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SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Date	Calls	Kc/s.	Location	Watts	Legend	E.S.T.
Dec. 7	C F Q C	600	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	5,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.
7	W L O K	1240	Lima, Ohio	250	NNRC	4:30 - 5:00
8	W K L V	1490	Blackstone, Virginia	250	NRC	3:00 -
8	W S A J	1340	Grove City, Pennsylvania	100	NRC	3:15 - 3:30
8	W G C D	1490	Chester, South Carolina	250	NRC	3:30 - 4:15
8	W K P A	1150	New Kensington, Pennsylvania	250	TEST	4:00 - 5:00
9	C B H	1330	Halifax, Nova Scotia	100	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
10	C K O C	1150	Hamilton, Ontario	5,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
10	C K C W	1220	Moncton, New Brunswick	1,000	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
11	C Z C K	620	Regina, Saskatchewan	1,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
11	C K X	1150	Brandon, Manitoba	1,000	NNRC	3:30 - 4:30
12	C J A D	800	Montreal, Quebec	1,000	NNRC	5:00 - 6:00
13	K*R*P*L	1400	Moscow, Idaho	250	NNRC	3:00 - 5:00
13	C K C V	1280	Quebec, Quebec	1,000	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
13	W M O H	1450	Hamilton, Ohio	250	NNRC	4:00 - 4:30
13	K S A C	580	Manhattan, Kansas	5,000	TEST	4:00 - 5:00
14	W*S*B*A	900	York, Pennsylvania	1,000	FC	1:00 - 1:15
14	C H O V	1350	Pembroke, Ontario	1,000	NNRC	3:30 - 4:30
14	C K P G	550	Prince George, Br. Columbia	250	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
15	W H A V	1490	Haverhill, Massachusetts	250	NNRC	2:30 - 4:30
15	W*F*A*X	1220	Falls Church, Virginia	250	TEST	3:00 - 6:00
19	K V O G	1490	Ogden, Utah	250	NRC	3:15 - 3:30
19	W I B K	800	Knoxville, Tennessee	1,000	TEST	4:30 - 5:00
20	C E 46 A	1400	Tacuarembó, Uruguay	1,500	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
20	K Y O U	1450	Greeley, Colorado	250	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
27	W I M S	1420	Michigan City, Indiana	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
29	W*A*T*N	1240	Watertown, New York	250	NRC	2:00 -
31	W*P*W*A	1590	Chester, Pennsylvania	1,000	(or 24th)FC	5:30 - 5:45
Jan. 3	K*L*O*U	1580	Lake Charles, Louisiana	1,000	NRC	1:00 - 3:00 or later
3	W M A J	1450	State College, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
3	W N O C	1400	Norwich, Connecticut	250	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
3	W B E C	1490	Pittsfield, Massachusetts	250	NNRC	3:00 - 3:30
5	W A T W	1400	Ashland, Wisconsin	250	NNRC	3:30 - 4:00
5	W I G M	1490	Medford, Wisconsin	250	NNRC	3:30 - 4:30
9	C J C J	1140	Calgary, Alberta	10,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
12	W H D B	1490	Gardner, Massachusetts	250	NNRC	3:00 - 3:45
12	W S A U	1400	Wausau, Wisconsin	250	NNRC	3:30 - 4:00

* Asterisks interspersing call letters, above, indicates monthly dedications to the clubs. NNRC means program arranged by that club, but dedicated to both clubs, and NRC means arranged by a member of our club, and dedicated to both. TEST means a special early morning test program from that station. All these listings above count for the bonus of 3 points in our exciting contest.

It seems some of the members mis-understood your Editor's three-line fill-in in a recent issue regarding the deletion of "controversial" subjects from reports, and suggesting adherence to strictly DX itself. No intent to censure anyone was intended - the remark was inserted particularly in relation to the views expressed on our DX contest, to spare the feelings of the contest manager and arranger, Fred Van Voorhees.

SPECIAL ROWS FOR SPECIAL SHOWS

- W L O K Lima, Ohio We hope this notice reaches you in time, but we just
Darrel Hunter, Chief Engineer got the tip here. WLOK is going to give the DX fans
the chance of logging their station with this special
program, and we hope that they will favor us with music other than current
pop tunes, to help us distinguish them from all-nighters WBIR & WEDC. Arr. NNRC
- W K L V Blackstone, Virginia These friendly, interesting, entertaining monthly DX
F. W. Wagner programs have been well-heard, and also have been enjoyed
by all those who have been a part of the audience
to these broadcasts. Requests, we feel sure, will be honored, so if you would
like a special number, write to Mr. Wagner at WKLV, whom we again thank.
- W S A J Grove City, Pennsylvania A hard-to-hear station, powered at 100 watts, continues
Dale Snock, Chief Engineer to dedicate its monthly frequency check
program to our clubs. Mr. Snock is always interested
in hearing from all of those who can dig into 1340 and come up with his
station's signal, so what say we all make a try for this one this month?
- W G C D Chester, South Carolina You might say this is a spectacular DX, for it is
Arthur Cornwall, Program Director. from a station which almost no DXers have heard!
WGCD is expected to play band music to help us to
distinguish them from WWSW and any other stations which might then be on on
1490. No one miss this corking good one! Arranged by Len Kruse.
- W K P A New Kensington, Pennsylvania Here is a station missing from many and many a
Chief Engineer DX log, and here is a great chance of adding
them on a special test. Shortly after the test
is concluded, there will be a frequency check also. We trust that KEJF will
not give you all too much trouble, but WKPA is worth battling for. Info, NNRC.
- C B H Halifax, Nova Scotia Another excellent DX catch awaits us in the person
S. R. Kennedy, Station Manager of 100-watt CBH. This time was advanced a half-hour
so as to avoid competition from early-rising WFBC.
We are not sure, here in the east, whether this channel is clear in the west,
but we think that it is. A fine catch, CBH! Arranged by NNRC.
- C K O C Hamilton, Ontario One of Canada's pioneer radio voices is this fine
J. Lyman Potts, Assistant Manager station, so well-known to DXers for almost 25
years! To help you distinguish CKOC from KEJF
and anyone else who might be on there, they plan to play band music and organ
music during the hour. CKOC would like to hear from you! Arranged by NNRC.
- C K C W Moncton, New Brunswick CKCW has been a DXer's friend for many years, and now
A. J. White, Chief Engineer on its new channel and higher power, they will be interested
indeed in your reports. This channel should
be completely clear coast to coast, so that means everyone should have an open
shot at them. Be sure to have a morning in New Brunswick! Arranged by NNRC.
- C K C K Regina, Saskatchewan CKCK has not DXed for a long while, and let us show
E. A. Strong, Chief Engineer Mr. Strong that there are still a goodly many DX fans
who would like to hear them, and receive their verifications. 620 should be wide open for this,
another old-time station from our good Good Neighbor, Canada. Tune them in, all! Arranged by the NNRC.
- C K X Brandon, Manitoba It is difficult to recall when last this station had
J. B. Craig, Managing Director a special early-morning DX that this one is looked
forward to by every DX fan everywhere. To help you
once again, CKX will play organ and band music to distinguish them from KEJF.
Brandon has seldom been heard for DX, so here's the big chance. Arranged NNRC.

SPECIAL ROWS FOR SPECIAL SHOWS

C J A D Montreal, Quebec This show was postponed from last month, so it could be re-scheduled to avoid interference from powerful XELO, and fully publicized. We are pleased to do so and it is hoped you DXers will all be on hand for this Sunday morning DX show. CJAD is very anxious to hear from you all over the land. Arranged by NNRC.

E R P L Moscow, Idaho Again this year, Mr. McAllister is arranging a series of three two-hour DX programs for the DX fans all over the land. This is a very friendly station, and an exceptionally good catch. They have a fine signal, and many ought to hear this, the first of their three programs. Arranged by NNRC.

W M O H Hamilton, Ohio Hamilton has long been well-known among DXers for it happens to be the home of our Club President, Mr. Joseph J. Becker, Sr. WMOH is honoring our clubs with this special program, and with WWDC off, their signal might conceivably be in the clear. We certainly hope so. Arranged by NNRC.

C K C V Quebec, Quebec This station hasn't DXed in a good many years, so it should be an important program to all. Since this is a Monday, it means WDSU will not be there thus opening the channel up to CKCV, in famous Quebec City. Many recall the rapid growth of this station from 50 watts to its present kilowatt. Arr: NNRC.

K S A C Manhattan, Kansas Well, this one, it goes without saying, is rarely heard by distant listeners, so this program should be put down down on your calendar as a 'must.' This happens to be a test, and with CKEY off, KSAC should have the freedom of the air-waves that we all hope for. KSAC shares time with WIEW. Arranged by NNRC.

W S B A York, Pennsylvania WSBA continues to dedicate its regular second Tuesday frequency check to the DX clubs. CHML causes interference until they finally get off the air at about 1:11 a.m. Then the channel is open, at least in the East. We thank this station for honoring us each month in this way.

C H O V Pembroke, Ontario This station, after its first DX as a 250-watter, said they were very happy just to learn that there were so many friendly people out over the ether waves. This is a fine compliment, and let us show our appreciation for this by tuning for their kilowatt at this time. Arranged by the NNRC.

C K P G Prince George, British Columbia Low power on a low frequency gives us a real DX challenge! CKPG has only recently moved to this channel, and they are naturally wondering how well they will be received on this show. A fine DX catch, and a fine station as well. They are about 500 miles North of U.S. border. Arr NNRC

***** test *****
Additional DX program - Jan. 3 - WLTR - 690 - Bloomsburg, Pa., 4:00 - 4:30 a.m., E.S.T.
CHVC's program was changed at the last minute from December 3 to December 6, same time.
WABI had a DX on November 27, 3:30-3:45, with information arriving here too late.
WMTC, 730, Vanclève, Kentucky, had a test on December 4, 4:00-4:30 a.m., but information again arrived here too late to notify of this special test program. CJCJ's program came on one day late, but this time they promise no slip-ups. KVI's show also went on the air one day late. Often this error is made by a station which operates past midnight, to say 1:00 a.m., local time, for that last hour is considered part of the previous day's schedule. When a station fails to show, try the next morning, then.

13¢ in postage stamps sent to Harold Wagner, R.D. #1, N. Girard, Pa. Christmas season. For 1st class over

Musings of the Members
Randolph Hunt - Lucadia, Calif.

It was noted in recent DX News that several commented on present contest, I am sure that their remarks as well as mine were not intended to be labeled "Controversial" but were just comments, or muses, and as for suggestions re DX'es and altering the contest, we were to contact the proper ones. I can not answer for the others, but I wrote Ray Edge, Fred Van Voorhees and Harold Wagner commenting on DX'es and contest, have received letters from them and evidently my comments were taken kindly, all it amounted to was an exchange of ideas. I beg to differ re "Musings" being limited to DX reports. I like to air my 'kilocycles' and not have to include call letters in every sentence of my "Muse," DX News should be an outlet for the free expression of the member's views on all phases of DX'ing, only in this way can a member know the thoughts and ideas of other members, what matter is it whether or not we all are in agreement, if I write something that others agree with, I like to read it in DX News, if another does not agree with me I still like to read his views in DX News, his views may be those of other members and only by his views being published in DX News, do they know that my views or comments on some subject has been answered. An example of what I believe in follows: In a "muse" late last June I made what Al Maley called "an ill-chosen remark" and he gave his views in about 26 lines, his views no doubt were those of other members, and we might say he spoke for them, which is all to the good. Had he written to me, the others would not have known that my remark had been answered. I did not go "controversial" because I respect the views of others. I replied via DX News, and I quote. "Some members think a "muse" should be an outlet for members to give expression to their ideas relating to all angles of DX, for example, the recent reply of Maley's via "Muse" to a "muse" of mine. I was happy to see that he was allowed to reply in DX News. My remarks may have been ill advised, they were at least cryptic and conveyed an impression not intended" unquote. As to contests, they are all in fun and it is the spirit of competition that counts, last year I had best set up for mileage except Stan Morse, mine was leveled by DX'ing from west to east, to still keep an element of DX in it for me I made no attempt to write stations under 500 miles except those on ~~415~~ with specials and did not go after FC, stumbled on two of these about 3000 miles away and did verify. I would check Carberry's lists of standings, try and keep ahead of some of the contestants, then when I would slip in the standings, try and regain my former position, often in vain, hi! It was fun! This contest which I am, after Dec. 1st, I will not accept any 3-point bonus for any DX in U.S. unless arranged for by NRC, will try for all of these if and when they start, I am only interested in supporting Eldon and his CPC.

Fred Van Voorhees - Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

DX continues in fairly good quantity, but poor quality. I have only heard Pacific Coast stations on three mornings, and then only the strong ones. According to Grant Batson, I guess I didn't hear KPAN. Well, I heard some one, KTRB, no doubt. Veries in the past week from WIOU WERJ KAYL: WTNT. Still not wonderful. Reports since last week went to XEBZ WMRP WAVU XERF WWSR. Also WTMJ. Conditions are still very poor. No EA's heard here, and SA stations break through rarely. 11/17 Up for WWSR special and copied it well. WVNJ also testing. One of the rare mornings when KOLY was heard. 11/18 XEQ signing off at 12:45 a.m. WINZ took over 940 then. Copied record program from WTMJ 1:00-1:10 a.m. 11/19 Worst morning yet with no new ones heard. XEL heard on 1200 at 4:00 a.m. 11/21, WGY testing until 3:30. WKID testing 3:35-4:00. Gave call letters only at 4:00 a.m. WVMC also testing 4:14-4:30 and later. One in S.C. on 1490, but never got call letters. Heard at 4:48 through WWSW. 11/22 up for KXXX and got it swell 3:30-3:50. WKLO testing with S-9 plus signal 3:55 to 4:13 and later. WGNC tested at 4:20 on 1450. Then CFRA with special with one of the weakest I've tried to copy yet. Best here was S-3, and it was readable only on peaks, fading to S-1. If it weren't for the number of new stations I am getting, I'd really get disgusted. Still plenty to be had in daytime but no time to hunt them.

Stan Morse - Bradford, Massachusetts

11/19 - WVMC ET 2:20 a.m. on. WLLH test 2:35. WJLJ f/c at 2:50. Veries from WIEB KAYL & WVPF. 11.20 - WLNA-ET 2:10 a.m., on regular schedule about Dec. 1. Verie from KIHO. 11/22 - Reports to WKLO KXXX, test; KDSH WNAE CFRA. 11/23 - WWGP on test. 11/25 WDWS 2:14-2:32 a.m. WMOG 2:55 test. CKPC-DX at 3:10. WQXX test at 3:30. No sign of WFOX were they on? Veries WHOE WBKA & KSCB. (Who signs for WVPF, Stan, please? -Ed.)

Musings of the MembersNelson Seese - Bethesda, Maryland

I guess it is about time I came out of hiding and sent in a report of late doings here. DX conditions here this season so far have been from poor to worse. Only far western signals heard have been KROP, KFVD, & KXLF. I have been plagued with a noise here. Somebody in the neighborhood must have a motor of some sort that runs 24 hours a day. Maybe I have a power leak like Tom Carberry. Orchids to the men arranging the special programs. What a list! Hope I can get a lot of them. So far heard WJDS WDUK WCRA WNYW WEBR WAVU CKNX CHLT CHRC KXXX CFRA & WWGP. Other stations logged lately are WGAT on test on new frequency, WEDN daytime, WKRT daytime, WJVA daytime, WETB on test, WAPO at 5:00 a.m. sign-on, WVMC and KSUM on test, WLOS on 5:00 a.m. sign-on, XEN on early-morning broadcast, WKLO on test, and KFMAJ through the WWGP special. Veries are very slow in coming back. Only ones received recently are from WGAT WJVA & WGTM. The last was for a follow-up report. I did not hear the specials from KVI KPQ CJFX KTFI CJCJ & CJOC although I gave them a try. Was WBCK on? They surely should have been heard here if they were on, but not a sound from them. I see Vince Staten has alarm clock trouble. I did too until I started putting it all the way across the room. It's a rough way to have to get out of bed though it wakes me up enough to know what I'm doing when I turn the thing off. Almost forgot, finally received a typewritten post card verie from WWPB for report of last January. That's all the dope from here for now so I'll say good-bye.

Robert Base - Baltimore, Maryland

I have just gotten started doing a little DXing as I had my radio and hobby room re-papered and for several weeks my Scott 23 was disconnected. Also got one of those \$99.50 Pilot Television sets and it really works nice. With only the indoor twin lead antenna that comes with the set all three locals come in very nice. (Latest TV station here uses call WAAM - remember old WAAM in Newark?) WNEW, Washington is usually received well and at times WTTG and WMAL-TV in Washington. While the original picture is only about the size of a 620 film photograph, it is very clear and I have a lens from my old-time Jenkins Television which builds it up to about 5 x 6 inches. I have pretty well picked out what programs I like to see so don't think it will interfere too much with DX. Like "Town Meeting" and current Lionel and American Flyer Trains programs and a few others. A few good ones received during November are: WNYW WWSR CKOV KJSK WWNH KXXX CFRA and the same morning got notes on KULA which I failed to do last season. WVOT was well on top of 1420 about 4:30 p.m. on rainy afternoon and I received verification back by return mail. Tried for CHNO this morning but very strong carrier was on top and not enough to even identify was receivable underneath. Oh well, I can't get them all - don't even try to but there are lots more good DX programs coming up. Several weeks ago I was reading "DX News" on the street car. I noticed the man sitting along side me looking at the paper. Finally he asked me "What is DX anyway?" I explained and I guess he thought he had heard everything when I told him that lots of people get up all hours of the night just to catch some elusive voice at a distance. That's all for now and maybe I'll have a few more catches to report next time.

Sid Steele - Charleston, Illinois

This is my first report in several months, so will be more of a summary than an up-to-date report. I am beginning my second year as a chemistry instructor at Eastern Illinois State College and my various duties seem to take more and more of my time. Also I have an 8:00 o'clock class which definitely curtails DX during the week. Incidentally Eastern had a very successful football season and is participating in the Corn Bowl Game on Thanksgiving against Illinois Wesleyan. Last season brought in 150 veries. I left Louisville with 1300 veries even, so that raised the total to 1450. I've set this year's goal at 1600, but I have had such a slow start, I doubt now whether I'll reach 1550. Last season's veries represent quantity with very little quality. I suppose the best were the Hawaiians, EMVI KULA KHON & KPOA and CKCL CJNB KLEB & KRNO. WSAR was also a very welcome one, since I have been after him for 16 years. The 5 Canadian veries brought that total to 103. This season veries have been recd from KLKC WEBR WGAT KSIG WTAO on early morning DX with reports out to KXAR WJMA WKOP WVMC WYOM KSUM KGYN WKNX WCMN. Early eve, & day DX even more fruitful with veries: WTCO WENA KHBR WXLW KDEX WHCW KTHT CEW KGAR WJPS reports out to KGAF KGLC WINZ KIOA KREI KHMO WGEM. The CE's seem please with such rpts. Those at WENA KHBR & KDSX seemed esp. grateful. KSUM hrd on 1st test 11/20. KGYN 1220 Gaymon, Okla. with reg. ch. acc. to annor on 11/25, 2:30-2:45 daily.

Musings of the MembersJoe Enz - Brooklyn, New York

Veries rolling in pretty good with the latest being WWXL KENO ~~KVLC~~ WIBS ~~WVCH~~ WTOK WNAE KCIL, etc. Am working six night schedule now, off only Saturday mornings, so not much DX this season but was promised day drag for next summer 7:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. - then will DX plenty, hi. See where you got trouble with WIBS. verie in air-mail from report of Oct. 26th, signer is Albert D. Sear, C.E., said any time want another verie to write to him. For Pete Clarius three veries inf two days from WVCH - 2 cards and one letter all by General Manager and Engineer for most complete and detailed report for daytime reception. James S. Tisdale, One report sent to WVCH. More late veries - WBKA WGAT WJPS WMBL ~~CHOV~~ ~~WOOF~~ ~~CJBC~~ makes total 1021 to date. WKOP in Binghamton, N.Y. 750 good in N.Y. area at 4:00 p.m. with Polka program 4:00-4:30 p.m. with WKOP Open House. 740 brings in WVCH most all day and at 3:30 p.m. WXGI WMBL about even. Then either CEL or WIBS. WTNJ in Trenton at 6:00 p.m. with CKCO with news at 6:15 p.m. (1310). CHEF also heard one evening on 1320 Kc/s. also a Halifax station on same frequency maybe CBH on 1330 but I already have them. Reports out to WMOC WFAM WLNA WKOY CKCO KPLC KXAR, new report. WHEB also clear at 5:00 p.m. s/off in N.Y. area 750 Kc/s. WCAX another daytimer here, 620 Kc/s., in Vermont. On Sunday mornings WKMO, Kokomo, Ind.; in clear on 1490 Kc/s. till 2:00 a.m. s/off. WKOY also in clear 1240 Kc/s. in Bluefield W. Va., at 2:00 a.m. to 2:30 a.m. 1290 Kc/s. gas WTOC WHEKY at 6:00 p.m. nearly every night. Well, that's about all here, so 73's and best of DXing to all.

Pat Railley - Jamestown, New York

New veries are WBEK WTOA WOOK WESA WNDP (heard here at 4:00 p.m./)WOOF WNGM KIMA WIEB WCUM, for 1676 log - not much DX this week here - 11/20 - KSUM, WGFG for new ones. 11/21, noisy here, WALD, 1490, for new one. 11/22 - KXXX, WVAR, CFRA, on DX, WKID, 1580 at 4:00, WKLO, 1060, at 4:30 for 5 new ones. Was CJGJ, CJOC, CHRC on air? Not heard at all here. Heard WAAT using new 5,000 watt on 11/22 - Heard a Spanish station on 1060 and one on 1090 after 4:00 on 11/20, couln't decipher calls from either one. Haven't heard many of those Canadians, are they on the air? They haven't either been on or have changed times as I've tried quite a few of them and no DX. Very seldom hear the NRC mentioned on most of those NNRC programs, but maybe I don't stay with them long enough. 73's and good DX.

J. Warren Routzahn - York, Pennsylvania

Just another brief report to keep me up to date. Since last report I logged WFLO WNOW KOBE WKID WLOU WVMC WKLO KXXX CFRA WIBK WIBS & CMHF. Veries were received from WTOM KAYL ~~WGED~~ ~~WDFD~~ ~~KTMC~~ WNGM WOBS WLTR & WNOW. November 15 drew a blank here, not hearing EVI or WBEK on their DXes. WARL apparently an all-nighter. Nov. 17 - WMON & WKID tested 2:00-3:00 a.m. WLOU 3:00 past 3:30. Nov. 19 - WJLL ended test at 3:30, a Spanish-speaking station on in place of CFRN here, KTFI nice on their DX. Nov. 21 tried for CJOC, fair carrier on there and some noises and whistles but nothing like a program. WKID & WVMC tested most of the morning. Nov. 22 - KXXX good on their DX. WKLO tested 4:00-4:30 then CFRA good, but rather noisy on their DX. Nov. 25 up too late for WFOX, found WHDH on instead. CMHF on all morning. CKPC good on DX and entertaining program. WCLA and WMJM testing around 4:00 a.m. Verifications slow and DX not really up to par, but the dial is so full a guy is almost sure of something if he gets up.

A SPECIAL WORD FROM YOUR CONTEST MANAGER.

To all who have various ideas on how the contest should be run, please save them and send in your idea of a good contest for next season. This one has already started, and it was approved by the Board of Directors. It is not perfect, but it is functioning, and no changed will be made in the rules. For the benefit of all, the contest manager has decided that all listings appearing in "DX News" as specials will be counted. This is not ideal, but because of the present late date, he does not feel that any limitations imposed at this time would be fair. Perhaps another year some limitations can be imposed. (signed) Fred Van Voorhees, Contest Manager. Standings for this week are shown on another page of this issue of DX News.

To Leo Herz: Your point total was correct, although KLOU was omitted in error. You now have 30.4 credit.

To Hank Holbrook: You were closer than I to correct total. It is now correct at 62.1. In the Foreign section of the contest, Brierly has 8.2, and Van Voorhees 8.1.

Musings of the Members
Bob Brown - Goshen, Indiana

Latest reports are out to WTMA KXAR WKOP WJPS WREN KMO WVJS WVMC WGRM WEXL WVOM CHRC QNAX WWNC WXGI WMBL WTIK WPIT KORG WFRL WWXL WIMA KGYN. Veries are slow coming in with the latest in from XERF WTWA KMO WEXL WHBQ WINS WMOG WJPS WVOM. 10/30/48 WTWA on f/c until 2:30 a.m. KXAR on f/c until 2:35 a.m. WKOP at R-9 plus on Special, WJPS on ET. 10/31 - WREN on top at sign-off, XERF under CPFL at 1:15 a.m., KMO R-8 with football game 1:47 to 2:00 a.m., WVJS on regular schedule 2:08 to 2:30 a.m.; WVOM and some other station fighting it out until 3:00 a.m. Sign-off of other station at 3. Could this be KASH? (Had a radio version of "Sorry, Wrong Number"), 11/13 - KECA at 30 db above R-9 at 1:12 a.m., 11/14 - Spanish-speaking station (TITP?) on 1175 at 8:30 p.m., 11/20 - WNAO on top at 5:20 p.m. (I thought I might log WKBZ) ??? 11/21 - WKOY signing off at 2:48 a.m. (Sunday morning,) WVMC on ET at 2:52 a.m., Georgia station on f/c with test tone under WSDC and WBIR from 3:00 to 3:15 a.m. WGRM on f/c from 3:15 to 3:30 a.m., WEXL on special under WHHM, CHRC under CKLW carrier on Special. 11/27 - KIOA very weak under CBM at 6:25 a.m., WNAX sign-on 6:30 a.m., tangling with WWNC, WXGI & WMBL copied until CBL 6:58 a.m. sign-on, WTIK, WPIT, & WPIJ all readable on 730 from 7:04 to 7:17 a.m., KORG over WHRV at 7:22 a.m., WFRL over WFUR at 7:30 a.m., 11/28 - WWXL on Saturday night program, WIMA on 1150, Idma, O., ET 3:13 to 3:25 a.m., KGYN. 1220, Gypsum, Okla., on ET 3:25 to 3:42 a.m. Today (11/28/48) ends my 9th year of verifying DX. The total now is 746 with 41 recent reports outstanding. Total last year was 101 with the best DX being KHON KMVI KULA & KXO. I now have 224 veries toward my goal of 1000 over 1000 miles away (\$20 more than last year this time). Total over 7,000 miles away is still at 21. I don't know when I'll log another station from Down Under - will close now and get a contest report out to Fred. 73's.

Herb Campbell - Athens, Pennsylvania

Heedful of admonitions, I have sent in my report to Frank Wheeler. List is carefully screened and includes no souvenirs, invitations, blank QSL cards or "prepared cards" except when the personnel of the station can be proven illiterate. It has always seemed to me that there has existed some ambiguity in the minds of a few in regard to our listing and that some three column listing would give a more accurate picture, such as, "Heard," "Reported," "Verified." It is the verified/reported ratio that is of most critical interest to the average DXer. Veries, this season, as I list, are KSMN WISL WSAY WIKK WNLK KFAC WIP WNEF WLDS WDUK WMBS WJVB WSCH WOOF WHBQ WNAE WBBR KAYL WOCK WBCK WWSR and unsolicited dupes from WEXL & WMRP. Outstanding reports are: WMBG WLBA WKDN KQV WJMW WCRA KTNM WAVU KTFI WWHH WVMC KXXX CFRA WWGP CKPS KPOF & CHNO. You can see that I have stuck pretty close to the DX Calendar. It has afforded me about 63% of veries listed above, and this is just one thing that makes NRC membership worth the price. What we most need, now, is more DIFFERENT reporters to "DX News." This game is peculiar, in a way. It cannot exist without co-operation, for a minute, but there is no way for the one who does the good turn to profit himself a nickel, directly. Last Spring, I saw a letter in the publication of a contemporary club. I do not think that I had ever heard of the writer before, but he could claim over 2,500 verifications, on the BCB! The thought struck me that, if he shared his experiences with others, as well he may, for all I know, this experience alone, would have been a bonanza for any club publication.

Larry Yarnes - Watsonville, California

It's been a long time since I've sent in a report to "Musings of the Members." Hope I still remember how the "chatter" goes. Gene Allen of Vallejo, Calif., came down to see me last week-end, and brought his HQ189X along, as he always does. But neither one of us got any DX to talk about. Power line noise was bad that morning, and signals were weak. We succeeded in getting little except GJGE and GJOG. But we had a very enjoyable week-end, nevertheless. Gene brought his recent veries along for me to drool over. Among them was one from WUMS, Dave Thomas's Proctorville, Ohio, 5-watt "power-house." DX here this month includes the following: WJMW WCYB KSJB WARB KXXX KIPA WWGP KHON, Japanese on 650, 570 & 730, WVTR, Armed Forces, Tokyo; CKCK, several Alaskans, and a Siberian (probably Vladivostok) on 615 K. This was hrd this AM 11/28 3:58-4:45. Ann. were in Russian & Jap. Bell interval sigs were used bet. programs. KFQD was S9 plus this AM at the same time, which would be logical, inasmuch as Anchorage lies in the same general direction from Cal. as Vladivostok does. (Thanks for swell rpt, Larry! Boy, what DX! -Ed.)

Misings of the MembersMel Oliver - Houston, Texas

Failed to get my report off last Monday, so this one covers two weeks' activity. Am doing better now, with reports off to WIRB CKNX KXRX KXXX WNAR WARL WWGP WKID KBNW WKIX WVMC WLOS WRC KGYN WFUN KONY WCNT WCBD & KBYE. Veries are from KAYL WBRD KMO WMRP WWWB WIRE & KXRX. Wonder who Spanish-speaking station is between 1020 and 1030 Kc/s.? Also WIRS on 740 Kc/s. announced 'San Juan' when coming on air at 5:00 a.m., whereas my book says Santurce. Day by day account: 11/16 - WIRB 1230 concluding f/c at 3:30. 11/18 - CKNX logged on DX but static was bad. KXRX, 1500, seems to be new all-nighter. CHLT not heard here. 11/19 - New cold spell but bad electrical buzz so heard only louder stations including XEL on 1260 with I wanted CFRN. 11/22 - KXXX fine, WNAR heard with difficulty due to static. 11/23 - WWGP heard OK although KFMJ tested most of the time. WVOX testing at 3:45, Mexican on 650 with speech, probably XEZ. 11/24 - KCHE, 1590, concluded half-hour test at 3:15 and is now on regular schedule. WKID testing on 1580 at 3:30 and KBNW on 1450 at 3:45. KYOU ~~concluded f/c program~~ beginning f/c on 1450 at 4:00, using tone. 11/25 - Got up too late for CKPC but got WKIX. WETB concluded f/c program on 790 at 4:00 a.m. 11/26 - WX was impossible. 11/27 - WVMC with ET on 1360 at 3:15. Terrible luck - heard powerful station in Guatemala City concluding test on 830 Kc/s. at 4:20, requesting reports and would verify. Heard too late to get any dope. 11/28 - KGYN, Guyton, Okla., with ET on 1220 at 3:15 - also 11/28. WIMA finished ET on 1150 at 3:50; KFSB on 1310 testing with carrier an occasional announcement, heard at 4:15, ditto for KEIO on new frequency of 1440 Kc/s., WFUN 1450 with record program until 5:00, apparently every Sunday AM. WCBD logged through WFAA on 820 from 5:45 to 6:00 p.m., Sunday, and KBYE through WENR immediately thereafter. 11/29 - Weather fine, but that old buzz was back. Tried for WATN, but got only WWWB. Believe I heard CKUA during few seconds' break in buzz. XEFO was on until 3:30. My EX-42 seems to work OK, but isn't going to set the world afire until I get a good antenna. Using only a simple 50-foot single wire at present.

Fred Van Voorhees - Camp Hill, Pennsylvania

(This week's report. Previous one was for last week, delayed in the mails five days.) Veries continue to come in slowly at times, faster at others. Since last report I have received XEFO WJPS WALE KOCA WOOF WETB WMRP WWSR. It helps keep the totals up there. Detailed listening since last week: 11/24 - WJHO with f/c at 3:20; WKID with ET at 3:25, WSUA with f/c at 3:30. 11/25 - DX from CKPC at 3:20 fair, WVOX with ET at 3:50, WMJM with f/c 4:00, WGAT with all-night show 4:15. 11/26 - Special from KPOF good at 4:08; KXOK testing at 4:22, CHNO special ruined here by a carrier. 11/28 - Sign-off from KCKY at 3:00a.m., regular Saturday night show from WVJS at 2:15. I would like at this time to make a few comments. One is on the value of follow-ups. My method is to wait until the next season to follow the old season's hold-outs. I had five last season, XEFO WHLI WCCC WKMA & WMID. So far I have veries back from the first three, with good hopes of the others. I have had to resort to follow-ups to get a number of my better catches. WVL TGV VOCM & YV5RB all had to be followed up, but all came through very nicely. I always send a follow-up, never sooner than three months, and I always enclose a prepared verie card to be signed and returned to me. It works in about 90% of my tries. Often the station will return their own card instead of mine, but there is usually a verie in it for me.

Leo Herz - Chicago, Illinois

Veries in this week: KPLC KAIS WWSR, bringing my total to 706, with 18 reports out (from this season, with none very old.) Reports went last week to WVMC 1360 Kc/s., Mt. Carmel, Ill., heard on test, Nov. 22. Same morning, Nov. 22, logged WNAR, on DX-test, WSGN, 610 Kc/s., Birmingham, over-riding WIP on early-morning program; and on sign-on, WARB, Mobile, Ala., 1480 Kc/s. Nov. 23, WWGP, Sanford, N.C. on DX-test. Nov. 25 - CKPC on DX special, same morning, WMJM, 1490 Kc/s., Cordele, Ga., on f/c. Nov. 26 - CHNO, Sudbury, Ont., was logged through the worst noise level I ever DXed through, but got enough for a report. The two specials on for Nov. 28 could not be heard. Some time ago, I mentioned FM DX, this seems to be dead around here now as most channels are being filled by locals. Best DX to all. (In 11/20/48 issue, Herz' report, a correction: Leo is speaking of week-end DXes, and it should read timely: I note that someone wants more week-end DXes. That is more easily said than done, from experience in CPC work can say not only on account of the all-nighters who seem to be off on Mon. AM's but the Chief Engineers don't want to get up early on Sunday AM's.) (Sorry, Leo - error here. - Ed.)

Musings of the MembersBarnie Duffy - Staten Island, New York

The past week's dial twisting has netted me the following: 11/24 - WDEV s/on at 6:00 a.m., as did WHOK. KSD topped all QRM at 6:30 when they began, WASA as usual dominated 1600 Kc/s. at its daily s/on at 6:45 a.m. 11/25 - WHDH's tremendous signal on 850 Kc/s. at 1:30 on precluded my getting yearned-for WFOX's test. WKRX's came in perfectly and WKLO, WVMC & WDWS with comparable volume with their additional ET's. CKPC & CFOS's tests came in rather weakly. At 6:00, I again heard WHOK s/on as well as a station that seemed to be WCRB, latter under WFBC on 1330 - a weakish station heard s/on on 1250 Kc/s. far underneath WNOW & WCAE at 6:30, it seemed to be WRMS - that afternoon at 2:00-2:40 heard a weak signal behind WKNE that possibly was WVPC - WHOL put in its unexpected appearance at 3:10 p.m. by rising to recognizable volume behind local WFAS, that I happened to be listening to - just to make it a complete DXers' Thanksgiving Day, WRJM showed faintly behind WJMJ at 3:30 p.m. A high noise level and desire to catch up on much-needed sleep precluded my logging any others till 11/29 when I landed KGYN, 1220 Kc/s., in Guymon, Oklahoma, and WIS ETing at 2:12 a.m. CKUA and Radio St. Pierre didn't show for me. 11/30 I ran into unknown carriers on 600, 630, and 1380 Kc/s, and an unidentified tester playing records and calling off hodge-podge alphabet at 3:15-4:15 a.m., on 1490 Kc/s. over-riding WWSW. Rather true to form, I failed to get CHAT & CFAR but had better luck in landing WBSY's test on 1220 Kc/s. at 2:30-2:45 and WKIN with its seldom-identified ET topping WVOM on 1600 Kc/s. 12/1 - I caught the new one, WYACB very loud at 3:45 - about twice as loud as WKIN. Got WFFB s/on at 6:00 a.m. At 3:50, a 1490 tester, asking for reports - probably the same one as on 11/30. Veries in from WNNY WOOK WBIZ, letters, and WRJM a card. XEDF's most attractive all-Spanish, promptly issued, and air-mailed letter that was signed by Felipe Maldonado Paez - P.O. Box #87 - Laredo, Texas. WBTM's nice letter covering its 6:20 a.m. daily s/on, WWGP WGEZ & WKNA's rather plain ones as well as swell cards from KGAR WKOP & WWSR. During October and November, I added 34 catches to my log, but continue being rather unsuccessful with many of the DX specials.

Joe Brauner - Williamsville, New York

Too much pillow-pounding this past week, DX suffering as a result. Put on 11/23, WASA came in very weakly back of WPRC & WVOM, usually WHRV blocks 'em all on 1600 at that hour. CHVC puts his carrier on about 6:50, so have only a few minutes to work on WASA here. Also added a second new one that day when WJJJ actually came in louder than WWVA around 5:30 p.m. Usually WWVA holds him out until KVOO shows up for the evening. Others were KBMW with f/c on 11/24, KPAN with ET on 11/25, and WABB on top of 1480 5:30 to 6:00 p.m. On 11/26, KGYN, 1220, with ET. CHNO by no means easy though carrier QRM, on DX, and KLER with ET. Veries in, card from KEIO, letters from WGEZ WMAE (2nd try) KICM KBMW and last but not least, KSMO, suggest trying a new report to H. Neil Black, the present C.E. He seems to desire plenty of reports. Guess we all have our share of electrical noises. Most of the electrical "QRM" that I've met up with, and the hardest to locate, came from defective light bulbs, mostly the larger ones used in street and outdoor lighting, and sometimes air temperature effects this type of noise, but it's easily located by tuning to a weak signal or to a dead spot on the band and noting if noise starts when lights are turned on or off at dusk or dawn. Motors of the kind generally used on cleaners, sewing machines and small appliances are great offenders, but oil burner and larger motors seldom bother radios. "DX News" did not arrive until Friday PM, but the 11/27 issue arrived here before noon, 11/29!

Kermit Geary - Walnutport, Pennsylvania

Veries have arrived from KSWS WJPS & WTWA, all in the form of letters. Reports were sent during the past week to the following station: 11/24 - WTAO on regular schedule from 6:30 to 6:45 a.m. 11/25 - WMGM on regular schedule from 1:40 to 2:01 a.m. s/off. 11/26 - CHNO on DX from 4:00 to 4:55 a.m. with weak signals & interference between 4 and 4:43 a.m. 11/28 - KGYN, Guymon, Okla. 1220, on ET from 3:30 to 4:15, KELZ with early program from 6:30 to 6:56 a.m., WRJM on regular from 7:30 to 7:57 a.m., & WLNA regular schedule 7:45 to 8:15 a.m. 11/29 - WREL on regular schedule from 6:00 to 6:07 a.m. 11/30 - No CFAR, only KGBB riding in on 590 Kc/s. KEL had charge of 1260, so a 1/2 hour report was sent him from 3:30 to 4:01 a.m. Ended the morning by logging WKIN, Kittanning, Penna., 1600 Kc/s., over-riding WVOM with an ET from 4:01 to 4:30 a.m. No sign of WACB on 1380 Kc/s. at that time.

SUPPORT ALL THE DX PROGRAMS AND TESTS LISTED ON PAGE I WITH REPORTS OR THANK-YOU CARDS.

Ted Weiser - Schuylkill Haven, Penna.

Veries in from KXLY KWOC KWBW WWVB WGEZ WLOS WSWS WBKA WGAU WEXL, the latter two are renewals. Received veries letter from WBER but when I opened it, it happened to be for Mr. Derek Wharton, so I sent it along to him right away - mine is elsewhere, but not worried 'cause I have them verified from their test a few weeks back. 11/22 - WGBF on 25th Anniversary, sent card but already had them, KPBC on f/c through carrier 2:25-2:40 a.m., WDNE on test on top, sent card, do not need them, KXXX on their test, WNAR on their test 8-9 here, daytime 8-9, WKLO on ET 8-9 too, WTNT on ET 8-9 on top, off 4:45 a.m., 11/23 - WWGP on test, KFMAJ with TT back of WWGP 3:30 a.m. on - in clear at sign-off from WWGP at 3:57 a.m., WECW on f/c back of WWSW, WIEK logged just in time before sign-off 4:57 a.m., on top of XELO, WFTM on f/c - sent card, have them also. 11/24 - KPON on f/c in the clear 8-7 here, KVOL through the mob on 1340 Kc/s. with f/c, 11/25 - WINZ logged on regular schedule for a try again, maybe luck since new C.E. Frank Wheeler from WKLV, CKPC on DX, tops here, CFOS on DX not too good at times, logged some material. 11/26 - WAWZ on DX easy here, KPOF on DX fair to weak signal here, WHUM on test on top here 8-9, they wanted reports, 11/27 - WABI on test, tone and music, 8-9 at $\frac{1}{2}$ volume, things were slow this A.M., back to bed. 11/28 - KXLF on regular schedule, logged over $\frac{1}{2}$ hour, WIMA on ET 8-9 here, WNOK carrier ET just about over the others 3:30 to 3:44 a.m., KGIN on ET 8-9 at $\frac{1}{2}$ volume, CKHW on 5:00 a.m. for NNRC in the clear 8-9 at $\frac{1}{2}$ volume, I have him but written again another report, WHBI on regular schedule at s/on 7:00 a.m. to 8:00 a.m., also WVET on s/on 7:00 a.m. in and out of WHBI, mostly on top 7:05 to 7:25 a.m., WHBI 8-9 after 7:30 a.m. to 8:00 a.m. Reception was on the up-and-up Sunday. 11/29 - Quite a surprise reception was tops. KLO logged on regular schedule 1:42 to 2:00 a.m., KMO logged on regular schedule, KULA in the clear, logged 2:17 a.m. till WLV carrier after 2:33 a.m., KUJ 1:05 to 1:17 a.m., then EQV interference, KPBC on f/c through carrier, KGIN on again, KSPT f/c 8-9 at $\frac{1}{2}$ volume, KLZ on brief test at 3:48 a.m., carrier only, KSFO close by at 3:50 a.m. call, then music, through KLZ carrier also brief test. Hope there is more good reception on the way like this morning, like Monday AM's - things are quiet like back in the older days.

George Hotton - Milwaukee, Wisconsin

DXing in November resulted in 16 new veries all told. WHHM came through with a brown-colored card. WOBS verified by letter stating that mine was their first report from Wisconsin. KBQA verified my daytime report by letter. XESM confirmed with a vertical picture of their antenna. KNBC sent a government postal card, as well as WSCR on their special. I wrote CJBC and received two CBL and CJBC cards within a week. WBAF finally verified my report of April 25, 1948, although I didn't send them another report. WSRA confirmed their special on a government card. WBYS confirmed my daytime report on a white card with large red call letters on it. WOOK verified with an attractive black, white and pink letterhead, while WGWR's is red letters on a white background. WHDH expects to operate with 50 kw. on 850 with a directional antenna around the first of the year. KFXJ sent a beautiful green letter with a pair of peaches on it, plugging the rich fruit belt of Western Colorado. They have been heard in the Aleutian Islands, so they say. KXLY sent a plain black and white card explaining their schedule. Stations reported recently which haven't replied as yet are as follows: XEO (regular schedule) KFGO (test), WAPA (regular schedule) WCNT (ET) WVNJ WVMC KABC WCPA (all with tests), WOKZ on regular schedule, KTRN and WLOU (tests), CHLT CHRC KXXX WNAR CKPC & CFOS (all on NEC specials* WKLO WIEK WVOK WETB WWXL KGIN (all tests.) This is my 2nd report to WWXL, so sure hope they come through now. Have been trying for KCMO on 810 at 4:30 p.m. daily but still no luck. I wish all NEC members a successful DX season this year. That's all for now.

Tom Carberry - Kenmare, New York

Veries are in from WIEG WNAD WHBQ WTCH WJPS WLEJ. Sent reports to KSD WWNH & WVMC on 11/20. Took advantage of a long Thanksgiving week-end and sent reports to WVAM WKXX XEG WTRC KPAN WHEY KGIN WJAG WANZ KPOF CHNO WNAM WOBS WGFG KAST WBAF KXAR WABI. Too bad for me that I can't DX like that all the time but have to make the most of my holidays when they come. Reception of CHNO DX on 11/26 was very poor but enough copied for a good report. WANZ and KPOF both came in good. WABI weak but readable on 11/27. Still too much noise for good reception outside of Eastern-Midwestern zone. Bulletin arrived Saturday November 26. Ray still hasn't gotten his yet!
THREE THINGS FOR EVERY DXER TO REMEMBER - COURTESY, RETURN POSTAGE, & PATIENCE HELP!

Musings of the MembersLen Kruse - Dubuque, Iowa

The month of November has not lived up to its ideal DX conditions, as in former years. Stations heard the past week included: 11/22 - WNAR on test; then 11/23, heard WKID (1590) Urbana, Ill., with ET. Station CKPC heard on DX on 11/25. The same AM heard KGHI (1250) Little Rock, Ark., with 4th Thursday f/c 3:10-3:25 a.m., also WMJM (1490) Cordale, Ga., with f/c 4:00-4:15 a.m. Then KPAN (860) Hereford, Tex. heard testing 4:25 to 5:22 a.m., with powerful signal. On 11/26, logged WHYU (1270) Newport News, Va., with regular schedule 6:30-6:45 a.m., QRM'd by WXYZ. Logged the new KGYN (1220) Gaymon, Okla., with ET on 11/28 4:30-5:00 a.m. The DXes from KPOF, WAWZ, CPOS, WENX & WWGP all heard with good signals. The lasters verifications in wese (letters) WNGM WELX KPHC WJPS WHOK and a card on WOOF DX.

John Ritterley - Alameda, California

I was going to open up this report by agreeing with R. Hunt on his observation that West Coasters didn't seem to get the breaks and I was going to point out that the East Coast boys can hear about 31 states to the middle of the U.S., while West Coasters have about 17 states to work on in the same radius, but some where in "DX News" I saw an item saying to stop our yapping, so I won't mention a thing. I do believe though that these reports are printed under the heading of "Musings of the Members," which doesn't sound too much like a strictly DX reports section. In other words, the statement of M/Sgt. Anderson "I want to say I'm proud of being and belonging to the swell people who make up the National Radio Club of ours" etc. should be deleted because it is not DX news. Is that right, editor? Congrats on the Timely Tips the last two (IX - X) were exceptionally good advice. Sometimes you forget those little items that may lose you a good DX catch. CHNO is not an all-higher, signs at 4:00 a.m., E.S.T. KSIG f/c 3:15-3:30 EST, first Saturday. KGMB & JOAK had nice dog fight 11/15, final winner - KGMB. KVI not on up to 5:00 a.m., E.S.T. 11/15 for DX, but I did hear them sign off special DX show 11/16, only one day late, not bad for us Westerners. They were also on ET 11/17 5:45, EST. 11/18 - KOAK on top of WOW at s/on 5:00 a.m., E.S.T. XEG s/on 4:40 a.m., E.S.T. My mystery AFRS station on 880 was S-8 11/20 for 12 solid minutes, comes announcement, "this is Far East Network," and Wham - they are down in the mud and they are still my mystery station. Sounded like WPCR, Peking. Was wondering if it's OK for members to arrange a DX program with a station or is that strictly a CPC job? (John, on this latter, write to Eldon Addy, CPC Chairman, R.D. #2, Marcus, Iowa - OK? -Ed.)

Grant Batson - Westfield, New York

10 varies came the last week which makes the DXing more encouraging. WMRP WERM WWSR WKLV WEXL CPRA WBBR (a nice EKKO stamp with this one) WWGP WENX WRMH. Reports to KXXX who came in Q-4 R-9, WNAR for a good report but not as well as the first one. I logged this one 1st time in '46 for daytime report. CPRA heard through a wall of static. WWGP on 11/23 for whole hour. WIBK on 800 for a good report. 11/25 - CKPC on 1380 had a grand show and of course are local here. WENX bothered by QRN, CPOS on 1470 under carrier unknown, plus static, a fair report but I've had better daytime reception. 11/26 - WAWZ for another good show. KPOF followed and after a 1/2 hour blitzed out by noise level and static. CHNO on same date. Got a fair report - was it QRM or what that caused all the weak signals? Some help please - on 11/28/48, station on 1150 Kc/s. testing from around 3:00 to 3:23 a.m., then s/off announced W---, Lima, Ohio. What is the call letters, after the W came static, blocked out balance of call. (WIMA, Grant - Ed.) A short correction: My new boiler is hot water type - though the same make of Weil - McLean is used in steam heat. (that was typing error here, Grant - I hit 'n' instead of 'h' making it 'not' instead of 'hot' - both are hit with same finger, hi - Ed.) On CKUA - I had them but couldn't pull in any station breaks or identify music - did hear several Radio DX clubs mentioned, fading and static again, and on 590, KGMB came in a good Q-4 R-7 at times - burn. KMWI on 550 and KPOA 630 and KULA and to further burn me up, couldn't pull in Miquelon. According to letter from CJFX no reports received & letter sent to all who sent thank yous advising later date for another DX. That's co-operation!

Al Maley - Highland Falls, New York

A short note - CKUA weak on DX and ruined by carrier and TT during first half-hour when signal was strongest. Radio St. Pierre was heard during DX with very nice signal, but they were operating on 545 Kc/s., although announcing 560! Varies back from KPET KGAR KIMA & CFRN - also KXLY card, one I should have had months ago but never bothered to write 'em up. KOJM heard 2:19-2:30 on 11/29, weak signal under ideal conditions.

D X C O N T E S T S T A N D I N G S

<u>Name</u>	<u>State</u>	<u>Stations added</u>	<u>Point totals</u>
Van Voorhees	Pennsylvania	XEM WKMH WTNT CJBC WEBJ WIOU KAYL WALE XERO KOCA WETB WJPS Specials - WOOK WMRP WIBG - - - - -	79.4
E. Cooper	New York	KREN KAYL KLKC WASA WCUM WBKA WHTC WNJR WHOK KTMC KFDX WEKR WSVS CBW Specials - WOOK WMRP WIBG - - - - - (WCUM replaces WEMD formerly entered)	69.4
Reilley	New York	WSAC KAYL KSEW WADB Specials - WDUK WMBS WSCR WOOF WJVB - - - - -	67.5
Holbrook	Maryland	WWPG WQAM WORA WLXB WCKE WREF WELO WVPO WNOE XERB WJMO WEAT WLS WGAT WMAZ WGOV KIMP KLTI WACE WALE KGGF WHEQ Specials - WNEF WLDS - - - - - (WJMO replaces WHKC; WEAT replaces WQAM)	62.1
Edge	New York	WJPS KAYL WHTC WGY KREO WJMX KXLY WKNA WASA WHOK WOBBS WLEA WGEZ WHH Specials - WSCR KVNI WOOF - - - - -	55.8
Albrecht	Louisiana	KTOK WREJ WQWR KCSJ WKCT KICM KYOU WNES WIAN WTCH KAYS KLKC WULA KICD WEKR KPIX KEYE KOSA KWRN. Specials - WOOF WDUK - - - - -	54.2
Brierley	California	CBK KFEQ ZICO KAVI WHAS WHE XEG KBRC KTR KVEN KVRZ WCKY WGN WHO KEIO KFEL WCCO KIMA CJOR CKNW XELO Specials - KVNI KLOU - - - - -	53.2
Hertz	Illinois	KMEL (?) KAYL WHEQ WCAE WWSW KVOD WCBG WATO KPLC KALS . Specials - WOOF WSCR - - - - - Note to Leo - WNAE doesn't count as special because it was not listed in DX Calendar.	49.8
Brown	Indiana	WFFB KBUR WOAP WMMP KSTL KPDN WINZ CBW WNGO WSGN WRC KPTR KLEC CJBC KIMP WLGS WVJS - - -	48.3
Hunt	California	WGST WRDW KKKL CKMO CJVI KIPA WEUS Specials - KVNI WLDS - - - - -	41.2
Wheeler	Pennsylvania	WIRB. Specials - WWXL WDUK WAGS WLDS KLOU WSCR WWOL WOOF WOOK - - - - -	40.8
Kruse	Iowa	No new entries - - - - -	21.8
R. Cooper	Pennsylvania	No new entries - - - - -	20.8
Carberry	New York	WERC WIKK KIMP KXOK WVOM WWPG WSON WNAD WENO Special - WIBG. - - - - -	19.5
Steele	Illinois	WTCO WENA WXLW KLKC KHER KDSX WEKR WHOW - - -	17.6
Wokaty	Ohio	WALE WVOM KCSB WULA Special - WDUK - - - - -	12.2
Mizerski	Pennsylvania	WMBN WTIC WNEW WOWO WBT WIP - - - - -	7.4
Saling	Oregon	WEOL KRAM Specials - KLOU - - - - -	6.8
Bales	Ohio	No new entries - - - - -	3.4

No entries have as yet been received from these who are also in the contest: Addy, Iowa; Anderson, Colorado; Batson, New York; Hotton, Wisconsin; Kirk, West Virginia; Maguire, New Mexico; Meehan, California; Morse, Massachusetts; Wagner, Pennsylvania. Next full listing in December 31 bulletin. All entrants - please send in your stations!

SPACE DOES NOT PERMIT "TIMELY TIPS" THIS WEEK - HOPE YOU CAN STAND IT, HI! - EDITOR.

Lefty Cooper - Brooklyn, New York

Varies rolled in this week from: WALE KTRM-DX WIOI (no follow-up) & WNGM, brief and mimeographed. Reports out this week to: WHED WITA WFOX WFFB WSPA WTSV KASI KQAR (again) WFAW WWST. I heard a 250 watt tester on 860 4:30-5:01 Thanksgiving morning, but through reports, see it wasn't WFOX, but KPAN, so a letter being sent them with same report. WFFB was heard well at 6:00 a.m. week-day sign-on, and WWST poorly same time. KASI had a test on 11/27, 9-9 here. WTSV dragged out of the muddle on 1330 at 11:00 p.m. on top for a report. WSPA heard well, 4:45-5:00 s/off, but that was a Nov. sign-off. WACE-WKIN not on Monday, and didn't get WKIN Tuesday - too much WVOM. 73's, all, till next week.

All time AM EST

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

- 545 Radio St. Pierre, came in here on 11-29 DX altho announcing 560 kc. (Maley)
- 550 KMVI Wailuku, T.H. Sked 1000-0300 Wkdays, Noon-0300 Sun. (Brierley)
- 574 Radio Stuttgart, Radio Branch, Information Control Division, Office of the Military Gov't for Wurtemberg-Baden, 145 Necherstrasse, Stuttgart, U.S. Zone, Germany. S/on 11 PM (Radio News)
- 630 WIRC Hickory, NC. ET on 12-2 til 0415 (Cooper, Brauner)
- 690 ~~WVCK~~ Birmingham, Ala. FC 4th Thurs 0345-0400 (Van Voorhees)
- XEN Mexico City, DF. QTH is Apartado 2516, Ayuntamiento 54, Mexico District Federal, Mexico. Verie back in 1 month (Van Voorhees)
- 730 KOPP Ogden, Utah, ET AM of 11-25 (Brierley)
- ???? Was it KOJM or KOPP testing with band music 11-29 til 0230 s/off (Maley)
- 740 WJIG Tullahoma, Tenn. ET on 12-1 0200-0245 s/off (Maley)
- 780 WJAG Norfolk, Neb. FC 26th of month @ 0245 (Carberry)
- 800 PRA-2 Portaleza, Ceara, Brasil, Sked 0500-9:30 PM wkdays (Radio News)
- 830 KBOA Kenneth, Mo. On top of WCCO 5:15-5:30 PM on 11-29 (Base)
- 832 Sudwestrundfunke Zentrale Baden-Baden, Hotel Kaiserin Elisabeth, Molkestrasse 5, Baden-Baden, French Zone, Ger. S/on 11PM (RM)
- 860 KPAN Hereford, Tex. ET 11-25 0425-0522 (Kruse, Carberry, Cooper)
- KSPA Macagdoches, Tex. Hrd daily 6-6:15PM over CJBC (Kruse)
- WFOX Milwaukee, Wis. CE George A. Dodge, says unable to be on 11-25 DX
- 870 WFLO Farmville, Va. Sun S/on @ 0700 in the clear (Routzahn)
- WVPR QTH is Troop Information & Education Section, Headquarters 8th U.S. Army, Tokio, Japan (Radio News)
- 904 Nordwestdeutscher Rundfunk, Rothenbaumschauss 132/134, Hamburg 13, British Zone, Ger. S/on 11PM nitely (Radio News)
- 910 WPPB Middletown, Ohio. S/on wkdays 0600 with WRNL QRM (Cooper)
- 920 WBAA West Lafayette, Ind. FC 27th of month 0215-0230 (Carberry)
- 930 CJCA Edmonton, Alta. On after 0300 Sun AM with Far North mess. (Maley)
- KCRO Woodland, Cal. Deleted at request of owner (Broadcasting)
- WVNH Rochester, NH. S/on wkdays in Dec @ 0645 (Cooper)
- 960 WWST Wooster, Ohio. S/on 0600 wkdays with WDBJ QRM (Cooper)
- 1050 CFCP Grande Prairie, Alta. In clear 0202-0206 S/off. Plenaty of verie dope in s/off announcement. (Maley)
- WMGM New York, NY. V/signer is Louis J. Carino, Ass't Program Dir (Coop)
- 1055 XNWR or XNAR Harbin, Manchuria. S/on @ 0500 (Radio News)
- 1150 KCKY Coolidge, Ariz. In clear @ 0200 Sun s/off (Maley, Van Voorhees)
- WIMA Lima, Ohio ET AM of 11-25 (Addy)
- 1195 Radio Frankfurt, Information Control Division, Radio Branch, 10/33 Eschersheimerlandstrasse, Frankfurt-am-Main, U.S. Zone, Germany. S/on 11PM nitely, (Radio News)
- 1210 KWYO Sheridan, Wyo. FC 3rd Mon 0300-0315 (Brierley) Brierley)
- 1220 KGYN Guymon, Okla. ET 11-24 to 12-1 (Kruse, Brauner, Carberry, Maley, WCLA Baton Rouge, La. FC 2nd Mon 0400-0415 (Brierley)
- WFAX Falls Church, Va. Lamar A. Newcomb, Manager states they will test on 15th of Dec, Jan, Feb & Mar from 0300-0600 (Edge)
- 1230 KUTC Barstow, Cal. FC 3rd Mon 0315-0330 (Brierley)
- ~~WVST~~ Tell City, Ind. FC 1st Wed 0115-0130 (Maley)
- WTSV Claremont, NH. Can be hrd 11-11:11 PM S/off in NY area (Cooper)
- 1250 KGHJ Little Rock, Ark. FC 4th Thurs. 0310-0325 (Kruse)
- 1260 WQWR Asheboro, NC. S/on daily 0500 in clear in Buffalo (Edge)
- 1280 WIBB Macon, Ga. Std Reg Sked 11-14, 1 KW days (Duggan, Brdct)
- WVAM Neenah, Wis FC @ 0445 on 11-26 (Carberry)
- 1290 WHLD Niagara Falls, NY. S/on wkdays @ 0600 (Cooper)
- WHKY Hickory, NC. S/on daily @ 0528 (Edge, Carberry, Cooper)
- WKNE Keene, NH. S/on wkdays @ 0600 (Cooper)
- WNBF Binghamton, NY. S/on wkdays @ 0600 (Cooper)
- 1300 WLIZ Bridgeport, Conn. S/on wkdays at 0600 (Cooper)

- 1310 WGAT Utica, NY. Apparently a new all nighter (Cooper Van Voorhees)
- 1340 KJAM Vernal, Utah FC 2nd Mon 0345-0400 (Brierley)
- KSUB Cedar City, Utah FC 2nd Mon 0400-0415 (Brierley)
- WLBJ Bowling Green, Ky. FC 1st Wed 0300-0315 (Van Voorhees)
- WHED Washington, NC. FC 25th of month 0100-0115 (Duffy)
- 1350 KREI Farmington, Mo. Evidently still testing Ev. Fri 0215-0230 (Carberry)
- 1360 WOBS Jacksonville, Fla Still in clear 0555 wkday s/on (Carberry)
- 1380 WACB Kittanning, Pa. ET til 0600 on 12-1 (Brauner, Van Voorhees Cooper)
- WATL Atlanta, Ga. Testing on new frequency 11-26 (Carberry)
- WLXW Carlisle, Pa. Expects to start by 12-4. Watch for tests (Routzahn)
- 1390 WGES Chicago, Ill. S/off @ 0300 in the clear (Van Voorhees)
- 1400 KODI Cody, Wyo. Has FC 4 times a year. Next one is 3rd Sat in Feb. 0400-0415. Usually stays on after reg s/off time til FC is over (Brierley)
- WAEI Mayaguez, PR/. FC last Fri 0245-0300 QTH Apartado # 644, Mayaguez, Puerto Rico. Mario Acosta, Owner, V/sgn. (Cooper)
- 1410 WGRD Grand Rapids, Mich. V/ltr by CE Richard Groenevelt for last January's report (Johanns)
- 1420 ZAP Apia, Western Samoa. Partial sked is Sun, Tues, Thu, Sat from 0030-0330, Mon 0130-0230. QTH is Broadcasting Organization, Administration of Samoa, Apia, Western Samoa. (Radio News)
- WVJS Owensboro, Ky. Has late prgm to after 0200 Sun. (Van Voorhees)
- 1430 KASI Ames, Iowa. ET again on 11-27 (Carberry, Cooper) (Brierley)
- KBRC Mt. Vernon, Wash. FC 4th Thurs 0400-0415 CE O.E. Vanderstrom
- WVAM Altoona, Pa. ET 11-25 from 0150-0215 (Carberry)
- 1450 KCSM Colorado Springs, Col. Deleted by FCC (Brdet)
- KLBM La Grande, Ore. FC 2nd Mon 0315-0330 (Brierley)
- KOBE Las Cruces, NM. FC 3rd Mon 0400-0415 (Routzahn)
- KSIG Crowley, La. FC 1st Sat 0315-0330 (Brierlye)
- KSVP Artesia, NM. FC 1st Mon 0345-0400 (Brierley)
- KWRL Riverton, Wyo. FC 2nd Mon 0330-0345 (Brierley)
- KBMW Breckenridge, Minn. FC 4th Wed 0330-0400 (Brauner)
- WFTN Huntsville, Ala. Now on each Sun AM 12-0500 with Saturday Nite Platter Party (Kruso)
- 1480 WABB Mobile, Ala. S/on @ 0700 (Herz)
- 1490 KBZY Grand Rapids, Minn. FC TT with S/off @ 0430 12-2 (Brauner)
- KICO Calxico, Cal. FC 1st Mon 0515-0530 (Brierley)
- KXAR Hope, Ark. FC 4th Sat @ 0230 (Carberry)
- WIGM Medford, Wis. FC 1st Wed 0330-0400 (Maley) (4th Thurs)
- WNJM Cordole, Ga. FC TT 0400-0415 on 11-25 (Herz, Kruse, Van Voorhees)
- 1510 KOCS Ontario, Cal. Floyd Hall, CE. states hay have reg. monthly check from 0300 til approx 0330. Mr Hall made mistake in date but we believe next check will be 12-9-48, 0300-0330 (Kruso)
- 1550 KSMO San Mateo, Cal. H. Neil Black, CE will verify (Brauner)
- 1590 WOCC Silver Springs, Md. Hrd S/on @ 0400 past wk with Reg sked (Kruso)
- WVXL Peoria, Ill Now on all Sun AM with request prgm. (Kruso)
- 1600 WKIN Kittanning, Pa. ET til 0600 on 11-30 & 12-1 (Brauner, Duffy)

B O A R D N E W S

The resignation by his request of Leo Herz as a Member of the Board of Directors has been received by your Board Chairman and has been accepted. Under our Club Rules the next highest in our last election automatically becomes a Board Member to fill the vacancy thus created. This member is Alexander F Maloy who is a Member of the Board of Directors of the National Radio Club effective December 1, 1948. Signed, Ray Edge

I'm sure glad Lefty left out his Grave Digging this week. He tied me in with it last week and I spent all week in bed with the flu, hi. 'Wag'