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We welcome the renewals of Fred R Borchardt-Gail T Beyer and Donald Wattenbarger from our Service Fund. Thanks a lot boys.

A card received today Feb 28th from Dick Cooper informing that he has received word from Station KIEV on 870 kcs located in Glendale, Calif that they will broadcast a DX program dedicated to the National Radio Club on March 2 1945 from 3 to 4 AM EWT. Delay in answering was due to getting the permission of the management. This is a rare catch and it is hoped you who are registered with Dik will receive your notification card in time to tune in on this station and report. I feel sorry for those who have failed to write Dick asking that their names be put on his list in order that they might be notified of any DXes such as this, which have not been received in time for bulletin publication. Our thanks go out to Leland Gustafson, chief engineer at KIEV for he splendid cooperation.

It is hoped that many of you took time out to copy Station WGNC who were on testing during the first half hour of our DX from KONP. It was known after our KORE DX that WGNC would be on, however we did not know that Mr. Groves Jr was going to dedicate this check program of WGNC's to the National Radio Club. So we do hope that many of you members reported to WGNC. Your editor can say that he boosted the club and members who had reported to their last check. WGNC verifys with nice letter verie.

Harold Wagner Culbertson Drive RD #1 North Girard, Pa asks that you lads who intend to enter the Foreign BCB Honor Roll to please send in the list of foreign veries you now have. The Rules will be published soon, but Harold feels that he can get a fair start on the listings, doesnt wish to be swamped later on, thus holding ~~the~~ first list up. When sending the lists please list them according to COUNTRY-FREQ-CALL-CITY and DATE VERIFIED.

Again a reminder to take a little time out and write to those members who are in our Armed Forces. They will greatly appreciate your letter and any QRA will be furnished upon request, however kindly look over your DX NEWS first to see if the QRA wanted has been listed in the past little while, if not then send in and any or all of them will be sent you. But do write and do it very soon.

In regard to the slowness of verifications being received. From all the information gained it looks very much as if the delay is due to the shortage of help in most cases, so we will just have to be patient. If you do write a follow up be sure to be polite about it, otherwise you can be sure to create and ill feeling between the station and the DXer.

This issue begins the last month of our weekly bulletins. There will be two issues of DX NEWS during April, the dates will be published in the March 24th bulletin. All in all it is believed that the past season did net many of us including the old time DXers quite a few new catches. We have had some very nice catches on with DXes. The only thing lacking was the number of reports these stations received, some got a very few and the others did not do too bad but still a long way from what they should have received. Let us all hope that by the time the next season arrives many of us will be back to normal and this war will be behind us.

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FREQUENCY FROLICS

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KCS	CALL	REMARKS
145	???	Who is the phone station here?? (Doc Kirk-Pt Pleasant W Va)
165-175		Who is facsimile hrd here on 2/21 at 4AM (Kirk)
200	...	BBC station good here again now (Kirk)
590	WMBS	Uniontown Pa s/on at 7:30 SUN and in clear till 8(Len Kruse)
620	WKAQ	San Juan, P R in English 9:30-10PM during week wants rpts (Kirk)
640	HOK	Colon, Panama hrd 8-8:30 AM with religious program 2/25 (Kirk)
	WHKK	Akron, Ohio sked is 7AM-9:30PM EWT (Bill Gabriel-Lakewood O)
660	WXLD	Saipan is new American Expeditionary station to take the air Mar 1st with 1000 watts (Gabriel)
	WNBC	New York City will be new call of WEAJ very soon. Station plans a \$75,000 campaign to boost new call (Gabriel) / (Gabriel)
670	CMHQ	Sanja Clara is accused of Squatting on this US clear channel
690	KGGF	Coffeyville, Kan s/on at 8AM during week, any AN (Kirk)
720	CMKJ	Holquin also accused by the State Dept. (Gabriel)
770	WJZ	New York still on in AM. Thought they would quit at 2AM (Kirk)
800	CJAD	Montreal, Que new sta with 1000 watts (Gabriel)
810	XEPW	Tampico, Mex Correct QRA-Madero 204 Ote, Apartado 797, Tampico. Prompt verifier, Owner as in Dick's list (Phil Nichols-Conn)
930	WPAT	Paterson, N J operates 7:45 AM-6:45PM (Kruse-Ft Monmouth N J)
1010	CMX	Havana very loud 1-1:34 s/off; Mil Diez-CMX-KOCX-estacion de emisora Cuba. (Johanns-Buffelo) / (Kirk)
1150	XEJP	Mexico City verified, uses QRA by Nichols, must write in Spanish
1240	WHIZ	Zanesville, O. Has anyone verified this one? Lately, cant get a verie from them (Kirk)
	WKOK	Sunbury, Pa checked 2nd WED 2-2:16 and announced as reg monthly freq check. (Gabriel)
	WGGA	Hrd 3rf TUES 3:15-3:30 (Hedley Simmonds-Hamilton Ont)
	KANS	Hrd 2nd SAT 2:10-2:25 instead of 5:10-5:25 (Simmonds)
	WMIS	Now hrd testing on this freq instrad of 1490 kc (Simmonds)
	KBIZ	Ottumwa, Ia says test is 3rd SAT 5-5:45 AM Tnk EWT & CST (Simmonds)
	KWJB	Logged with Fullers Old Fashioned Hour 3-3:15 (Simmonds)
1340	CKFI	Ft Francis, Ont hrd DXing 2/24 3-3:06 $\frac{1}{2}$ AM EWT Splendid signals, what happened to WEXL? Requested rpts offering folder from the Junior Chamber of Commerce and announced as the International Station CKFI. (Simmonds)
	WMLT	Dublin, Ga tested 3rd MON 2:30-2:45 saying it was freq check, Watfh for em after WRHI's reg tests. (Gabriel)
	WRHI	Rock Hill, S C hrd 2/25 on test 2:56-3:12 AM (Stone-Toronto)
1370	WCOA	Anyone verified this one in past 2 years? (Kirk)
1390	WTJS	Tests 3rd WED 2+20-3 AM (Simmonds)
1400	WHGB	Harrisburg, Pa has not hired a CE and still waiting for WBB go-ahead according to info (Gabriel)
	KNAK	Salt Lake City, Utah began reg sked 2/12 with no network affiliation. Operates 7AM-10PM MWT (Gabriel)
1440	WHIS	Anotherone will not verify, anyone know how? (Kirk)
1450	WVTC	Hrd 2/26 from 4:51-4:56 AM. QRA given as APO 322. Anyone know its exact location?
	WGNC	Tested 2/26 4-4:31 and much mention of NRC (Kirk)
	WKLA	Ludington, Mich. C E Sleichter advises local paper had item saying WKLA burned completely a few days after the WAGM fire (Nichols)
	KRIC	Beaumont, Tex is this station on all nite all week or just on MON AMs? KONP covers em very well on tests, KRIC weak here (Gabriel)
	KORE	Eugene, Ore, S, an Miller writes he is getting some rpts answered and will get em all verified soon. Rec 35 rpts (very complete) from US and Canada. (Gabriel)
	KNOE	Monroe, La hrd 2/21 from 4:15-4:25 for check, suggest boys try them the 3rd WED at this time (Simmonds)
	WRLC	Toccoa, Ga hrd 2/21 from 4:05-4:15, also check (Simmonds)

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1450	KGIW	Checks 4th MON 2:30-3. Hrd 2/26 playing Alpine music(AL MALEY)
	WROX	Over WWDC at times on reg 3rd WED check 3:55-4:05 (Maley)
	WKEU	Checks 4th MON 3:30-4 but try and verify them (Maley)
	WGNC	Dedicated reg 4th MON check 4-4:30 2/26 to NRC ruining KONP for a half hour, altho KONP could be hrd in background. KONP solid after WGNC's check. KNOE same as Simmonds (Maley)
1490	????	Who was on with spec freq check at 3AM 2/26 with call sounding like WCBT-could have been WDBC-WKBB-WKBV, but does anyone know definitely? (Maley)
	????	Who was station behind WWSW-WJBK-WMJM on 2/16 at 4:30 AM with hill-billy music? Hrd Carolina once mentioned (Gabriel)
	WRLD	Hrd 3rd FRI 2:50-3AM WELO same <del>xxxx</del> day 3:10-3:20; WKBV on 3rd <del>SAT</del> SUN 2:30-3:10; KFFA says they applied for 1230 kcs
	WHOT	South Bend, Ind hrd 2/15 2:18-2:20 s/off after test(Simmonds)
1560	CMHD	Puts works on WQXR in Eves now part of time (Kirk)
1580	????	My pet unknown hrd again 12:25 noon 2/23 (Kirk)
1590	XEMC	Hrd 6:45-7AM on 2/26 under modulated (Kirk)
1600	....	Spick in Mexico (XE--) hrd 6:45-6:55 AM puts works on WWRL(Kirk)
1610	CM9RT	Hrd 8:30-10PM often (Kirk)
1620	CMRT	Is this call and freq ever used by CM9RT? (Kirk)
????	WVDI	Sleighter would like <u>dope</u> on this call, where it is etc.

F C C NEWS by Bill Gabriel Jr.

CALL CHANGE

WNBC New York N Y from WEAJ (will begin \$75.00 promotion soon)

NEW STATION INFO

WHKK	United Broadcasting Co.,	WHNC	Henderson Radio Corp
640	James Hill, C.E.	890	S.S. Stevenson, President
1000	51 West State St.,	250	P.O. Box # 104
ultd	Akron, Ohio	DAY	Henderson, N.C.

S/SGT AL MALEY-HIGHLAND FALLS N Y Finally came out of my slump and DXed for 2 mornings during the past week. 2/21 WPAB from 3:30-3:40; WROX from 3:55-4:05; WRLC 4:05-4:15; KNOE 4:05-4:25 all reg 3rd WED checks. WROX over WWDC at times but KNOE always down under in the mud. Really went to town 2/26 which was a fine AM both for the west coast and TAs. WTCN 12:01-12:06 for a report; KTAR 1:15-1:30 and I hope they answer my report this time for a chan. KGIW on reg 4th MON check 2:30-3 altho carrier took them out for a while at 2:45, they s.on with Singing Sands of Alamosa and then played Alpine music. Unidentified on 1490 announcing a spec freq check at 3AM call sounded like WCBT (could be WDBC); WEED on check 3:05; WKEU 3:30-4; WGNC 4-4:30 as they will be each MON 4th, they dedicated this one to NRC. KONP from 4:30-4:45 with splendid sig; Q5 R7 better than several 5KW coasters I hrd same Morn. Tried for WRHI 2:05-2:30 but couldnt raise anything but WHAT and a test pro gram from WMLT; TAs strong all over dial, particularly on 601-648-877-977-1107-1112-1113-1474-670 kcs; Cop ed 15 min solid of KONP and then went to bed. Now have rpts to KERN-WKEU(2)-WMLT-KTMS-VONF-WPAB-WROX-KNOE-WTCN-KTAR (2)-KGIW-KONP and overdue to KEVR-KFBB-KMTR. (OK Al and glad to got going)

LT JACK QUINTRELL-PHIL PA Well a little DX as varies in from KLBM-WSNJ-WBIG-CKEY-WTTM-CKWS with rpts out to KPO-WJZ-WHTD-CBJ-WRHI-CBH-WLOG-WCAM-WHOP-WOKO-WPAT. Have been up most every AM in past week and a lot of TAs have shown up but not loud enough to identify altho a German speaker on 1149 which is very good and another on 1112 also German; This AM 2/27 got up and pulled in CBH on special at 4; WRHI testing at 3:35; WLOG at 3:24; KEXL at 2:55 and at 2:55 on 1240 kc someone playing Rum and Coco Cola who was this? TO LEM KRUSE, how about dropping me a line, would like to meet you, my QRA is Box 632 U of P Dorms-37th & Spruce Sts-Philadelphia 4, Pa. (OK Jack will write you very soon on week end, dope-Ray)

BERNIE DUFFY-STATEN ISLAND N Y Here is a rpt from a persistent tho not very successful DXer who always finds our bulletin to be vital and interesting with its helpful tips and always fascinating reports of fellow members. After reading the spectacular and aften times almost unbelieval catches of brother DXers I feel almost ashamed to mention the rather commonplace additions to my log but finally got up enough courage to do so. I've been an active "dial twirler" since 1927 and my BCB catches now total 1103 About 3/4 of same are verified. This includes all states-provinces of Canada and most of C.A. and S.A. countries-England-France and Ireland. Thanks to recent tips in the bulletin I logged and rptd to the English stations on 877 and 658 kc also these sked DXes WDBC-WWSR who sent a fine verie card-WTCM-WKWK-KODY and CBH. That list of tests that Al Moley compiled is most helpful. Think it was KONP I hrc behind WGNC at 4-4:10 the AM the former was to be on for us but I'll have to await reply to my report to them to be certain. Heartily endorsing the bulletin and best wishes. (OK Bernie and lets hear from you more often.-Ray)

LEFTY COOPER-BROOKLYN N Y 2/20 tried for ZYB5 but no go. Doubt if they were on at all. 2/26 Guess you guys were not kidding about KONP, they rooled in here on their DX with nice <sup>h</sup>-6 sig and completely in clear. Didnt get up till 4:30 to avoid WGNC. XESM best ever hrd this AM. Now for CFGP-CBH. 1 verie in from KODY. Tnx to Maguire for picture. Tnx Adonnis. The Board is now voting on foreign BCB so keep watching. Tnx to Wagner for his diligent work submitting them to me. KONP really inspired the ole DX again.

STAN MORSS-BRADFORD MASS Station on 1280 is XEAW in Monterrey, hrd here 2/26 3:30-4; KONP put in a good sig here after 4:30 for my first 250 watt station on Pacific coast. Those douglas fir trees sure do the job.

DAVE THOMAS-PROCTORVILLE O HELP GANG-On 2/25 who on 920 from 4:30-5AM and WHO on 1240 from 5-5:50 with tests; Failed to get call on 920 when it was given but on 1240 never hrd any call given at all. WHKC now on 610 and WHKS on at 6:40 PM EST for its 1st and opening program, nice sig, hrd him s/on as been tuned to KFI steady from 1AM-6:40PM for all day long reception; 2/26 KONP-WGNC both fine on WRC dedications; KONP swell sig here; 2/27 Heavy rains will cause river block the roads today and perhaps get to the flood stage here so if you want try for WUMS on 1560 for few days if flood conditions exists, all xmis irregular, phone & flood rpts all voice. CBH was OK after WMIS signed. Sure glad to get them.

RALPH JOHANNIS-BUFFALO N Y Where 3 in of snow fell again 2/28 and also had our thunder storm last week-Hi Marsh; Noticed some interference when plne goes over, again when KONP was on who put in a good sig. WGNC took 1/2 hr again but guess they did not know about KONP; CBH not so good and WMIS was on check for 1/2 hour; 2/26 WPAR s/off 2:05- WBIR at 2:12 but pulled KODY thru; KGIW Alamosa till 2:55 when WEED came on; WKEU for another rpt, dont seem to answer; 2/24 WJHO 4:30-5AM still on 100 watts; Letters rec from WOPI-WSGN-KTAR-KONP for reg test-WWVA for 12/15-KTOK-WSAU-KUSD-WDBC-KORE for Club DX-WGGA who will make me a couple good disc's-KPVD with card-WBIR which verifies my 3 rpts-WHBC for daytime and card for their check-WICA which os for We Serve Industry-Commerce-Agriculture; WGL has not set time as yet for check, but does once a month-KGNO 1000 days and 250 nites; Cards from KVFD-WCAU-KEUB-WEEI-KDYL for 12/29 rpt-WIOD with verie stamp-WJPF the Voice of Egypt and map-WROX a substitute card, future checks 3:55-4:05 3rd WED. No go on CFGP on 3/1. C<sub>rd</sub> verie from WWSR for 2/16; KSD test 5-5:30

BILL STONE-TORONTO ONT The Great Scott (WWDC) asking for rpts so they can make correct map of coverage. Boys here is our chance to help WWDC as to repay them a little for the cooperation they have shown us. What Say??

POP EDGE-BUFFALO N Y Well I batted 100% on the 3 DXes, KONP-CBH-CFGP, now for KIEV. Veries rec from WDBC-KTRB for their DX in D.c, signed by Phyllis Hamilton. Same card as last year. A report out to KN<sup>AK</sup> thru WHBQ.

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BILL STONE-TORONTO ONT DXing has been very good the past week excepting Thurs-Fri & Sat AMs which I did not DX. Veries are coming in real nice, in fact I guess I'm the only guy not beefing in the club. 26 in so far this month. Very few delinquents who are WHIT-WGOV-WKPT-CKCO-WFVA-KICD-WAIT-WLAG-WHIZ-WJHP-KWBW. Since start of DX in mid Jan I've sent out over 100 reports, watch out Edge, I'se creeping up to you. Bulletin of Feb 17 sure full of news, thats the stuff members, thats what keeps the club on top. I want to thank the different members for their info, its sure appreciated and dont ever be scared to ask this boy for it, always glad to return any news I have. Tnx for dope on WORL-WHDH-WOCB. I guess it will have to be DX of tests in all cases, they are covered by stations in this region. Clare does WEIM still come on at 6AM? All I get here is WINX-WGH. I'll use both KLO and WMVA tips from your log too. Tnx for info from C E Gleichter of a rpt some time ago. I've logged KGLU-KYUM, latter verified now, on religious programs of Monday AM. Ed is station on 1450 kc after KGLU signs, KMYC. Cant seem to get it clear, sounded like it last Monday. Will be looking again tomorrow. Marsh did you get my list of signers??? Just sent it to Brookfield, if not will send you a duplicate. To Barrett WHRN is KOAC's reg check you mention. Listen Boys if any of you think you heard CHUM in Toronto, forget it, cant get the equipment. Do any of you lads know when its possible to tune in WAYS-WMUR, the sked of either.

HILDING GUSTAFSON-ROCKFORD ILL Not much DX to report here lately. Tried for ZYB5 on their special the first 15 min but no soap. There was a very weak carrier on their channel but dont think it was them. Algiers-1176 kc was hrd tonite 2/23 very weak, seemed to s/off at 8:30 PM EWT. According to BBC sked there is a BBC station on 583 kc. This station s/on at 12:55 PM EWT and off at 6:05 PM EWT, broadcasting news on the hour, every hour. To THOMAS T. e receiver used here is a 1936 GRUNOW 11 tube superhet. Very sensitive but could be better in selectivity. It has beat note oscillator This helps a great deal in locating the weak signals. The long wave band on this set is dead, dont know whats wrong with it.

HEDLEY SIMMONDS-HAMILTON ONT The old log has jumped a bit since writing last and now stands at 1329 hrd and 1221 verified. To date an increase of 16 new stations hrd with 10 new veries. New stations logged are as follows; KORE on NRC but plenty of opposition from WGNC, but sufficient data to write them, or at least I think they will agree with me that I heard them-KYUM-KWJB-WJOB-WTCM for NRC-WHOT-KFFA-WMJM-WBTA-WBBB-WDBC on 2/21 but only on from 2-2:24-WRLC-KNOE-WKBB-WMIS and last of all CKFI. Veries include WGBG-WKBV-KSWO after self addressed stamped card was sent-KVIC also via S.A.S.C system was used-KWJB-KBIZ-KFFA-WEGO after followup letter on rpt of their 11/20/44 from 7:10-7:40 AM. Have hrd them once or twice since that time and sent them another rpt for 2/18 along with dup of 11/20/ Letter came back on 24th of Feb apologizing for delay reason (Quote) The universally felt manpower shortage and in no way reflects a lack of interest or appreciation on our part" signed Wayne M Nelson. Well they are verified at last, and they included a Blotter on the form of a Mike with WEGO-k4k0 on your dial. Other veries-signers listed too.

JOE BRAUNER-WILLIAMSVILLE N Y Two veries in this week, quite a record for these times, both fine letters, KTYW verifying for Oct & Feb rpts and KONP verifying my first report. WELO and KVOP showed signs of ignoring second reports, also KWRC-WMLT and of course KPAS being waited for. Only 2 additions to report, KNOE on monthly check, tnx to that tip in the News, was hard to copy thru WWDC and WHKK logged on 1st selection and announcement at 7:40 on 2/25. Shows abt same results here as did WHKC. With no WHKC on 640 I had hopes of VONF, but my northeast jinx held good as usual and could not detect a trace of QRM on ZNS after that station began showing at 5:45 till WHKK showed up. No signs of CHUM here or other new Ontario stations. Hope WPAG starts first on 1050. 2/26 KONP hrd very well, not bad thru WGNC.

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BIJL GABRIEL-LAKEWOOD O Weather here turned warm with the result that reports went out only to WMLT-KONP-WDBC-CBR-KNOE-WHKK. Veries in letter form from WBTM-WROL-KEVR-KFYR-WSVA-KODY-WHBB and cards from WILM-CBR-WKOK-WHBB. KONP R-7 over KRIC on 2/19, got whole 15 minutes; WMLT on Same AM with freq check at 2:30; 2/21 local buzzing on dial which I experienced about two nites out of every week, but got a couple, WDBC announcements and one record; KNOE same AM thru WWDC on check; 2/24 WCLE said good-bye at 7PM and 2/25 7:40 AM EWT WHKK came on reg sked. Am looking forward to CBH-CFGP, Thanks Dick. To those who havent received KODY's verie, try follow up to O R Bonner, operator. The C.E. at WHBB is very friendly to DXers, is ex Ham.

CPL BOB BROWN-35343721 Just a note to let you boys know that I am still  
856th C.A. alive and kicking. Got veries from CJRL and KFAR  
APO 954 % POSTMASTER for reception from Larry Yarnes place in Calif.  
SAN FRANCISCO CALIF We have a little radio where I am right now. It

really isnt much good for anything but the 2 local stations. So far I have hrd KNX-KFI-KMJ with it for a total of 5 stations. I see the Office of War Information has officially released the power of the Siapan station as 50,000 watts and the freq as 1000 kcs. I might have hrd them the other night. The station was using Japanese, somewhere near 1000 kcs with a signal slightly weaker than KNX. Larry Yarnes should be able to hear it. (OK Bob and tx for clearing this one up-Good Luck)

JOE ENZ-BROOKLYN N Y DX Sun 2/18 fair. XEW R-9 plus at 12:30 AM; WSFA new one for me, s/off at 1AM; CKRC good at 2AM, station carrier on 660 kcs, broke thru, music 3:07-3:21 AM EWT then faded out, did not get call but hrd enough, hope its KFAR. Carrier good till 3:45 AM. XEJP on 1150 kc was R-8; W WKAQ testing on 620 at 3:50 AM, also WHIT testing behind WWDC. 2/25 XEW again very good; WFMD on till 2AM, station on 660 kc but not KFAR I'm sure station was using French, might have been 655 kc, very good but could not understand, hrd at 2:30 AM; Going to send my G.E. back to factory for a complete balance job, will use my Stromberg-Carlson, but a friend of mine has a GE just like mine and it is sure swell as a DX set, as we tuned it one night. Veries, several long overdue, only new ones sent out recently came back, WSFA and WHIT. Reports still out to KEVR-CJRL-CKRN-CKVD-XEJP.

PHIL NICHOLS-E HARTFORD CONN 2/22 Hammarlund back like new. 2/24 XEML good for rpt 12:30-1AM on 1550, notice CFCN-CJOC and CKY coming thru well; At 2:10-2:25 sent rpt on BBC on 877 to Thorpe for confirmation; 2:34-2:44 AM found WMIS-Natchez coming thru another weaker station on 1240 kcs for rpt #3, studios announced as in City Bank & Trust Co Bldg; 2:56-3:09 XEMC on 1590 playing Bing Crosby records for rpt #4; Others noticed were KFYR good on test on 550 kc; XETU good on 1460 kc, quite a number of TAs good till nearly 4AM; French on 1040 or so believed to be Rennes; Rotterdam good; a weak German on 1195, unidentified on 79-730 kcs, weak carrier on 660 at 3:45 may have been KFAR, no music pulled in. Station on 620 till 4AM, another station bothering WWDC most of morning. Two nice letters back from WJEF and WMUR the latter a swell letter head with raised letters and map of N.H. Sun 2/25 1-1:30 WLOL very good on Mutual, but got both station breaks with complete s/off and announcers name for rpt; 1:35 Frenchman (Toulouse) on 913 good; 1:40-2AM XEQR copied for rpt; 2:20 noticed Montana Booster chain is on KPFA on 1240 and KGIR on 1370 especially good; 2:30 WINN starts its check; 2:35 KMTR coming thru poor 2nd to KVI; 2:45 and on a very poorly modulated carrier and music over WDSU, WHO? 2:55-3:01 CJVI swell on news and s/off at 3; Who signs very weakly at 3 with National Anthem behind WHBQ? 3:06 WMIS testing well on 1240 and sent him 2nd rpt; KPFA causing some QRM; TAs all over the dial, very weak carrier on 720, could it be a TP? 3:35 a TA on 995 good and probably Hilversum; 4:15 KGU and Rotterdam separated with crystal; KGMB on with organ program; 4:30 KGW-620 still on.

HAROLD WAGNER-N GIRARD PA Rpted KFAR on 2/15. Verie back 2/24, fast traveling I say and am I happy to get that boy. Say how about those LISTS BOYS.

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NORM MAGUIRE-ALBUQUERQUE N M DX has been rather disappointing. What with missing WWSR on the 17th my only new reports were 3 that were heard on the 16th. Three new stations is quite an event for this kid these days. The 3 were WMJM-WWSR-WHTD. Finally got them. Had been looking for all 3 for a long time. Need WNHC not to get Conn verified again, but doubt if I'll ever do it with KCKN on 1340 kcs. Only a couple veries in from 2 Hawaiians-KGU KGMB; KGMB had the usual card but this time I got a fine card out of KGU. My former verie from them was in form of a letter written on the back of my report. It really dates too, recall that it was on the old blue NRC report forms, that seems ages ago. Note where Barrett up in Denver has been troubled by 2 stations that have also been bothering me for identification. They are the 2 he mentioned on 1160 and 1175 kcs. Glad to see some one back me up in reception of these. I've hrd too many this year that no one else has and I'm glad to see some one else reporting of them. The 1160 may be an Aussie, but the other I don't know about. It is on the split freq and can sometimes be hrd along side of WWVA after they s/on. However they cannot be copied after that time.

C.E. SLEICHTER-DEL PASO HGTS CALIF Did anyone hear a JAP speaking program on 1010 kc the morning of 2/18 from 5:05 AM EWT on? It no doubt was XGOW Hangchow, China, now in Jap control. 1/2 hourly announcement in English altho only said programs of this station hrd daily on 6.25 meg. All talking was Jap, evidently war speeques. Auld Lyne Sang and Grey Eagle March and another march played but only part of them. Air was wavy but at that it came in R-3-6. Am sure it was old XGOW which I got 1/21/34 on 973 kcs. I hope others heard it. 2/18 KNAK had special test 3:05-6:30AM, must be abt ready for reg Broadcast, R-8 and no interference here. Today got KNAK verie also a good rpt from Brookman Field for 40 min of it, my first European. Still on alert for KPKW-KALL and CKPA, asked them to notify NRC if they would give a DX for us, hope they do. KFXJ now kills KFPY, that is something; KWGB strong over KYUM saturday night. For BRISTOW-KGLU-puts on Old Fashioned Revival every Mon AM 3-3:15VAM EWT along with KYUM-KVOA-KYCA. Will try for ZYB5 but XEL and WDSU will be hard to overcome. Who do I hear on 730 kcs? CMBF or XEDP, it is not too loud but is Spanish. 2/19 CFJC R7 at 2AM s/off.

AL BARTHOLOMEW-CORNING N Y Bulletin in today and just as I thought I had Utah finally cleaned up, find that KNAK is now on air testing, curses. DX has been quite good past few days with coasters strong and BBC and French stations hrd past couple of morns. Pop has me beat on rpts out, mine totals 16 mostly spicks; CJRL never replied this season but do have a verie any-way from last season. CKRC is my oldest report out but have sent follow-up/AM of 21st caught WDBC and KNOE for new ones, also dup rpt to WROX for a better verie; WROX was logged almost perfect and KNOE easy to copy. Rpted to KONP on test thru WWDC on 23rd and this AM sent them a rpt after WGNC s/off; KONP R 4-6 on meter here. Caught WJPA with s/off ann on 25th at 3:20 AM. This after their engineer informed me they would test 2:30-3AM. Nice definite letter verie in from WJEF last week for my Jan 20th rpt. Then no more back till 2/24 rec nice long letter verie from KOVO on their Jan 22 test. 2/26 rec verie from Olwen of WDBC. It is just about the oddest verie I ever received and I am quoting exactly what he wrote. "Dear Albert Thx for the report and here is the only verification I can send you. Yours truly. and signed. (Guess we all got the same Al and I believe that what he means is that they have no cards etc.-Ray) KONP sure packs a wollop for 250 watts at that distance they are louder than most LKW west coasters. Till KNAK came along I needed 21 active stations to complete USA now I have one more. Hrd CBH come on the air till 4:06 when WMIS blotted them out for nearly half hour, then logged CBH till s/off easily R-7 on meter. (Well Al that made 2 for me as I was never able to pull in WMIS when they were on 1490 kcs-Ray).

Remember for Verie signers its Marsh Blanchard 4035 Prairie Ave Brookfield Ill.

DOC KIRK-PT PLEASANT W VA Dont know when WHKK came on but I listened to KFI till 11:30. Did not listen to radio from 11:30 AM 2/25 till 3:45 AM 2/26 so missed him. KFI was R-9 plus till 9:30 AM and still R-5 at 11:30 AM. There was one time between 8-8:30 AM that KFI dropped out and HOK was hrd with religious service. First time HOK was ever hrd on AM transmission. WHKC does not seem so good here on 610. Sig may be a little stronger but a lot of interference from other stations in background. On Sun AM WSGN s/on at 7:30 noted; WSJS s/on at 7:45; WHKK shows good strength today 2/26 on 640 but not as good as WHKC was. WCNC on test 4-4:31, could read about 25% of KONP thru him. After WGNC s/off KONP perfect for rest of DX except from 4:51-4:56 when station WVTC was hrd. WVTC did not give any location except mention of APO 322. He is in South or southwest Pacific somewhere. Anyone know? Got a beautiful verie Parchment diploma from WKAQ. They want reports. Have English language program from 9:30-10PM every one during the week. Also swell personal letter from them. TA and TP stations have been very good recently. Hawaii, KGMB comes in any morning now with good signals, till WEEL s/on.

CPL LEN KRUSE-17112908 Yes its a fact I'm back in hospital again after spending 6 weeks here for Scarlet Fever, then out just a week, was returned because of complications from this first disease so I'm back for so more

weeks. 2/22 logged CJBC while WINS was going full blast on 1010 at 9PM, then on Sun 2/25 at 7AM I hrd WIS followed by WQAM s/on, for new ones for my log. At 7:30 AM on same date I was sure glad to log WMBS who is in the clear the first 1/2 hour. 2/26 was up at the controls at 4 to listen to our DX but the first 30 min WGNC shut it out but from 4:30-5AM KONP come in with flying colors. I must say using a fir tree as a tower, they did a marvelous job in sending a signal to the east coast. W C Groves C.E. at WGNC did a nice show for the club, but I could imagine how many wished he would accidentally go off so KONP could come thru. 2/26 from 7:30-8AM I easily copied notes on WHKK to make another new one for the log. The latest veries in were WHKC requesting another report after he moves to 610 kc. WCBM and from WEGO a nice letter and a blotter in form of a WEGO mike. I'll do my best to listen to both CBH and CFGP specials. Dick Cooper deserves a big Thank You for the 3 fine shows he arranged especially KONP; Unintentionally all 3 stations WHBI-WAAT-WTNJ announce "New Jersey's first radio station. (OK Len and lets hope you get out again soon-Ray)

GRANTVBATSON-WESTFIELD N Y Well boys does anyone know what is scarcer than hens teeth? I'd say veries. (Yes me too Grant) Only 3 came the last week namely WHBQ-WBTM-WDBC for a new one. Reports rather scattered; 2/19 At last KOVO 3:31-3:55 mostly R9 and easy 90% readable; 2/21 WDBC fairly well hrd. 2/26 KONP QRMed by WGNC then in clear easy Q4 R9 plus, a real TNT wallop. Tried some lkw stations later on west coast and KONP beat them all, could be taken for a 10 kw. Where as KPAS might be thought of as a 100 or even 50 watts. Also copied a dup report for WAGM hoping I can get that one for a new station. Wonder what holds up verie, have 65 rpts out not answered.

PAT REILLEY JAMESTOWN N Y 2/26 First I have DXed since 2/15 because of the flu; KONP was swell after WGNC signed altho I caught 3 selections from KONP thru WGNC signal. Who was the Spick on 1420 kc? Sounded like Radio Provendo XEWM or N in Republic of Mexico? Yes Grant I reported to KTRB on Feb 10th but no verie back as yet. TGW dup back, took less than 2 months to come and go and some US stations are out since last fall. 30 reports still out but suppose they are all busy at the stations now.

POP EDGE-BUFFALO N Y Well a couple veries finally arrived. Letter from WDBC-KORE on our DX and today 2/28 card from KTRB for our DX. Still have 26 reports out unanswered altho 18 are since 2/12. Others are older and are to WKEU 2/26/44; KABR 12/11/44; CHML 12/19/44; KSJB 1/9/45; WAGM 1/14 WMLT 1/31/45; KWAT 2/2/45 and KTMS 2/6/45; Total veries now 852.