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The December 11 issue should have been numbered #13 but was numbered #12 in error, the same as the December 4 issue. Sorry.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

Date	Calls	Power	Location	Watts	Legend	A.M. E.S.T.
Dec. 21	W*S*R*S	1490	Cleveland Heights, Ohio	250	NRC	3:30 - 4:00
24	W*P*W*A	1590	Chester, Pennsylvania	1,000	fc	5:30 - 5:45 or 31st.
27	K O T A	1380	Rapid City, South Dakota	1,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
27	W I M S	1420	Michigan City, Indiana	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
27	K W G B	730	Goodland, Kansas	1,000	Test	4:00 - 5:00
28	W S J S	600	Winston-Salem, North Carolina	1,000	NNRC	3:30 - 4:00
29	W*A*T*N	1240	Watertown, New York	250	NRC	2:00 -
Jan. 2	W L E A	1320	Hornell, New York	1,000	Test	4:00 - 5:00
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 L T R	690	Bloomsburg, Pennsylvania	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
3	W H U N	1400	Huntington, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
4	W L E U	1450	Erie, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	4:00 - 5:00
5	W A Z L	1490	Hagleton, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	2:00 - 3:00
5	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
6	W B V P	1230	Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania	250	NNRC	12:01 - 5:00
7	K C R A	1320	Sacramento, California	1,000	NRC	3:00 - 4:00
9	G J C J	1140	Calgary, Alberta	1,000	NNRC	3:00 - 4:00
10	K*R*P*L	1400	Moscow, Idaho	250	NNRC	3:00 - 5:00
10	W C T C	1450	New Brunswick, New Jersey	250	NNRC	4:30 - 5:45
11	W*S*B*A	900	York, Pennsylvania	1,000	fc	1:00 - 1:15
12	W*K*L*V	1490	Blackstone, Virginia	250	NRC	3:00 - 4:00
12	W*S*A*J	1340	Grove City, Pennsylvania	100	NRC	3:15 - 3:30
12	W S A U	1400	Wausau, Wisconsin	250	NNRC	3:30 - 4:00
14	W H O B	1490	Gardner, Massachusetts	250	NNRC	3:00 - 3:45
15	W*F*A*X	1220	Falls Church, Virginia	250	Test	3:00 - 6:00
15	W L T C	1370	Gastonia, North Carolina	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
15	W K N S	1000	Kinston, North Carolina	1,000	TEST	5:00 - 5:30
16	W V E C	1050	Hampton, Virginia	250	TEST	3:00 - 3:30
17	W K O B	860	North Adams, Massachusetts	250	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
20	W*M*S*A	1340	Massena, New York	250	NNRC	4:00 - 4:15
24	K S F T	1280	Trinidad, Colorado	1,000	NRC	3:30 - 4:00
31	W D W D	990	Dawson, Georgia	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 4:30
31	W N M P	1590	Evanston, Illinois	1,000	TEST	4:00 - 5:00 or 2/7.

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 - fc - Frequency check dedicated to both clubs, information from Newark News Radio Club.
 - FC - Frequency check dedicated to both clubs, information from National Radio Club.
 - TEST - Special equipment test program, with information received from an NRC member.
 - Test - Special equipment test program, with information received from an NNRC member.
 - * * * - Asterisks between call letters indicates regular monthly series of programs.

P E R T I N E N T P A T T E R P E R T A I N I N G P A R T I C U L A R P R O G R A M S

- W P W A Chester, Pennsylvania W P W A continues to dedicate its monthly frequency checks to our clubs, since they cannot present a DX program. Now this program may be on on Dec. 24 or Dec. 31 - we're not sure, you see, whether it is the 4th Friday, or the last Friday. NNRC lists this program for Sunday, Dec. 26, but no information on any change has been received by us. We hope you will all be able to catch W P W A on this frequency check period. Information from NNRC
- Harry J. Simington, Chief Engineer
- K O T A Rapid City, South Dakota K O T A has, ever since its inception, been a good friend to DX folk everywhere, and they are going to put on another special DX show for us. The only competition from other 1380 stations is expected to be negligible - from KHON, out in Honolulu. We do not know whether this program will be on their directional antenna or not, so we can't do any predicting on the strength of their signal for this program, arranged by the NNRC.
- A. E. Griffiths, Chief Engineer
- W I M S Michigan City, Indiana A special equipment test program is to be run by W I M S, as shown on Page 1. It is confidently expected that their 1420 channel will be clear of all others, thus enabling them to get a really fine and important check on their radiation from all over the countryside. W I M S, being a daytime station, cannot broadcast an early-morning DX program, but this test should give all of us that opportunity of helping them with this test. This information from Leo Herz.
- Robert Schilling, Chief Engineer
- K W G B Goodland, Kansas This too is to be an equipment test. K W G B, when conducting their preliminary equipment runs, had interference from the then all-night broadcaster, CKAC, with the result that many DXers, especially in the East, were not able to hear them. K W G B is Kansas' most western station, and is in the Mountain Standard Time belt. Won't you listen in, and let them know how their station sounds on this test? Information relayed to us by the NNRC.
- Walter Bigelow, Chief Engineer
- W S J S Winston-Salem, North Carolina Old-time DXers will remember W S J S when they were a 100-watt station, on 1310 kilocycles, and had a regular monthly frequency check program. A lot of water has gone over the dam since then, and now W S J S is one of the south's leading radio stations, on the choice 600 kilocycle frequency. W S J S' attractive card is in many a DX album, and to those who don't have it, here is a fine chance to get it, and to hear an interesting show. Arr: NNRC.
- Phillip Hedrick.

STANDINGS IN THE NRC DX CONTEST, BASED ON FOREIGN STATIONS

This includes all entries received by the contest manager up to and including Dec. 11.

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| 1. John Brierley - California | 23.0 points | 7. Bob Brown, Indiana | 5.2 points |
| 2. F. Van Voorhees - Pennsylvania | 20.2 | 8. Sid Steele, Illinois | 4.9 |
| 3. Randolph Hunt - California | 13.8 | 9. Pat Reilly, New York | 3.6 |
| 4. Hank Holbrook - Maryland | 6.5 | 10. Ernest Cooper, New York | 3.1 |
| 5. Earl Bake, - Ohio | 5.7 | 11. Fred Anderson, Colorado | 3.1 |
| 6. George Hotton - Wisconsin | 5.6 | | |

Now this listing will appear in the third bulletin each month. A special prize is offered for the winner of this branch of the contest, and is one phase very exciting, as it covers real DX, for the most part. In the first bulletin of each month, the full contest standings will be shown, together with the stations, both domestic and foreign, which go to make up the points. We would normally have a bulletin dated January 1, but since it is a legal holiday, we will date this bulletin ~~January 1~~ December 31, and it will be mailed out that day. It will however, be considered as the first bulletin of January, as you will receive it in January. The full contest standings then, will appear in this December 31 bulletin. Dead-lines for holiday period is advanced one day!

Musings of the MembersFred L. Van Vogt - Camp Hill, Pa.

I have left my lists of reports sent and veries received at home, so won't include them. They are boring reading anyway with the exception of an occasional verie that others haven't received. Here is the detailed log of my reception since last report. 12/7 - WMTR testing on 1250 3:15-3:30 S-9 plus; WTOC testing all A.M. on 1290; KTAT testing signed off at 3:45 S-4; WHAN with TT-FC 4:00-4:15 on 1230. 12/9 - WGVM with equipment tests 3:22-3:36 a.m. on 1260 under XEL most of the time; KFSB with what sounded like all night stuff, probably their way of putting on air equipment test, 1310, over WGAT most of the time, logged 3:39-3:52 a.m.; CBH on special poor to fair from 4:04-4:23 a.m. 12/11 WROY testing on 1460 3:49-4:00 a.m.; WLBL testing on 930, copied 4:06 to 4:20 a.m. This is an old one that I didn't have. That's all. Losing too much sleep due to approach of Christmas. 12/4 - Bulletin took a week, while the 12/11 arrived on time today. WLXW in Carlisle is on regular schedule now. I don't think that they tested in the early morning. Still nothing here from TA or TP. To Warren Routsahn, are you getting anything foreign?

Mal Oliver - Houston, Texas

Managed to ignore the alarm clock a couple of mornings this week, but finished strong this morning, collecting four reports. Only veries this week were from WRC XET KEMW WLOS WKIN & WCBD, with reports going out to KFRD WTOC CKCK WROY KSAC WDWD WMOH & WOV. My report to "WCBD, Chicago" was returned by the Post Office Department sent it to Leo, who was kind enough to address it for me. Their address is "WCBD, Christian Catholic Church, Administration Building, ZION, Illinois." And they verified immediately for me - as did XET. Still worrying with the station on 1025 kc/s., whose call appears to be TQGX, heard best about 7:00 p.m., C.S.T. Assignment of call KTAT to Frederick, Oklahoma, station brings back memories of old KTAT, Texas Air Transport station, Fort Worth, Texas. WRC was my first verie from D. C., and if I ever get Maine, Rhode Island, Vermont and Delaware, I will have all states verified. 12/8 - KFRD, 980 Kc/s., testing equipment, and took air for regular schedule, 12/11. WTOC with ET on 1290 Kc/s. at 3:30. 12/11 - HJCH, Bogota, heard on 1335 Kc/s. ~~was heard for first time~~ signing off at 3:28. Got enough of CKCK for report, although QRM was bad, first portion of their program. WROY, 1460, with ET at 4:00. WLBL, 930, concluding f/c at 4:28, and WTOC testing again. 12/13 - KSAC logged but was on earlier than scheduled. WDWD, 990, with ET at 3:50; WCLA with ET at 4:10, 1220; got last part of WMOH program and was pleased to hear Joe Becker. KFFW testing new antenna on 1400 at 4:30. WOV heard for first time at 4:45, and KABR, 1420, with f/c from 5:05 to 5:20. KLEE-TV starts test patterns 12/15 and takes air officially January 1, the second TV station in Texas. One in Fort Worth in operation for some time, and new one taking air in New Orleans this week. Season's Greetings to all. Best 73's.

Lan Kruse - Dubuque, Iowa

The special DX from WGCD on 12/8 came in good, despite several frequency checks on during the 45 minute program. The test from WKPA also logged as a new one on the same morning. On 12/9, logged WGVM (1260) Greenville, Mississippi, with ET 3:15-4:00 a.m., and at the same time, WMTR (1250) Morristown, New Jersey, had an ET. Station WISL (1480), Shamokin, Pennsylvania, heard with second Thursday frequency check 5:45-6:00 a.m. with announcements and cycle tone; and at 6:00 a.m., logged the new WINA (1150), Lima, Ohio, with their first regular program of the day, for another new one. December 10th, three stations with equipment tests were added to my log, namely WROY (1460), Carmi, Illinois, KFRD (980), Rosenberg, Texas, and WNEV (1010), Marion, Virginia. The same morning logged CKCW with a DX program. Also logged the two Canadian DXes on 12/11 from CKCK and CKX. Recent verifications, all letters, came from WLMJM WHYU KVOB WHDH CKSB KSEO KTRB WDWD. Really surprised how well WGCD (1490), Chester, South Carolina, came through on their recent DX for the club.

 Your Editor would like to take this space to extend to you, each and every one, a very Merry Christmas! Let us all try to realize, at this season of the year, that we are indeed fortunate to live in this old world, in which, after all, there is a very great amount of good, if we but put aside the things that are not. Try, then, to live and to let live - to practice tolerance not only of folks of other lands and beliefs, but also of those whose opinions may be different from ours. A real MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU ALL.

Missing of the Members

Randolph Hunt - Leucadia, Calif.

Seems to me I saw a bit of a geography lesson in a recent "DX News," and as geography and distance are tied in with DX, I trust that another mention of distance in regard to DXing, especially from my shanty, will not be classified as being 'controversial.' I have thrown an imaginary circle around the shanty with radius of 500 miles, just to see how many states or provinces lie within. The circle does not seem to embrace any entire state or province, not even California. And I might add that half the area within the circle is water, the Pacific, no less. It is over 1000 miles to Canada, only 40 to Baja California, but what's good about that? Following specials have verified, KLOU KOJM WEEK WLD5 KTNM KVNI WKXK and CKUA. Reports are out to these specials: KPQ CFRN KTFI CJOC KXXX CKOV CJIB CFQC and CKCK.

Leo Herg - Chicago, Illinois

Since my last report, sent out reports to the following, mostly on DX programs: WKIN (thanks to Cooper's card) CHLO WGGD WKPA CKCK & CKX, reports from this season out are: 16, veries now 712, veries received since my last report are: WBRB WWGF WABB WWRN (and newspaper story) WAVE WSGN & WKPA, verified in 3 days, air mail both ways - very nice card. CPC work getting along - a few are coming through, mostly in January. That is all to report from here - hope all my friends in the club have a nice Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Larry Yarnes - Watsonville, Calif.

Little to report this time. Got CKUA, 11/29 with a weak (u-6) signal. Should have been S-8 at least here. KASH, 1600, Eugene, Ore., has news cast 2:45-3:00 a.m., E.S.T, off at 3:00. KGMB heard instead of CFAR, of course. CHAT heard with only a fair signal, 11/30.- WWWB heard for a new one, 4:00 a.m., E.S.T., 12/4. "Spaniard" on 1210 at 9:40 p.m., 12/4. Probably an S. A., but don't know which. CJIR, Vernon, E.C., heard S-8-9 on 12/5, along with bad static. Very loud "Spaniard" (possibly XEX off frequency) on 725 kc/s., 12/5, at 11:20 p.m. KHBC heard S-8 on 970 at 3:15 a.m., 12/6. Have been "out" with throat infection for past several days. (Hope all is OK now, Larry - Ed.)

Al Maley - Highland Falls, New York

Remember my reporting Radio St. Pierre on 545 during recent DX? Well, they were heard again on 545 on regular schedule from 7:30 to 8:00 p.m. 12/10 with a pretty good signal, considerably louder than that of WOCM who was coming in on 1005 alongside of WINS. WATK heard on f/c this A.M. and WBOY on ET. Was trying to see if CBK was coming in when I ran into St. Pierre again. Didn't report DX, as I already have 'em verified. Wonder if they know they're off frequency? Spanish-speaker on 1320 last two mornings after 3:00, XEAI again? 12/10 - TILS (880) and Radio Monumental (650) on all night. 12/11 - LR-2 (910) all night. 12/13 - veries from KWFM CKSB CFJC and CFGP. CFGP says my report is by far their furthest since installing new transmitter. Reference ideas for a new DX contest - how about one wherein the U. S. is divided into, say, 75 or 100 zones, the contest to run until someone verifies all zones. Wherein lies a real challenge, hi!

Ted Weiser - Schuylkill Haven, Penna.

~~#####~~ New veries in from WVET KPHC KVLH WEEK WAWZ WOBS WIBK and KMO, all letters. KLZ WINE WGEF cards, the latter two renewals. Very nice card from KLZ. Sent a few reports out again last week - KGYN WLXW WMTC KFEB KUJ KBUR WRIA KMHL KSVP WMTR WFTR WCXK WIND WNEB KFDX KDMO CHLO KSWS KRIC WQUA and WSKY. Some were renewals like WSKY KRIC KSWS KSVP. Another try for KBUR WMTC & KSVP. Logged 12/6 - KUJ on regular schedule, WSKY on f/c, WFTR on brief test, off 3:13 a.m., KSVP on f/c, WIRA on f/c, WIND on test. 12/7 - WCXK on ET, KMO on f/c. WMTR on ET, CKCV over WTSU on test, 3:40 to 3:59 a.m. - holding report over till their DX program. 12/8 - KFRD on ET bucking CKVL, KFTX on f/c, WGGD on DX, KMHL on f/c, 12/9 - WMTR on ET again, WGVM with ET, CBH very good on their DX program, a bit of static this A.M. but receiving conditions very good. 12/10- WQUA on f/c, KFRD on ET, this time over and clear of CKVL, WROY on ET, KRIC on f/c, CKOC on their DX, WOMT on their f/c through WBIR-WWVB, CKCW on their DX very good here, S-9, KSWS on f/c through WITH-WCPO. 12/11 - KTFS on f/c through WHBQ, WLBL with a test, CHML logged on regular schedule today, just getting around to them for a report, ditto on WGBI. Like to wish all you fellows a "Merry Christmas" and a "Happy New Year."

IMPORTANT - DEAD-LINE IN BROOKLYN FOR REPORTS FOR THE NEXT TWO ISSUES WILL BE TUESDAYS, DECEMBER 21 and 29, on account of the holidays. DEADLINE AT MORNING OFFICE MEMBERS

Musings of the Members
Kermit Geary - Walnutport, Penna.

During the past week I have received veries from CMHO KASI KPRL WBIS WFUR WLNA WNGM WWPB, all letters except KASI, and a nice letter from WJBW for a duplicate. CMHO advised that they will again be testing on 12/17 and 12/18 from 1:00 to 5:00 a.m., and expect to have a supply of QSL cards on hand by them. Reports were sent out as follows: 12/8 - WGCD on DX program from 3:30 to 4:15 a.m. 12/10 - WRCY, Carmi, Ill., (1460 Kc/s.) on ET from 2:55 to 3:20 a.m.; XEAI with late program from 3:05 to 3:30 a.m., and WTWS on regular schedule from 5:15 to 6:00 p.m. 12/11 - CKCK on DX program from 3:00 to 4:00 a.m. 12/12 - Three new Equipment testers: WHAP, Hopewell, Va., (1340 Kc/s.) from 2:00 to 2:12 a.m.; WMEV, Marion, Va., (1010 Kc/s.) from 2:44 to 3:07 a.m., and WGVM, Greenville, Miss., (1260 Kc/s.) from 3:16 to 3:48 a.m. 12/13 - KSAC on DX program from 4:20 to 4:40 a.m., and WREL on regular schedule from 6:00 to 6:10 a.m. Don't forget the happy hunting south of the border on Christmas morning, and a Merry Christmas to all!

Grant Batson - Westfield, N.Y.

DX has improved some the past week, but could be a lot better. 15 reports sent out to: 12/7, WMTR on 1250 Kc/s. testing 3:07-3:32 for a new one. CFQC on 800 3:35-4:07 sign-off through a lot of QRM. 12/8 - WSAJ on 1340 was Q-4 R-9 - will wonders repeat again? And WGCD on 1490, DX 3:33-4:00. WKPA like a local 4:01-4:45 a.m. 12/10 - CKOC on DX, a natural local. CKCW on 1220 met some static, 4:00-5:00. 12/11 - CKCK on 620 Kc/s. 3:00-3:32, well heard, but they can keep their 100 weather right up there! CKX on 1150 had a real tussle with XEJP 3:32-4:32, mostly under, I regret, but a fair report. CJAD on 12/12 met an unusual dose of static or resistance, 5:00-6:09. 12/13 - New ones here, WGVM on 1260 testing 3:00-3:27, asking for reports. WRCY, Carmi, Illinois, 1460, 3:32-3:55 asking for reports. WMOH did come through with "our Joe" at the mike, but had to charge through that carrier. KSAC on 580 was a good Q-4 R-9. CKCV crawled through carrier on 1280 and at 4:42 WOV signed on, cutting off Quebec. Veries numbered 7. WVOM, card, WKPA a swell card. WIRB letter verie by David B. Jordan, C.E., WGCD OKSB CKOC and WREX. WREX verie signed is R. H. Albers, Chief engineer. WLOK, WKLV just wouldn't pull in here, nor was CBH heard. KRPL medded over by WHBQ, missed this one again. 73's.

Joe Brauner - Williamsville, New York

Thought I did pretty well this past week, but see from the reports that plenty was missed here. New ones heard were as follows: 12/7 - WMTR with ET most of morning, 12/8 - WGCD on DX. Came in strong here, but bothered by terrific howl most of time, originating on a carrier which was just as strong as WWSW's and the "TT" ended exactly as WWSW resumed its regular program, a weaker one signed off in the background. 12/9, WGVM on ET, and WIMA on regular schedule, although less than 100 miles from CKOC here, WIMA was way out in front of him up to 7:00 a.m. 12/11, WRCY, Carmi, Illinois, ET on 1460. 12/12, WMEV on 1010, and WRFC, 960, both with ET's. WMEV opened that afternoon, for regular programs. 12/13 added WHTC and KMUS on f/c's and CKOW on regular late program. Letters came from WGCD WBIS WIRC & KPRL KPAN WLEA KAUS WISC KOAT, and a new type of CBC card from CBW. Note Ray heard CFBC and CJIB on DX - couldn't coax a peep out of either one out here. Lost out on CFBC for second time now. WSAJ, as usual, came in a little through the 1340 mess. CKX KSAC and WMOH were very good here, but no luck with KRPL. Also couldn't get a thing on CKUA and the only thing heard on CFAR's channel during their DX was KGMB coming in without a trace of interference. I like the idea of stations giving information about their cities, as the Canadians have, and always suggested this idea when I did CPC work years ago, sometimes it aids in identifying a tough one. CHHO and CHNO both used this is nice proportions. Like any good thing, it can be over-done of course, didn't hear CFQC here. I'd rather listen to that than to the average recorded "popular program." Herb Campbell, your Christmas fund-raiser on 1220 kilocycles was CJRL, Kenora. Lots of "freak" DX for those with time to fish for it - KREI over all else on 1350 kilocycles one recent afternoon at 5:00 o'clock.

H E A R D T H I S L A S T W E E K

980 WFB Rosenberg, Texas	1260 ██████████ Greenville, Mississippi
1010 ██████████ Marion, Virginia	1340 ██████████ Hopewell, Virginia
1025 T G Q X ?-? (location unknown)	1460 ██████████ Carmi, Illinois

We understand that WHVE, 1280, Hanover, Pennsylvania, on 1280, will soon be testing, so keep at the prowl, and look for them, and others.

Also watch for *
WFEC, Miami, on *
1220 any day! *
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Musings of the Members
Carroll Seth - Erie, Penna.

"Outside his den are troubles sore -----
The market's down - the Russians roar;
As workers strike and prices zoom
Our hero worries in his room!
The Dodgers lose - the crops all fail -
His brother-in-law is out on bail.
With all these troubles piling on,
Our hero looks quite sad and wan
No wonder! Up there in the attic
He's having trouble with the static!

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* Late tip says that
* KYOU's DX is to be
* only ½ hour - 4:00
* to 4:30, on 12/20.
* (NNRC)
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My silence for so long does not mean I've deserted DX. A growing inability to get up has forced me to re-arrange hours of listening. Anyhow, state-side DX leaves me cold. How can you guys get excited over all these hundreds of stations cropping up all the time? Only DX here this season - HI3T and HJCU. HI3T verified a report which was the result of much toil with the crystal on the Super-Pro. A few nights later, the family had a mystery program on, so I sneaked into the front room and logged HI3T on a 12-year-old G.E. with absolutely no antenna or ground, Q-5, S-9, plus, plus! What kind of man could desert a hobby capable of such behavior! Reminds me of the time I mistook ZNR for WLW. Am spending most time tuned to twenty meter bands. Many good catches logged - but QSL situation is not so hot - about 50% must use my International Reply Coupons to buy new equipment. CR9AG in Macao was country #100 - verified last week and said they have all kinds of American canned beer. An Ethiopian ham said he couldn't vouch for the quality of local beverages, as he was a Seventh Day Adventist missionary. There we go again! Two of my customers are Grove City ~~grads~~ grads. Freddie V.V. may remember John Walter and Colwell. A local poet, athlete, and good fellow named Eddie "Buck" Stanton wants to ask Pat Reilly if he remembers the old Allen gang. This afternoon, 12/13 - some woman called on the phone from the Hooper Survey to inquire what I was listening to. I wasn't. Enjoy the bulletin very much but there just isn't enough hair-pulling. Can't somebody raise a stink? OK, maybe I did exaggerate on HI3T's strength - but not much! 12/13 - WROY, Carmi, Ill., on with equipment test at 2:15 a.m. Mentioned reporters, including Bill Stone. Still on at 2:45 with test when I retired. (Thanks for report, Carroll, and poem, and glad you're still in there! -Ed.)

Eldon Addy - Marcus, Iowa

This has been a swell week for DXing with these new ones logged: Monday, KLER, 970, now on regular schedule. Dec. 7 - KTAT, 1570 Kc/s., Frederick, Okla., on first ET, WMEX, 1510 Kc/s., Boston, Mass. on short test. Dec. 8 - WBCW, 1230 Kc/s., on f/c, WNNC, 1230 Kc/s., Newton, N.C., also on f/c. Then WGGD swell DX came rolling through with a fine signal and only slight QRM here in north-west Iowa. Finally KFRD, 980 Kc/s., Rosenberg, Texas, first test rounded up the morning's DX with a fine report. Dec. 9 - WGVM, 1260, Greenville, Mass., on ET. Dec. 10 - WROY, 1460 Kc/s., Carmi, Ill., on ET, CKCW, 1220, Moncton, N. B. Came in fine on DX and finally WMLO, 1290 Kc/s., Milwaukee, Wis., on his weekly test from 6:00 to 6:15 a.m., E.S.T. Dec. 12 - WMEV, 1010 Kc/s., Marion, Va., on ET. CJAD on a novel DX logged in clear here. Finally WJJJ, 1170 Kc/s., Montgomery, Ala., on his sign-on at 7:00 a.m., E.S.T. easily on top of WWVA. Veries in from XGEO and WHDH. KSUM testing days now and giving announcements. Says "Watch for opening date." KAYL, 990 Kc/s., Storm Lake, Iowa, schedule for December is 8:45 to 6:45, E. S. T. Best of DX!

Lefty Cooper - Brooklyn, New York

Veries in this week from: Cards, KBIG (nice) WKIN (odd mimeograph job) and letters from KIRX (two - one with calls, one without) WLIN (follow-up) WCPA (very friendly) WTSV bringing total to 1660. DX this week: 12/11 - WMTR, new local, testing to 2:06 s/off; WCAE gave him back until 1:32 s/off; WROY, ET; report to XEN, encouraged by Fred V.V.'s luck there. Heard WLEL on ET to 4:28, and as announcer signed off giving his name, engineer at transmitter cut in with, "A fine announcer he is! He didn't even give me a plug." And WLEL was off the air! 12/12, daytime - WBNX slightly below WDEL at 2:45 p.m., and WLYN, up and down with WDEC-WFFA-WMCK 4:05-4:15 s/off. S/on is 7:15 a.m. weekdays. 12/13 - WGVM knocking out XEL, ET. 12/15 - WFAX had to fight off two carriers, one that of big WGAR, but they rode through swell. A very merry Christmas, everybody!

- 550 KMVI, Vailuku, TH. Correct sked from verie is 1100-0400 wkdays & Noon-0400 Sundays (Reilley)
- 580 WILL Urbana, Ill. Testing 12-12 with S/off @ 0127 (Stasen)
- 750 WPDJ Clarksburg, W VA. FC TT 3rd Wed 0200-0215 CE R D Hough (Johanns)
- 790 XEDF PO Box 87, Laredo, Tex. V/S Felipe Maldonado Paez. US postage OK
- 860 WNEL San Juan, PR. S/on 0545, FC 1st Thurs 0445-0500 (Reilley, above to)
- 877 BBC London Regional coming in strongest about 0300 (Base)
- 880 TILS "Radio Para Ti" San Jose, CR. is Spanish spkr in AM (Maley)
- 910 LR2 Buenos Aires, Arg. On all AM of Saturday 12-11 (Maley)
- 960 WEAV Plattsburg, NY. ET new Xmitter and checking radiation pattern of day and nighttime antennas on 12-17. (WMFF, 1340?) (Wagner)
- 980 KFRD Rosenberg, Tex. ET 0345-0415 on 12-10 (Kruse) (Wheeler)
- 990 XET Apartado 203, Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, Mexico. Verifies promptly
- 1010 WHIN Gallatin, Tenn. FC 1st Mon 0410-0420. (Reilley)
- WMEV Marion, Va. ET 12-10 & 12-12 (Kruse, Geary)
- 1050 BBC N. Ireland Regional coming in well about 0300 (Base)
- 1120 WJBO Baton Rouge, La. FC 0300-0315 on 12-13-48 (Herz)
- 1170 KCBQ San Diego, Cal. New call for KSDJ after 1-1-49 (Hunt)
- WJJJ Montgomery, Ala. on top of WWVA Sunday 0700-0730 (Kruse)
- 1190 ???? Spanish station with metronome in background hrd 0620 12-12 in parallel with one on 1320. Anybody identify yet? (Stasen)
- 1210 WADE Wadesboro, NC Dec 6th test cancelled by FCC (Lendzioszek)
- 1230 KPRL Paso Robles, Cal. FC 3rd Mon 0315-0330 CE Geo. E. Palmer (Weiser)
- WIRB Enterprise, Ala. Wkly FC Tues @ 0315. Will cease when they get their monitor adjusted soon Sked 0700-11PM CE David Jordan
- 1240 KAVE Carlsbad, NM. FC 3rd Tues 0230-0245 (Mackey) (Johanns)
- KPMO Plat River, Mo. FC 3rd Tues @ 0300 (Mackey)
- KICD Spencer, Iowa FC 3rd Tues 0200-0215 (Mackey)
- KUBC Montrose, Colo. ET on 12-3 & 12-4 (Mackey)
- KWAT Watertown, SD. FC 1st Fri @ 0300-0315 (Mackey)
- WENG Whitesville, NC FC 1st Fri @ 0225 (Mackey)
- WULA Eufaula, Ala. FC 1st Thurs 0400-0410 CE Hugh A Chastain (Reilley)
- 1260 CFFM Edmonton, Alta. On Sunday AM til 0400 (Kruse)
- WGVM Greenville, Miss. ET 12-9 & 12-12 (Kruse, Stasen)
- 1303 ???? Who is German spkr, hrd strongest about 0130 (Maley)
- 1310 KWBR Oakland, Cal. Is a 24 hour station (Mackey)
- WGAT Utica, NY. Allnite Mon thru SAT. prob off Mon AM (Campbell)
- 1320 WLEA Hornell, NY. Sked daily 0630, Sun 0730 to 5PM CE M J Hillman
- 1340 WHAP Hopewell, Va. ET 0200-0212 on 12-12 (Geary) (Johanns)
- 1390 WGES Chicago, Ill. Sked is 0700 til 0300 (Mackey)
- 1440 KEIO Pocatello, Ida. ET with transcribed pgm. 0315-0445 on 12-15 (Geary) Evidently 3rd Wed as also on 11-17 (Wag)
- 1450 ???? FC TT hrd Nov 19 0300-0315 Gave call twice & sounded like WMAI, tested with Birmingham Ala. Any help (Mackey)
- WREL Lexington, Va. S/on wkdays at 0600 (Geary)
- 1460 WROY Carmi, Ill ET 12-10 & 12-13 (Geary, Herz, Kruse)
- 1480 KGCX Sidney, Mont. FC @ 0320 on 12-11 (Stasen)
- WISL Shamokin, Pa. FC TT 2nd Thurs 0545-0600 (Kruse)
- 1490 WBEX Chillicothe, Ohio FC 1st Sun 0300-0515 (Kruse)
- WLCX La Crosse, Wis. FC 1st & 3rd Fri 0330-0400 CR A I Rauscher answers all reports (Weiser & Mackey)
- California and Nevada return to Pacific Standard Time 1-1-49 (Hunt)

The airmail report from Ken Mackey, New Zealand with tips listed above shows that he is getting some real DX 'Down Under'. Thanks Ken.

- 1230 KPFO Spokane, Wash. Will DX 0300-0500 on January 3, 1949 (Mustoe)
- KXLO Lewistown, Mont. Will DX 0300-0430 on Jan 17, 1949 (Mustoe)
- KPFO rpt to John A Maxson, Prgm Dir. KXLO to Wm. R. Parker, CE.

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From the bottom of my heart, I extend to all members of the National Radio Club, the sincerest best wishes for a Very Merry Christmas and a Prosperous Happy New Year and may God Bless all of you. Joseph Becker Sr
President N R C

To my fellow members and their families, may this Holiday Season be Merry, Full of Good Health and Good Cheer--and may every Joy be yours through out the coming year. Thomas Carberry Jr
V.P. and Board Member N R C

A Very Merry Christmas and a Happy and Peaceful New Year to each and every one of you and your families with an abundance of God's Blessings. Ray B. Edge Board Chairman NRC

I want to take this opportunity to wish every member of the National Radio Club a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year and hope that you will continue to support the Club as you have this past year. Eldon Addy
CPC Chairman & Board Member

Wishing each and every member and family the best of everything at Christmas and in the New Year, good DX to all. "Pat" Reilley
Board Member NRC

To the Officers and Members of the National Radio Club and their families, I sincerely wish a Very Blessed Christmas, a Merry one too, and may the coming New Year bring peace, prosperity and happiness, as well as the best of DX to all. Leonard Kruse Board Member NRC

Wishing you all a Merry Merry Christmas and the best of everything for the New Year. Ralph M. Johanns 64 East Huron St Buffalo 3 N Y
Board Member NRC

The comments, praise and cooperation I've received from the members since taking over last June has made all the work worthwhile and I want to wish each and everyone of you a Most Merry Christmas and the Best of New Years. Harold Wagner Executive Secretary-Treasurer NRC

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The above Club Officers bought the space used for their Christmas message

To All Members; Your Board Chairman is still busy with repainting the inside of his home. That's the excuse I have to offer for not getting the revised Rules to Hal for mimeographing and distributed to you members. However will get to it immediately after the New Year. Pop Edge.

We quote a card from Art Foerster. "I will print 2 more issues of the log (at my own expense) in order to keep faith with the subscribers. These will go to all those whose subscriptions were active as of March 1, 1948. There will be no extra charge for these. I owe at least that much to those who supported me in my vain effort to keep the log alive". We certainly think Art is leaning over backwards to keep faith in this matter but I'm sure you will all be glad to see his log again.

For the first time the stencils were late and did not arrive until Sat. AM. We hope to get the next two issues in the mails before the holidays but by the looks of the Postal Service now we'll have a fight to do it.