DJs on WBZ and I know they both worked for the same stn. If I can see where a change will make an improvement, I'll go along with it. But what improves when cycles per second is changed to Hertz. The only difference is confusion. 73 until next time.

Steven R. Russell, 8914 Mohawk Lane, Bethesda, Maryland 20034

Support has improved greatly this month. Glad to see it. School gets out tomorrow (thur), so should have some time for DX'ing by next week. DX: 5/30 WTIK-1310 w/C&W mx until 0002 s/off (said would s/on at 0500), WINN-1240 0014 w/rr music. Follow up rpts have been sent to WDIR-1550, WYNS-1150, & WJTC-1480, hope they answer this time, hi. Just received the 1966 World Medium Wave Guide, and to me, its much better than the Jones log. And if you ordered it through Larry Godwin it costed less too, hi! I hope many of you took the opportunity to order then at the reduced price. Only verie is KQV-1410. Larry Godwin: received the WMWG on 6/4, one week earlier than I thought it would come. I hope to have a new typewriter in time for the July issue, I bet all of you will be glad, hi. &3 and Milwaukee in 1966.

IRCA STATIONERY

Hey, how come nobody's ordered any IRCA stationery lately. We still have it so don't be bashful. Just \$1.30 per hundred sheets postpaid. Send your order in to Headquarters today. Write to Box 112, Englewood, Colorado 80110. Dress ur your reception reports and correspondence. Improve your verie returns? Can't say but it will help promote the club to radio stations.

HELP!!

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the 1st IRCA Slogan List was not ready at the beginning of the year as I had hoped and planned. However, it is ready to be typed into stencils now and will be ready shortly. Because of a poor typewriter and a broken thumb in a cast, I will be unable to type the stencils. If you would like to volunteer to do the stencils, contact me: Larry Colton, 375 W. 20th St., Holland, Mich. 49423 Thank you very much.

A MESSAGE FROM YOUR PRESIDENT

Once again it is time to discuss many important subjects. Our club has been confronted with many problems and the courses we take to solve them will to a large degree determine the entire future of our club.

It is the usual thing for most of us during the summer lull in BCB DXing to "hibernate" from our DXing and club activities. However, we cannot go into complete seclusion during these months for we can use this time to our advantage through the combined efforts of all of us.

At present, our club's major problem is that of a new publisher. Our present publisher, Bill Nittler, has served us well ever since we started and all of us are grateful for his unselfish contribution to our club. But now Bill has taken on added responsibilities and will not be able to continue as our publisher. Fortunately, we do have volunteers to become our new Publishing Committee. At this date, their appointment has not yet been approved by our Board, but I sincerely hope it will be. Of course, we will always have critics of any important decision, and my decision to support this appointment is no exception. It is interesting to note, though, that while the opponents to this move are adamant in their refusal to support this appointment, they have not come up with any constructive solution to the publisher problem. It is my wish that if and when my appointment of our new Publishing Committee is approved that all of us, including the opponents to it, will support and rally around them. Bill Nittler will tell you that the job of publisher is very unrewarding and harrowing, so let us give our publisher, present and future, all the support and cooperation he deserves.

In previous Messages I have mentioned the progress of our Publication Format Committee. The PFC is now in its final stage in which it will submit the revised Editorial Policy it has approved to our Board. The most significant change will be the creation of time zone reporting areas, with a "DX Forum" and a "DX Roundup" for each. Our present EC "DXF" editor, Steve Russell, has volunteered to serve as AST/EST "DX Forum" editor; Jeff Kadet, another top DXer, stated that he would like to cover the AST/EST "DX Roundup." Dave Johnson and Larry Godwin have indicated they may serve as CST/MST "DX Roundup" and PST/HST "DX Roundup" editors, respectively. These two commitments are not definite ones as of yet, though. This will still leave openings for CST/MST "DX Forum" editor and PST/HST "DX Forum" editor, and possibly "DX Roundup" editors for these areas, depending upon whether Dave and Larry make firm commitments. Although the entire Policy must first be approved by our Board before these columns can be created, I would like to prepare ahead of time so that delays in editorships can be held to a minimum if and when our new EP is approved. If you live in either reporting area and would like to serve our club in any of these positions (members who are able to compile both a "Forum" and a "Roundup" for his area are especially needed!), please contact me as soon as possible so we can start our plans before the upcoming DX season is upon us. The new columns will be similar in size and content to our present PST/HST "DX Forum" and "DX Roundup" columns. With the inception of both the "DXF" and the "DXR" columns, it will be easier to compile both columns, since the "DXR" will take up all DX reports now in the "DXF," with the "DXF" used for supplemental discussions of these reports, verifications, the club, etc. Under the new system, the "DXR" will take up about a page each and the "DXF's" approximately two pages each, so as you can see, this will definitely ease our editor's workload. Once again, if you believe you can fill any of these positions, contact me right away!

During the last DX season we experienced a very poor showing of DX programs. This was due mainly to a lack of an active CPC Chairman. As a result of this, I have dismissed our CPC Chairman and have sent to our Board my appointment of Larry Colton, 375 West 20th Street, Holland, Michigan, 49423, as our new CPC Chairman. While as of yet his appointment has not been confirmed, I am confident of its passage. If any of our present CPC members or any other members interested in helping our CPC are interested in Larry's new plans to re-vitalize our CPC, why not drop him a line? This valuable "off" time for DXing can be used to our advantage by becoming fully

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The office of IRCA representative to the Association of North American Radio Clubs is open for anyone interested in helping our other ANARC rep, Gray Scrimgeour. The ANARC is an inter-club organization whose goal is to improve DXing through better relationships between DXers, their clubs, manufacturers, and broadcasters. In the past the ANARC has done tremendous groundwork for a better hobby, and its upcoming convention in Kansas City in July will be another giant step towards better understanding of all concerned. If you would be interested in helping Gray as our voice in the Association, please let me know.

One of the most pleasing things to me has been the response to our call for donations to create the Ted Vasilopoulos Award for our club. As a result, the TVA has become a reality for this year and a foundation has been laid for future TVA's. This award consists of an inscribed plaque and a free year's membership in our club. The TVA will be awarded to the one member you believe has best upheld the high standards of DXing that Ted kept for himself while he was with us and who has done the most to promote our club and its programs, of which Ted was a charter member. There are several fine members in our club and many of them could fit these requirements. However, only one TVA will be presented at our conventions each year, and it will be up to you to decide its recipient. A ballot is enclosed in the By-laws amendments section in this issue so when you receive it, decide your choice with care and return it to me.

I wish to take this opportunity to personally thank all of those who expressed their thoughtfulness and consideration of my decision to resign as president so that I may devote my time and efforts towards our Savior, the Lord Jesus Christ. To correct any misconceptions, I am not at present working to become a minister as such, being in the Air Force would preclude such taking place. I am only going to work for the Lord and to oppose those who would teach against and destroy the Word of God. I shall continue to serve only until after the 1966 Convention or if the Board appoints a successor in the mean time. If you believe you are capable to fill this position, and preferably for some length of time, please write and let me know.

One more, I urge each and every member to help our club in any and every way you can. As you can see, we have big plans for our next DX season, but they will only become realities if all of us pitch in and do his share of the work. Membership in our club is not merely subscribing to our bulletin, it is a pledge that you will do all you can to help our club prosper. Success is only the rooftop of a foundation of dedication and determination and for walls of hard work. Take away either of these two elements and success will crumble. If our club was worth the dues you paid to join it, then should not it be worth enough for you to make certain your dues were not paid in vain?

--Paul Kirkpatrick
IRCA President
CMR, Box 80649
Tucson, Arizona 85707

BY-LAWS AMENDMENTS INFORMATION

In accordance with Article XV of the IRCA By-laws, we publish the text of the By-laws amendment proposals that have had full consideration and approval by the IRCA Board of Directors so the IRCA membership may vote to approve or reject their enactment as amendments to the IRCA By-laws. The ballot to mark your choice is enclosed with this copy of DX Monitor. Mail your ballots to Paul Kirkpatrick, Chairman, IRCA Election Committee, CMR, Box 80649, Tucson, Arizona, 85707.

Special attention should be given to amendment proposals 2.1-81 and 2.1-88. Since 2.1-81 would empower the publisher to appoint editors and 2.1-88 would maintain the power of the president to appoint editors, there can only be one amendment of these two enacted. It was the decision of the Board to permit the question of whom should appoint editors to the entire membership in general. Therefore, a vote in favor of 2.1-88 must result in a vote against 2.1-81 and vice versa. The amendment proposal receiving the most votes in favor of it shall be declared as enacted and the other shall be declared as null and void. Please keep this information in mind as you vote on 2.1-81 and 2.1-88.

Proposal 2.1-67. By-laws amendment to Article V, Section 2, Part 1, a.

Amendment to the IRCA By-laws to be submitted to the membership for ratification: Article V, Section 2, Part 1, a, to be reworded to read: "shall preside at all official club functions, including the annual business meeting, when in attendance. If he is not to be present at the annual business meeting, he will appoint at least two weeks in advance of the meeting date a member who does plan to attend, to preside over the meeting; this is not subject to Board approval."

Proposal 2.1-71. By-laws amendment to Article V, Section 4.

"In case...duties, a new election shall be arranged and held in order to refill the vacated position, the election to be executed according to the fitting clauses of Article III of these By-laws and the nature of the office in question. This section of the By-laws shall not apply during and between the months of April and June (of election year)." For Article V, Section 4.

Proposal 2.1-72. By-laws amendment to Article V, Section 2, Part 1, k.

"shall have power to vote on any proposal that does not receive a majority decision by the Board of Directors during the contemporary administration so as to break any deadlock that would result."

Proposal 2.1-73. By-laws amendment to Article V, Section 2, Part 2, e.

"...examination, and, at the time of said submission, shall present the statement to the membership through the official club publication."

Proposal 2.1-79. By-laws amendment to Article X.

The following amendment to the IRCA By-laws is submitted and shall be processed in accordance with Article XV of the IRCA By-laws.

Article X of the IRCA By-laws shall be amended by deleting the words "and date" and adding the sentence, "The date of the annual convention shall be determined as early as possible by its hosts."

Proposal 2.1-81. By-laws amendment to Article V, Section 2, Part 1, h, and Article IX.

Proposal: That the word "president" be deleted, and the word "publisher" be inserted in Article IX of the IRCA By-laws. That "appoint and/or" also be omitted from Article V, Section 2, Part 1, h.

RECENT BOARD ACTIONS (Continued)

Proposal	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	Final Action
2.1-82. By-laws amendment to Art. VI and VIII.	0	A	0	0	F	F	.	Defeated
2.1-83. By-laws amendment to Art. V, Sec. 2, Pt. 1, j, and adding an additional sub-part.	F	A	F	F	F	F	.	Passed
2.1-84. Proposal to officialize "Typical Reception Report" of 1/19/66 DX Monitor and authorize publication of said report on a report form.	F	A	A	F	O	F	.	Defeated
2.1-85. By-laws amendment to Art. V, Sec. 2, Part 1.	0	A	0	0	F	F	.	Defeated
2.1-86. By-laws amendment to Art. IX.	0	A	0	0	O	F	.	Defeated
2.1-87. Ballot for Region #4 BoD member.***	JK	JK	JK	JK	JK	RS	.	Jack Keene

NOTES: Numbered columns indicate BoD member representing that particular Region. The Region #7 votes on 2.1-60 and 2.1-61 were from Don Erickson, former #7 Director. All Region #7 votes 2.1-62 and on are from Randy Seaver. Regions #2 and #4 are not listed in various proposals due to vacancies in that particular BoD Region office when the proposals were up for votes before the Board.

F--a vote in favor of proposal, O--vote in opposition to proposal, A--abstination from voting on proposal.

* All votes in "favor" of 2.1-61 were votes to elect Randy Seaver.

** DR--Donald Roller, LS--Larry Snouffer, MM--Mike Mitock.

*** JK--Jack Keene, RS--Ron Schatz.

Plans are being made to compile a "standard" for submitting proposals. If and when such outline is approved by the Board, it will be published to facilitate the processing of proposals and clear up any misconceptions as to the how's" of submitting proposals. If you would like to submit a proposal, contact your BoD member for your Region or drop me a line. Several "home brew" proposals are delayed because they do not have sufficient copies to be sent out, or would in some way violate previously established regulations without first amending these regulations, and for other reasons. It is suggested that you contact either your Director or myself if you have any questions before you submit the actual proposal(s).

--Paul Kirkpatrick
IRCA President

FCC CHANGESNEW STATIONS

- 1090 Englewood, Tennessee 1kw.-D
 1110 Calhoun, Georgia 250w--D (requests call letters WEBB)
 1530 Andalusia, Alabama (1kw.--D (requests call letters WAAO)
 1280 Fortuna, California 1kw.--D (requests call letters KIMF)
 1130 Gallatin, Tennessee 250w.-D

POWER CHANGES

- 660 KOWH Omaha, Nebraska from 500w-D to 1kw.-D
 660 KSKY Dallas, Texas from 1kw.-D to 10kw.-D
 870 WKAR E. Lansing, Mich. from 5kw.-DA to 10kw.-DA
 1060 WMAP Monroe, N.C. from 250w-D to 1kw.-D
 1100 WLBB Carrollton, Ga. from 250w-D to 1kw.-D
 1230 WINO Winslow, Arizona from 250w-U to 1kw.-D and 250w-N
 1310 KOIT Barstow, Calif. from 500 w-D to 5kw.-DA-D
 1340 KTOW Sand Springs, Okla. from 250w-U to 500w-D and 250w-N
 1340 WSEB Sebring, Florida from 250-U to 1kw.-D and 250w-N

Call letters assigned

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| 970 WXXL Harriman, Tenn. | 1520 WTRI Brunswick, Maryland |
| 1390 WYXI Athens, Tenn. | KSPR Springdale, Arkansas |
| 1520 KMFB Mendocino, Calif. | KCCC Carlsbad, N.M. |

Call changes

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| 790 KFGO Fargo, N.D. (x-KXGO) | 1600 WOUE Troy, New York (x-WXEW) |
| 1250 WTAE Pittsburgh, Pa. (X-WRYT) | WHEL New Albany, Indiana (x-WNUW) |
| 1360 KICK McCook, Nebr. (X-KWRV) | |

Call letters REQUESTED

- WAYK Valparaiso, Ind. requests WAKE
 WSKP Miami, Fla. requests WOCN
 WJRL Rockford, Ill. requests WYFE
 WHOF Canton, Ohio requests WOIO
 WIKI Chester, Va. requests WKEX
 KFDA Amarillo, Tex. requests KFAD
 KNEW Spokane, Wash. requests KJRB
 KEWB Oakland, Calif. requests KNEW

- Rochelle, Ill. requests WROR
 Jacksonville, Fla. requests WBOM
 Middlebury, Vt. requests WFAD
 Wordruff, S.C. requests WSJW
 Rutherford, N.C. requests WCAB
 Watch for possible call changes and call assignments on these!!

VOICE OF THE BLUE EAGLE

The House of Representatives approved funds last week for a replacement of the two planes currently serving as air-borne television transmitters over the South Vietnamese country-side. The bill will go back to the Senate which previously passed a similar bill with a lower price tag. The bill would earmark 20 million dollars for the Navy and Marine Corps to supplement or replace two C-121 "Blue Eagle" aircraft that have been used as flying broadcast stations for Vietnamese and U.S. military personnel. The two planes, according to the House committee, have been operating with some ingenious makeshift modifications, and both were damaged (one almost destroyed) in a Viet Nam mortar attack in April. The operation, called "Project Jenny" was begun by the Defense Dept. on February 7th. The airborne facilities simultaneously transmit on two TV channels, one for the Vietnamese and one for the U.S. Forces. Broadcasts are also made on 1000 kc. on BCB, being the audio of the TV programming. (BROADCASTING 6/20)

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The past month found visits from Larry Godwin on his way home to Amarillo and from Bob Ziel on his Colorado trip prior to entering the Navy. Both welcome visits and don't forget, the Nittler welcome mat is always out for DXers. Haven't really used the HQ-180 for its intended purpose for some time now. Only verie in the last month was from WVAK-1560. Verie total now at 2218. Goal will be for 2360 by January 1st. Noted mention of probable call change on KRDS-1190 in NRC bulletin but they are still using KRDS as of last week. To answer some of you who have wondered in the bulletin, club membership is now at around 250. We have had no active recruiting program for nearly a year now and membership is just naturally dropping due to disinterest of many who join and then don't continue in the hobby. Believe that according to ANARC bylaws we are only entitled to one representative now, right Gray? Hopefully, the publishing crisis will be solved soon and other editorship problems will be worked out for the best of the club. The only thing to really improve the club is for YOU to send in a report. YOU like to read the bulletin so contribute something for someone else to read.

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As of deadline only 3 reporters have contributions for the "Round-up" column, including Larry Godwin, Sweden Calling DX'ers! (via Lars Rydén), and myself. Ken Brownless also checked in. Now what happened to YOU?? S Special recognition goes to Larry Godwin, who hasn't missed a single "DXWW" while I've been editor of the section! S Well:

VOA on Swan??

Here is a paragraph from an article on hurricane Alma that appeared in the 7-June Miami Herald. Draw your own conclusions: "Swan Island, a desolate little station occupied by weathermen, Federal Aviation Agency and Voice of America personnel" (My underline - RFS) "in the Caribbean, got 10 inches of rain while Alma was building up strength about 75 miles away. Kr...."

desde Cuba, Territorio Libre de América

600 ... Trinidad, L.V., is now back on the air relaying "Rebelde".

760 CMCD La Habana, L.H., is presently off the air, a victim of hurricane Alma.

1040 CMKW Santiago de Cuba, Orte., seems to be the one here, relaying CMKC. Formerly 1052.

1090 ... Oriente province, is a CMKC relay rather than CMKZ. Location still unknown. Sorry about previous info.

670 CMKP Holguín, Orte., is back here from 1011 kc/s.

Thanks to the hurricane the present situation in Cuba is a mess. Stations are changing "cadenas" and formats by the hour, and a special "Radio Periódico Nacional" net is among them. More info once things settle down behind the cactus curtain.

Before we begin the "Roundup" column, note these trial innovations: First of all, we're back to "kc/s" by more or less popular demand; so let them call us squares! Also, we'll play around with three "Roundups", from suggestions by several of our members.

The Pan-American DX Roundup

640 HRTM HONDURAS, San Pedro Sula, "Radio Molino Rojo, La Voz Popular", logged at 0100 s/off 6/10 w/sung anthem. Strength midway between louder TGW and HOK. CMQ off. (Schatz)

660 ?SS? UNID/SS here MM 5/9 at 0605, at the same time CB76 was strong on 760. Might possibly have been CB66. (Godwin)

690 CC69 CHILE, Concepción, "Radio Universidad" is now here, ex-680, per Chilean correspondent. Power is 1 kw. (Godwin) Larry, is your "correspondent" named Luis del Valle? I'm expecting him in Miami come September. (Editor)

700 ... JAMAICA, Montego Bay, J.B.C., in as loud as most Central Florida stations here at noon 6/8, even next to local WGBS! Well over regular JBC-750. (Schatz)

750 KFQD ALASKA, Anchorage s/off 0500 MM 5/23, strong. (Godwin)

760 CB76 CHILE, Santiago, "Eadena Radial, La Voz de Chile" was very readable atop XEABC MM 5/9 0541-0559. Frequently plays 6-note theme from "Pomp & Circumstance" during programming. Report sent. (Godwin)

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- 780 OAX4X PERÚ, Lima, "Radio Victoria" was, I'm 99% sure, the ID heard 5/7 at 0603. (Godwin)
- 800 PJB BONAIRE, ID'd strong 5/9 0500 during "California IRCA Contest". (Godwin)
- 805 ?SS? UNID/SS, believed to be Ecuador, was noted here with fair signal 6/6 at 0200 s/off. (Schatz)
- 830 CMCA CUBA, La Habana heard with familiar IS 5/6 2344. (Godwin) Constantly asks for reception reports to P.O. Box 6951. Off the air 6/8-9 for hurricane. (Schatz)
- 840 CB84^V CHILE, Valparaiso surprised me with a very readable signal 5/11; definite ID's as "Radio Portales" at 0540 and 0554, and fade-out at 0604. Already verified by friendly letter (w/stamps) from Sr. Nelson Tarud Beltran, Gerente, CB84, Casilla 89-V. A second letter from J.A. Fleming says the station has been in operation only 6 months, and the XR is CCA Electronics 10 kw. This is not the same CB84 - Viña del Mar that I heard from Boulder. (Godwin)
- 850 HJKC COLOMBIA, Bogotá gave plugs for both CARACOL and CRANSONAR networks MM 5/9 at 0517. (Godwin)
- 880 ?PP? UNID/PP. I believe I had a Brazilian here MM 5/9 at 0358-0400; quickly faded. The language seemed Portuguese, but considerable static. (Godwin) PR13, "Rádio Inconfidência", is AN, but ZYU33 - "Rádio Itai" is on at that time. (Editor)
- OBZ4N PERÚ, Lima, believed to be the station w/chimes IS 0557 MM 5/9 just prior to s/on, but faded fast. (Godwin)
- 1020 TGUX GUATEMALA, Guatemala was probably the SS with marimba music 5/11 0611-0621, while I was looking for CP4. Then on 5/21 at 0530 another station, seemed SS, weak; possibly CP4.
- 1045 HOJ2^V PANAMÁ, Las Tablas verified 1/20 report, thanks to Sra. Nilda Dominguez, Secretaria. Very friendly letter; QTH is Apartado 10. (Godwin)
- 1157 ... SWAN ISLAND (It's here, booby! - Editor) was in well with IS at 0450, followed by s/on. (Godwin) Pardon, I'm "doctoring" some pictures. (Schatz)
- 1160 ?PP? UNID/PP. I believe I may have had a Brazilian here MM 5/9 at 0340. The language seemed Portuguese, but signals were quite weak. (Godwin) 15 listed by FEIS. (Schatz - Editor)
- 1180 CB118 CHILE, Santiago heard w/ID as "Radio Portales" at s/on 0530 6/4, preceded by gongs and brief music. Stronger 5/9, but no ID then; also SS commercials 0553-6, quite strong that AM. (Godwin)
- 1180 XEFR MÉXICO, México, D.F. "Radio Felicidad" ID'd strong 5/22 at 0239. Ron, is this one only 250 watts at night? Seemed more like 5-10 kw. (Godwin) So all sources say, but the station may have a secret. Weak here; I'm in their null. You have their peak, Larry. (Editor)
- 1200 ??? UNID. Two stations were heard MM 5/9 at 0344, and the language on both seemed Romance. One or both might have been Brazilian; signals quite weak. (Godwin) Let's see: CMKD - "Reloj Nacional" is AN, along with PRB6. HJNF - "R. 1200" is also AN on occasion. (Editor)
- 1210 LV3 ARGENTINA, Córdoba has recently been heard in New Zealand at 0000 EST s/off on a Monday. It is listed as 1150 kc/s, so apparently has changed frequency. Slogan is "Radio Córdoba". Perhaps could make it to NA on FM's when WCAU s/off at 2300. (NZDXT via Godwin) And CMHK off as well!
- 1220 HJKR^V COLOMBIA, Bogota verified my report of 2/21 with a friendly letter. The Gerente, Luis Forero Luque, said he answered the report 3/2 but his letter didn't arrive. QTH is Apto.

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- 1240 CMKE CUBA, Victoria de las Tunas, was logged all 6/8 evening relaying "Radio Periódico Nacional". (Schatz)
- 1270 IS11 ARGENTINA, La Plata was heard in New Zealand well after 0000 EST. I believe this one is AN. (NZDXT via Godwin)
- 1370 HJKX^v COLOMBIA, Bogotá, "Radio Mundial" sent a friendly letter, pennant and copy of its monthly bulletin, which contained a copy of my report. V/sis José J. Molina R., Gerente. QTH is Apartado aéreo 20333, Bogotá 2. (Godwin)
- 1440 CC1A44 CHILE, Concepción, "Radio Bio-Bio" is a new station that began operation around 4/15 w/1 kw, per Chilean correspondent. (Godwin)
- 1513 HJLQ COLOMBIA, Barranquilla, ID'ed as "Radio Minuto", strong 0416 5/9. (Godwin)
- 1550 ?SS? UNID/SS behind CBE MM 5/9 at 0421, maybe a good one. (Godwin) Maybe WKTF in Yauco, P.R. (Editor)
- 1560 ?PP? UNID/PP. Station appeared to be Portuguese-speaking, so perhaps a Brazilian. It was rather clear MM 5/9 at 0316. There are many LP Brazilians listed here; which would you suggest, Ron? (Godwin) ZYK30, "Rádio Cultura do Nordeste" in Caruaru, Pern., is the one most heard in the East. ZYU42, "Rádio Camaquense" in Camaquã, R.G.S. have also heard ZYU42, and some others. (Editor)
- The Trans-Pacific DX Roundup
All via Larry Godwin
- 610 2FC^v AUSTRALIA, Sydney was verified by air letter from C.A. Symons, Acting Director Programmes NSW, A.B.C., GPO Box 487, Sydney. My report was for 3/27 reception.
- 650 2NU^v AUSTRALIA, Tamworth was verified in same letter as 2FC-610 (above). Mr. Symons checked with 8DR, 6AL and 2NU to determine that only 2NU was // 2NR on 3/28 during my reception. Certainly a thorough and comprehensive method of checking reports!
- KORL HAWAII, Honolulu strong 5/8 at 0612 during "California Contest".
- 720 4YZ NEW ZEALAND, Invercargill boosted power from 5 to 20 kw on 4/16, per NZDXT.
- 738 ... MACAU, Vila Verde now verified, thanks to EE letter from J.J. Alvares, CE, Rádio Vila Verde Macau, 123 Rua F.X. Pereira. Advises hours are 1700-1000 EST during the summer, 1800-1100 otherwise. The tape I sent was of a request programme and weather report for Macau and Hong Kong. Power is 10 kw. (RCA). Mr. Alvares says he has received only one other correct taped report, from Seattle (Roy Millar's).
- 780 4YA NEW ZEALAND, Dunedin was readable MM 5/23 at 0430, announcing program log. Barely audible at s/off w/GSQ 5/11 0622.
- 810 ... JAPAN, Tokyo, TEM sent an attracting QSL card to verify my tentative reception report of 2/7.
- 820 4ZA NEW ZEALAND, Invercargill tentatively the station w/woman announcer in EE mentioning Auckland 0405-0439 MM 5/23. Already QSL'ed.
- 830 ... THAILAND, Bangkok was likely the station I had along with KIKI 12/20/65, as my Thai friend ID'ed the language for me. Taped tentative sent.
- 843 ... THAILAND, Khon Kaen probably does not relay "Radio Peking" as apparently I misunderstood my Thai friend concerning this point. He says Chinese stations broadcast programs

Pirates Galore!

Contributors for this section include Sweden Calling DX'ers!, Medium-Wave News, and Ken Brownless - MWN's editor.

- 773 Radio 3-9-O. QTH is 35a Bessborough Place, London S.W.1. Heard by Ken Brownless days S9+63.
- 845 Radio England was heard testing by KB on 5/21 and after. Soon to be 24 hours. QTH is 32 Curzon Street, London, W.1. Hrd by KB S9+66.
- 1034 Radio City. 20 kw. Sked 0100-1300 (a daytimer in Europe!). KB hears it S9+48 days.
- 1110 Radio 270 is expected to be on the air in June, but is having legal troubles with its ship. Located off Scarborough, about 50 miles from County York. QTH is Westminster Bank Chambers, St. Nicholas Street, Hillhead, G (The applicator broke on my connection fluid, sorry) Scarborough, Yorkshire.
- 1133 Radio London is heard by Ken Brownless days at S9+72.
- 1259 Radio Scotland is located off Troon in the Firth of Clyde. Now 20 - soon 50 kw. Sked 24 hours. QTH is Radio Scotland House, Cransworth Street, Hillhead, Glasgow, W.2. Hrd by KB S9+24.
- 1268 Radio Tower expects to have a full daytime sked when it returns to the air, if it hasn't already done so.
- 1277 Radio Dynavision was heard by a reporter to SCDX! 4/30 0930-1030.
- 1349 Radio Essex has a QTH c/o T.P. Bates, 33 Avenue Road, Westcliffe-on-Sea, Essex, England..
- 1493 Radio Invicta apparently replaces Radio Caroline South on this frequency - 60 kw. The latter is in the 1187-kc/s area, soon to move to 1169 kc/s, per speculation. RCS heard by KB S9+60.
- 1511 Radio Jim has been heard on a Sunday morning at 0500 by a reporter to SCDX!
- 1520 Radio Caroline North is heard by KB at S9+48 strength days.
- 1562 Radio Veronica. QTH is P.O. Box 218, Hilversum Holland.

Projected are Radio Britain, also Radio Channel, the latter anchored off Bexhill, Sussex.

Radio Hauraki is the name of the projected New Zealand pirate.

Power will be 2 kw., per SCDX!

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Nord-und-Westdeutscher Rundfunk Changes

From German DX'er Rolf Blödorn, via several sources:

- 701 Flensburg, 10 kw, formerly 1570 kc/s.
- 971 Bonn, 5 kw, formerly 1586 kc/s.
- Hannover, 40 kw, formerly 1586 kc/s.
- Kleve, 3 kw, formerly 1586 kc/s,
- Oldenburg, 40 kw, formerly 1586 kc/s.
- 1570 Kiel & Csnabriück, 5 kw ea, formerly 1586 kc/s.
- 1586 Langenberg, 350 kw, formerly 971 kc/s.

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570 CMHI CUBA, Santa Clara has been off the air since the hurricane. HJND is now dominant all evening. (Schatz)

640 CMQ CUBA, La Habana hasn't been AN since the hurricane. Presently operating w/lower power. (Schatz)

660 2YC NEW ZEALAND, Wellington heard 5/10 0600 s/off w/GSQ. (Seaver)

670 TGRT GUATEMALA, Guatemala, "La Fabulosa" poor 5/25 0010. (Seaver)

720 TGN GUATEMALA, Guatemala, "Radio Cultural" s/on is 0600, daily occurrence, blocking any 4YZ. (Randy Seaver) / (Seaver)

760 1YA NEW ZEALAND, Auckland // 4YA 5/23 0520; slated to go 24 h.

850 YNAV NICARAGUA, Managua, "Radio Continental" is easiest YN here. S/off 0300, as on 6/12. (Seaver)

880 OBZ4N PERU, Lima, "Radio Union" probably the Inca-ish music (Oriental cast) 5/30 0605. Checked SW// but blocked. On 5/31, a 4-note ID was repeated before 0600: "C-E-C-D". (Seaver)

885 YNKW NICARAGUA, ???? is a new one here. No slogan or location known, just calls. S/off Sundays ca. 2100. (Schatz)

990 HJDB COLOMBIA, Medellin heard 5/30 0535, good at times. (Seaver)

1020 CP4 BOLIVIA, La Paz, "Radio Illimani" (Slogan sounds something like "Radio Easy Money", hi. - Editor) probably the unID s/on heard w/Anthem 6/9 0530. Man and woman alternated talking. Weak, no audible ID's. Anybody sing the Bolivian NA? (Seaver)

CMBN CUBA, Isla de Pinos, "Radio Cristal" (Note new slogan - Ed.) "La Voz de Cuba" ID heard 6/3 0300. Quite decent signal. Power, RFS? (Seaver) 250 watts listed. Lousy signal here days, better nights. (Editor)

TGUX GUATEMALA, Guatemala (What ever happened to Villa Victoria? - Editor) "Radio Panamericana" s/on is 0600 daily. (Seaver)

1180 CB118 CHILE, Santiago heard 5/30 from 0520-0610, nice signal, no positive ID as "Diego Portales" but mentions of "Chile" and "chilena" frequent. (Seaver)

1210 HJFF COLOMBIA, Pereira, "La Voz Amiga" heard 5/30 0459, 5/23 at 0531. (Seaver)

1285 ?SS? UNID/SS here 5/30 0510, early for YNRPS, yes? HJ maybe? (Seaver) Maybe! (Editor)

1322 . . . INTERNATIONAL WATERS, "Radio Britain", has been heard testing here 5/25 by reporter to SCDX!

1562 CMGB CUBA, Varadero (But unID by R. Seaver) LA mixing with 1560 SS, likely the Cuban. 250 watts, RFS? (Seaver) Si. (Ed.)

The above items arrived at deadline. Meanwhile, the co-pilot re-marked to the pilot of a disabled craft:

BUCHUANALAND (Get it?), Francistown has been heard on 602 kc/s // 926 kc/s by reporter to SCDX!

FIJI ISLANDS. VRH-930 moves to 560 kc/s, mentions VRH3-890 and VRH2-710 only at s/on. (NZDXT via Seaver)

NEW ZEALAND. Pirate station "Radio Hauraki" will broadcast on 1450 kc with 200 watts. (NZDXT via Seaver) Ought to get around! (Editor)

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"DXWW" Tip of the Month

764 . . . SENEGAL, Dakar is a chinch (?) on the EC, both summer and winter. Try for them this MM between 0100 and 0200 EST. They feature mostly Arabic chanting and tribal music. I heard them in NYC on a 4-tube clock-radio two Junes ago!