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BACK AGAIN

"I am a former member of the N.R.C. and have enjoyed many happy moments from NRC DX Specials. I'm sure I can benefit my collection by joining again."

- Frank S. Johnson - Box 12 - Candia, N.H.

CONGRATULATIONS

To Doris and Joe Pelletier on the arrival of Miss Patti Pelletier, 6½ pounds, on Saturday, October 13, 1951! Patti is their first child, and our heartiest congratulations and best wishes to the happy parents!

DX CALENDAR

Date	Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. E.S.T.	Legend
Nov. 1	W*A*N*T	990	Richmond, Virginia	1,000	4:00 - 5:00 a.m.	T*E*S*T
1	K*O*L*S	1570	Pryor, Oklahoma	250	2:00 - 4:00	T*E*S*T
3	C K C L	1400	Truro, Nova Scotia	250	3:00 - 3:30	N N R C
4	C K L B	1240	Oshawa, Ontario	250	3:00 - 3:30	N N R C
5	K*P*S*T	1340	Preston, Idaho	250	3:00 - 3:30	N*R*C
6	C J D C	1350	Dawson Creek, British Col.	1,000	6:00 - 6:30	N N R C
13	K*G*A*L	930	Lebanon, Oregon	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	T*E*S*T
21	W*C*D*T	1340	Winchester, Tenn.	250	3:30 - 4:00	N*R*C
26	W*A*T*G	1340	Ashland, Ohio	250	4:00 - 5:00	N*R*C
Dec. 9	W*A*C*B	1380	Kittanning, Pennsylvania	500	4:00 - 6:00	N*R*C

*Asterisks indicate programs for DX Special Contest

W A N T - This is a special TEST from one of the newer stations. Most of you need WANT in your logs, and while this is not the ideal time to try for them, many of us should be able to hear them and this add this daytime station. The address is 513 East Main Street, Richmond, Va. This station has been on the air between five and six months. We thank General Manager Glen A. Harmon, and Chief Engineer Silas Bell, who will be hoping for your reports on this special test. Arranged by WANT with info from Sid Rosenbaum.

K O L S - "We'll schedule a test program from 1 a.m. to 3 a.m. C.S.T. (2-4 EST) on Thursday, Nov. 1, 1951. We'll turn on our flappedoodle and see who can get us. We are now putting out a little more penetrating signal so ought to get a lot of reports, if we can muzzle XERF," writes L. L. Gaffaney, Manager of KOLS, in part. XERF has been asked to stand by for ½ hour during this time but no information on this. KOLS should be heard, however, by most of our members through XERF, we feel certain. Information from Sid Rosenbaum.

K P S T - "I will be glad to run a DX program from KPST. I am very interested in finding out how far we can reach & the quality of our signal at these points. I will go on the air from 1:00-1:30 a.m. MST (3:00-3:30 a.m. EST) on Monday Nov. 5. Here's hoping you will be able to receive us & I'm looking forward to hearing from members of the NRC. Thanks for selecting KPST." This letter is from D. A. Nash, Jr., Chief Engineer. This is expected to be on a clear channel for the first 15 minutes. Arranged by Don Kaskey - his first!

ONLY SEVEN HAVE ENTERED OUR DX CONTEST

"I thought a new kind of Comestic Contest might be of interest to the boys so suggested something different. I may have been wrong on the matter, however, for as yet only 7 entries have been received. That's enough for a contest but I would like for more of you to enter. Only 2 weeks left to get your entries in to me. Come on gang - let me hear from you soon." (signed) Bob Gersuch, 2509 "D" Avenue E., Cedar Rapids Ia
THIS IS A CONTEST FOR REAL DYERS - AREN'T THERE MORE THAN 7 OF US? SEND THAT 25¢ IN RIGHT WAY TO GET IN ON THE FUN AND TO PROVE YOUR DXING ABILITY! EVERYBODY - COME ON

VERIE SIGNERS

560	W I c N D	Kenneth C. Shirk, C. E.	1290	W T R F	George T. Cowen, Ass't CE.
610	K L E E	Harold F. Weinzal, C.E.	1340	W C D T	James Frank Spencer, C. E.
	E D A E	R. A. Dettman, C. E.		W K R M	R. M. McKay, Jr., Pres.
620	W S U N	George D. Robinson, Mgr.	1360	K D L M	S. D. Rasmussen, C. E.
690	K S V C	William Warner		K M P O D	Peter K. Onnigan, C. E.
730	W P A L	Carlton J. Modlin, C. E.	1370	W P A Z	R. Mellon, C. E.
740	W M c B L	Ray Cummins, C. E.		W D X E	Rupert Horn, C. E.
	W G S M	Perley W. Tribou		K A S T	Bruce Whitwell, C. E.
750	W P D X	R. D. Hough, C. E.	1380	K H O N	Ira G. Mercer, C. E.
790	K O S Y	Charles Mathis, Jr., C.E.	1430	W O K E	Ed Craig, Program Director
850	W X K W	George Wetmore, Dir. of Op.	1450	W M c V G	O. Hattaway, C. E.
930	K G A L	Ed C. McElroy, C. E.		W P A R	Vilah G. Brooks, C. E.
990	W A N T	Silas Bell, C. E. & Glen A. Harmon, G. M.	1470	X E S M	Jesus San Martin
1150	W F P M	Charles H. Parish, C. E.	1480	W H O M	George Steiger, C. E.
1230	K E X O	H. Abbott Tessman, G. M.	1490	W L O X	Joseph J. Gore, Jr., Eng.
1250	W R A Y	Bryan Davidson, G. M.		K T K T	M. R. Boyce, C. E.
1260	W E K Z	Rex N. Eyler, C. E.		W A K E	Horace Morris, C. E.
1270	K I O X	Charles F. Cunningham, C.E.			LET US HAVE YOUR VERIE-SIGNERS AS YOU RE- CEIVE THE VERIES! WE SUGGEST LISTING THEM SEPERATE FROM YOUR "MUSINGS" REPORTS.
1290	W D E M	George W. Arabak, C. E.			

Musings of the MembersDon Kaskey - Room 304 - YMCA - 1703 Harney Street - Omaha, Nebraska

Another big week here in Omaha, only 2 new ones heard, and Len is calling 4 new ones slow. I must be going backwards, then. WPAK-1480, Memphis, Tenn. heard on 19th and 20th topping KANS. They signed off at 3:05 a.m. the 19th and about the same time on the 20th. KWEN-1320, Fort Smith, Ark. briefly heard at 7:30 p.m. on Oct. 19. Not enough for report though. I went all last week without a verie so when three came in today I nearly passed out. Received letters from KXXX-790, Colby, Kansas for contest station, very nice letterhead now. WDXE-1370, Lawrenceburg, Tenn. "Dixie Network" affiliated with WDXI WENK & WDMA. Letterhead is similar to WENK's but yellow instead of WENK's green. A small letter from WEBQ-1540, Augusta, Ga. for a nice verification. This makes 1502 heard, 1071 veries. DX on 10/22 was nil. Thunderstorms outside. Static even made KFAB hard to hear. Say fellows, how about trying for KPST and KGAL specials on Nov. 5 & 13 respectively. Both should be on clear channel if Lefty can get WPAT to stand by. If there are any fancy letterhead collectors in the crowd you will surely want KGAL's. It surely is a dandy. Hoping to have more to report on, next issue.

Joe Brauner - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville 21, N.Y.

Here's what we have for this week. Ain't much. Only new ones have been these: WJOM, 1340 on regular f/c badly QRM'd by f/c from WCBI, 10/15; WJET, who gets in here fairly well but with terrific CFOR QRM. October s/off is 5:45. Then this morning, 10/21 WLYC faintly through WJGM at 7:30, until CHUM got going at 7:45. I could hear him faintly through CHUM's open carrier for a time, from 7:38 onward. Then tuned to 1230 and am sure I heard WIRO, Ironton, O., on regular program at 7:50. Didn't know he was on already. I don't seem to have much luck with early AM sessions lately, not many testers and those not new here. WPAZ has been testing a lot this week, also WKTG on 710 and KRMG on 740, and the usual mess of unidentified ones. WJHO, 1400, had a f/c on 10/21 at 4:00 a.m. and came through the mess on that channel quite well here. WTJH on 1260 did likewise through Cleveland around 5 o'clock. Only veries in are letters (nbs) from WTRW and WPAZ. I surely want to say thanks again to Dick and Joe. They seem to have shown the game a real fine party and we are looking forward to that WACB DX session to hear more of it. It's swell they were able to take over so completely after we fell down on the job here. And while on that subject, thanks from us both here to Pete Jacobson for his nice letter, which we will answer as soon as time allows. 73.

WHAT THE CALL LETTERS MEAN, by GENE FRANCIS

K P A B	Pan-American Broadcasters	K O P R	Copper mining area
W G O V	Ex-Governor Earl D. Rivers	W M S L	Muscle Shoals Dam
KEYS	(named for the 'Keys' (Islands) in area	KVOR	The Voice of the Rockies
W C B I	Columbus; Birney Ines	W C R B	Charles River Broadcasters
W T O B	TOBaccà Country	W I N N	Colonel Matt WINN

PLEASE EVERYONE, DON'T FORGET TO DOUBLE-SPACE YOUR REPORTS - IT IS VERY APPRECIATED!

Musings of the Members

PFC Charles J. Hefner - AF-13359460 - Student Airmen Box S-261, Randolph AFB
 Received on 10/1, KCTX, Childress, Tex., 1510 kc/s. 2:00-2:15 a.m., KAST Astoria, Ore., 1370 kc/s., 1000 watts, regular; KHON, Honolulu, Hawaii, 1380 kc/s. 5000 watts on regular for my first Hawaiian; WLOX, Biloxi, Miss., 1490 kc/s., 250 watts. They were local while I was at Keesler AFB. Also have been in their studios. 10/7 - Afternoon the following located on the dial as locals: KIME, Kingsville 1330; KGNB New Braunfels, 1420; KCONY, San Marcos 1470; KNRU Corpus Christi, 1030; and of course there were the San Antonio stations too. 10/10 - KFOJ, Long Beach Cal., 1280 kc/s., 1000 watts at 2:30 regular; KTIM, San Rafael, Cal. 1510 kc/s., 1000 watts at 3:40, said "DXing for New Zealand." 10/15 - KWPM, West Plains, Mo., 1450 kc/s. completing f/c at 1:55; KANS, Wichita, Kans., 1480 kc/s. at 2:15 on regular; KRAM, Las Vegas, Nev., 920 kc/s. on regular to 3:00, a WPIN on 680 kc/s. conducting tests with classical music at 3:16 a.m. through KNBC and another TTer. Can anyone identify this one? (WPIN is ex-WCLE, Clearwater, Fla. -Ed.) A Mexican on 790 kc/s. testing with Kansas City at 3:30, identifying in broken English. Thought he said XEDS, as I do not have any logs of anything south of the border with me here at Randolph, I cannot identify. (XEDF, Nuevo Laredo, Tams., reg. f/c 3rd Tues 3:30-3:45 -Ed.) 10/19 - Strong atmospheric noise and electrical interference thought to be local GCA. DX is small with me because I can't do without sleep. Have to get up at all times of the night to fly anyway. Here's wishing you all the best of DX. The following verifications have been received for the season - KSVK KIOX KAST WLOX KHON (Aloha Broadcasting Co., P.O. Box 1380, Honolulu, T.H.) KEXO.

Charlie Conley - 358 Market Street - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

The Scott is still out of business, mainly due to my lack of ambition to take the tubes from the set and test them. However, last Monday night (10/17) I hooked the five-tube Radiola onto the whip and did I DX! It's really a game with that rig, as the only way you can tell what frequency you're on is to wait for an identification. Logged what I thought was WWRL on 1600, but the QRM was so bad I couldn't get a signature. However, I sent 'em a report along with WTOP, for an addition to the log; WTRW, 500 watts, 1590 kc/s., Two Rivers, Wis. on a test, and our DX friend of last winter who still hasn't verified for the report and a follow-up, WKBI, St. Marys, Pa. on a f/c. Came through real well in 1400's usual hash. Also heard KICD's f/c very well on 1240. However, I have him from several years back so didn't report. AND just to see if it were possible, I fished around where I thought 1070 should be on the set and latched onto YSEB again, coming in better than I caught him on the Scott! I sent him a report last week. All that activity wore me out so I haven't tried anything since! Perhaps this weekend I'll work up enough steam to see what gives. Took advantage of the offer Elbert Tewell had in a recent issue and sent him a copy of my report of April 1950 to KFGQ, which he verified, and today I received a verie from Ed Craig, Program Director at WOME, Oak Ridge, Tenn., 1430 kc/s., on my report of 9/24 for their last equipment test. Letter was addressed to me with NATIONAL RADIO CLUB EMBER, like that, and wound up with "Thank you very much for the QSL. 73s to all of you." Sounds like a DXing friend! - Have one more Iowan to follow up again. In March of 1950 I logged a f/c from KWLC-KDEC, sending a report to the CE at KWLC. This year I sent a follow up to Arnold J. Zaruba, CE at KDEC. Still no soap. However, Elbert tells me he heard them the same morning I did and Zaruba verified, so I'll have to make one more attempt, to give me 23 for 23 Iowans reported to. Can't argue with you on your WRYO log. I'd marked the date of his f/c on my calendar, then slept through it. Let me know what kind of a verie you fet from KEMO. Mine was one of the few I have with a rubber-stamped verie on my report. Looks to me Lefty as though you better move out'n Brooklyn. Dodgers lose - steal your money-Missouri Valley flood in your kitchen. Next thing you know, some one will cut down the Tree - then where will you be? Another five-tube report next week!

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCCNEW STATIONS

1290 Sanford, North Carolina	1,000 D-1	1570 Siler City, North Carolina	1,000 D1
1470 Flint, Michigan	1,000 U-3	Other late changes appear at foot P. 6	

LET'S HAVE THOSE DX REPORTS, GANG - ESPECIALLY YOU NEWER MEMBERS. WE WANT TO KNOW HOW YOU'RE DOING, AND WHAT YOU'RE HEARING. PLEASE (AND THIS MEANS EVERYONE) DON'T FORGET TO DOUBLE-SPACE YOUR REPORTS TO MAKE IT EASIER FOR YOUR EDITOR. THANK YOU.

Musings of the MembersHank Ward - 404 North 14th, Ponca City, Oklahoma

Recent storms have curtailed DX activity in this den but the nights are getting chillier every night and the re-appearance of the "DX Calendar" all serve notice that DX is just around the corner. Recent heard and reported calls here: WTNE, Birmingham, and WTRW, Two Rivers, Wis. ETing 10/16 on 1590 kc/s. WTRW was not heard following ayem though. Veries in from VMVG WLOX KLEE & WLCK. Data quote from KLEE: "For the past several weeks we have been operating a regular 24-hour broadcast schedule and have received many cards and letters from various parts of the United States. Reception from your particular direction is remarkable due to the fact that we have a four-tower directional array with a very low intensity null in the direction of Kansas City, which is just slightly out of direct line with Ponca City. However skywave reception is a variable that is sometimes unpredictable, that is, assuming that you received us on a freak bounce, or short skip." They were sure booming in here on 10/7 but when above received, tried them next ayem and found signal virtually non-existent so amen for freak skips. Our new member here in Ponca, Joe Knack, is a veritable ball of fire. He had an impressive heard log from several years past but did not know about veries or that there was a gang of us characters banded together in the hobby, but he chanced to overhear me explain to one of the kids at Touraide that I was bushed from an ayem at the di&ls and we got together. I explained the verie business and the value of the NRC to a DXer and Joe has pitched in with a vengeance. Good guy to have as one of us. He should have a good verified log by the end of the season at present rate. I kid him about not getting the local pinned down yet. To Hal: Maps en route for our Down-Under DX friends. To Joe Pelletier: Those letters are real lulus, eh? I'm like Pop though, why make work out of DX? It's a hobby, not a job, but to you technical-minded fellows I imagine you'll find a lot of interest in Teat's theories. I'll be interested in seeing what develops out of it though. Indications continued to lean towards a banner DX year and enthusiasm among the membership also seems to be at a fever pitch from the comments in "DX News." Good. I hope it continues to grow. The NRC will grow strong with it. S'long and 73s.

Bernie Duffy - 94 Lander Avenue - Staten Island 14, N. Y.

By adding CKLD KTRI KWFC KDKD WRYO WKIN (1320) and HJKM 738 kc/s. my heard log now numbers 1982. It's thanks to Lefty's phoned tip that I got the latter Bogota, Colombia station, 10/8 at 7:30 p.m. The limited DXing I've recently done is as follows: 10/4 - WBSC, 1550, ETing at 2:20, as loud as adjacent local WQXR who was then also testing. CKLD, 1230, had full control of its graveyard channel at 2:40-3:00 and later. It was really stronger than its major-powered competitor CBJ who was then testing too. 10/5, WRYO heard behind XEG at 5:15-5:30 as they conducted their monthly first Friday test with RCA*Riverhead. 10/8 - HJKM heard with man speaking in Spanish at 7:30 p.m., near CBL on the dial. 10/11 - WSUN, 620, testing at 3:17. 10/15 - WKIN 1320 Kingsport, Tenn., ETing with a poor, intermittent signal at 2:00-2:15 when they s/off. KTYL, 1310, Mesa, Ariz. with its monthly test with a Kansas City monitor at 3:20-3:30, fair signal. KTRR, 1490, at 2:55-3:05 loud and in the clear. An unknown Spanisher on 1350 kc/s. at 3:00 with Latin type music. An unknown on 1260 kc/s. ended its broadcast at 3:10 by playing "I Love You," a vocal record and s/off during a fade-out at 3:15. Any help on the latter? Veries in are: A card from KTRI and letters from KWFC KDKD WRYO and two from WLOX.

Al Bartholomew - R.F.D. #3 - Addison, N.Y.

Haven't done a thing in DX since last spring, in March, I believe. Still have plenty of holdouts from last season but haven't sent a single follow-up all summer. Bought TV set last April & as a result guess have lost interest in radio. Have come to conclusion that if I watch TV until 10 or 11 & work next day I'll need the time in between for sleep so have decided to give up DX. Did receive a few foreign veries during summer including Monte Carlo & Guadeloupe for new countries. I don't want the boys in NRC to think I have forgotten them just because I am quitting the game. I always had a lot of fun at the conventions & a lot of the boys I have known & corresponded with for years including you, Hal. Any of the boys will always find the welcome out here in Addison, RFD #3 for a meal & trimmings. Maybe sometime I'll come to convention agn when it is back in Buffalo and renew old friendships. Kittanning is a little too far away for a weekend.) The friendships formed in nearly twenty years of DXing are lasting and the boys of NRC will always be remembered. Will not mention any names as I might leave some out. Best regards.

COME ON NEW MEMBERS - SOME ONE HAS TO TAKE AL'S PLACE! LET'S HAVE YOUR DX REPORTS!

Musings of the MembersSid Rosenbaum - 805 Market Street - Wheeling, W. Va.

New DX slumped here the past week. On two mornings I rolled out of bed at 4:00 and all I heard was a flock of tone testers that failed to identify. Was up late on 10/16 and 10/17 and this enabled me to pull in five new ones. Oct. 16 - KFRU (1400), KBTM (1230) and KSYL (1400) all on f/c. (Time in "D D the D" of 10/20). Oct. 17 - WKRM (1340) with a nice f/c (M) 2:30-3:00 and WKRF (1590) with regular f/c 3:00-3:15. WMON (1340) regular f/c 2:30-2:45, but not needed. The fourth Monday was a flop here due to heavy QRN. Oct. 22 - An unknown Kentuckian on 1490 with musical f/c. (Probably WKAY.) WCOM (1340) regular f/c 2:00-2:15. This one has always failed to verify so I passed him up. Another unknown with musical ET on 1490 back of the new all-nighter WSRS, Cleveland Heights. WLOK (1450) f/c 2:15-2:30 - must f/c bi-monthly as heard at same time on first Monday, 10/1. The third unknown of the morning on 1490 was a "W" on ET (M) at 2:30. The location sounded like 'Sufflok'?? Verie: KMYR followed their plain postal verie of last week with a letter and enclosed an attractive QSL card. Typed on card was 100-250 watts, but failed to mention when 100 watts was used. WAKE and WPHM sent nice letters. On 10/18 a Spanish-speaker was heard on about 1305 kc/s. at 4:15. Seemed to be regular program as they used gong at identifications. I have asked KOLS to throw in a little Convention Comedy on their DX and have written XERF regarding a stand-by of at least 30 minutes. That does it from here.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Conn.

Four new reports and a couple of second reports sent out this week. 10/15 - WXXW (850) Albany, N.Y. booming in here at 6:45 a.m. with early-a.m. news over WHDH. Unusual for a 10 kw. to overpower a 50 kw. station. 10/16 - WKIN (1320) Kingsport, Tenn., M/ET 1:30-2:00 asking for reports and phone calls. WKBI (1400) St. Marys, Pa. My request for info on WKBI in "DX News" brought a tip card from Gus Magnuson, so I picked them up again this AM on f/c and sent a second report addressed to Galen D. Castlebury, CE, rather than to the station. Heard a TT on 910 kc/s. from 2:38 to 2:54 without a break - thought it might be WPFB - Middletown, Ohio who did not verify my 8/14/50 report, but at 2:58 station break, found it to be WGBI, Scranton, Pa. I felt like pushing the NC57 out the window - 20 minutes of TT from a station I did not need. WTRW (1590) Two Rivers, Wis. long M/ET signing off at 3:35, excellent over XEMC. WLOF (950) Orlando, Fla. TT/f/c 2:00-4:15, heard under WWJ. No answer from 12/19/50 report so a second report today. WIPC (1280) Lake Wales, Fla. TT/f/c 4:45-5:00. 10/21 - WBSC (1550) ex-1400, Bennettsville, S.C. S/on 7:00 a.m., 30 minutes of transcribed French operatic music, fine clear signal. Announced as South Carolina's most powerful station. That new station list compiled by Len Kruse was directly responsible for my getting two new stations, WKIN & WTRW. Thanks, Len. With the report to WBSC my reports now number 960. Five veries have been received to make a total of 761. 10/17 - WPAR (1450) nice letter for f/c 10/10, after second report. WTRF (1290) Belleaire, O. Here is the most novel and unusual verie in my collection. In September 1950, Sid Rosenbaum sent me snapshots he had taken of transmitters in the Wheeling area. Having verified WWVA and WMOD, I filed the snapshots with the verifications, and as I needed WTRF and WHLL I wrote WTRF on double-card in July requesting info on their f/c. The CE returned my card saying no regular f/c, but a daily s/on at 6:50 a.m., prevailing time. So on July 23 I picked them up and sent a report asking for a verie but no reply, so I sent a nice follow-up letter in October enclosing the snapshot Sid sent me. In a few days the snapshot came back with verification of my July 23 report typed on the back of the snapshot! It is signed by the assistant CE. (v/signer given separately). I wonder if anyone else has such an unusual verie? 10/19 - WXXW (850) by letter, 10/20 WSUN (620) by letter and WMBL (740) Morehead City, N.C., QSL card for 10/14 report.

Bernie Duffy - 94 Lander Avenue - Staten Island 14, N.Y.

I added WGET WOKE WPAZ WACL & KLIX-1310 the past week. A breakdown of that logging is 10/16 - WOKE, 1430, s/on its daily program at 5:05 AM, strong as a local; WGET, 1450 easily topping other as it began its day at 5:58. 10/17 - WKIN, 1320, at 2:30, much stronger than when 1st hrd; WPAZ, 1370, booming in at 7AM on. 10/21 - WVOT with its infrequent identity test at 1:53-2:20 fooled me, causing me to think & hope it was KLFY who was supposed to be on then; WORD-910-ET mingled with WRNL 2:30 & new WACL-570 daily & Sun. s/on at 5 came thru excellently. 10/22 - WABI-910 on all nite with Hunters Special Program" & KLIX-1310 Twin Falls, Idaho weak 4:15-4:30. Only new veries are a nice brown letter from WOKE. Its thanks to Ledty & Joe Brauner for my WOKE & WACL.

Musings of the MembersPat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

New series are KOSY WOKE KMOD. 10/16 - WGEB, 910, test at 3:30 - very noisy today. 680 had KNBC WPTF & WPIN all scrapping to stay on top at 3:35. WDNC, 620, f/c at 4:00 - 1350 had carrier and TT, 4:16 to 4:25. KFAC, 1330, like a local and on top of Cuban. 10/17 - WKPT, 1400, f/c on at 3:30. Unknown TT on 1360 - WCFL, 1000, test at 3:50. Unknown TT on 970, 4:02 to 4:31 with no call given. 840 had WLW through WHAS carrier. WTRW, 1590, at 4:30. WSOY, 1340, 4:38 on f/c. Very noisy today. 10/18 - KGER, 1390, was loud at sign off at 3:00. CMOX over-riding WATO on 1490 at 3:05. WFAK, 1480, on ET at 3:15 for a new one. WJPS, 1350, test at 3:36. Spanish station on top of mess on 1260. At times 1340 and 1450 were dead, then alive. Maybe Northern Lights. WLOW, 1400, on top. Generally WJLB is top on here. WSSO, 1230, 4:30 to 4:44 on f/c for a new one. Then Cuban was on top of the mess. 10/19 - KFOX, 1280, strong at 3:06 on. Plenty of TT all over dial with no voice used, especially 1440 for several days now but never a call or voice heard, but noisy today. 10/20 - WFAK on another ET on 1480 at 2:50. CMBQ over WINS, 1010 before WINS sign off. WWSW, 970, went off 3:00 to 3:03 $\frac{1}{2}$ because of trouble. 680 had a carrier and TT on through KNBC at 3:07. WCAE, 1250, test at 3:26. 1440 tone on today again at 3:35 to after 4:00 with no voice heard. 1590 had carrier and no voice, 4:06 to 4:20 when I quit the dial. KOSY, 790, Wadley Bldg., State Line Avenue at 6th Street, Charles Mathis, Jr., C.E. is v/s. Will be on air in November regularly. WOKE, 1430, The Oak Terrace Grove Center, Oak Ridge, Tenn. by Ed Craig, program director. 10/21 - Very noisy today. WROV, 1240, through WEDC at 3:15 for a new one. 1490 had an unknown TT on, 3:40 to 4:00 with no voice. WVOP, 1420, on test at 4:02. Picked up WJET, 1570, on daylight DX for a new one. KMOD, 1360, tests each Thursday morning 3 to 6 AM EST per verie by Pete K. Omnigan, C.E. 10/22 - Very noisy today - 1350 had one on 3:09 to 3:20 with plenty of selections heard but noise was too low under noise to catch. WJPF 1340, test 3:23 to 3:30 with special test. 1150 had a loud one, 3:40 to 4:15 but no call given at all. Usual TT on with no calls but too noisy to listen, so to bed an hour early today.

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, N.Y.

Well boys, it seemed like old times with the arriving of 4 series on Monday the 22nd. All were new and letters from KTKT KDLI WRAY & WOKE. Have reports out to WMSC at 5:30 s/on. KCIM, 1380 kc/s. on f/c-TT as listed in old list, third Friday, 1:20-1:35. WHIM, 690 kc/s., at 6:15 s/on but they do not last long at this location. Around the last couple of days of this month they should be heard more easily. Next month they sign on at 7:00. WFAK on ET on 1430 kc/s. on the 16th, WACL, 570 kc/s., on Sunday AM 5:00 s/on. Sent out follow-ups to WAPF WPKY WHKP & WPRC. Now to see what happens. My report to WAPF is still from that special they put on for us January 22 1950. I wrote about a half a dozen times but just can't get an answer so this time I wrote to the general manager. Wouldn't bother but my report was excellent and covered the entire time they were on. The C.E. just won't answer me for some unknown reason. Listened a while this AM 10/22 but static was so darn bad I quit and got some sleep which was enjoyed after working 16 hours. Remember out CONTESTS. How about sending your entry fee and get a little more enjoyment from your DXing? It's well worth it even if you don't win. Remember, you can be surprised.

Roger Anderson - 835 South Greenbrier Street, Arlington 4, Va.

DX is on the upgrade with me now that QRM is decreasing. 10/16 - WCOR (900) f/c-M 2:35; WJPS (1330) f/c-M 2:54; WCMA (1230) f/c-TT 3:16; WBSC (1550) regular sked 6:16 p.m. 10/17 - WPAZ (1370) regular sked, 5:15 p.m., new daytimer here. 10/20 - KGHL (790) regular sked 1:54-2:00 s/off, for first Montanan here in 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ years. WFAK (1480) ET (M) 2:14; WEMP (1340) all night show 2:44; YSEB (1075) San Salvador, S-5, with American swing record show and frequent identification, "La Voz de Centro America," 9:30 p.m. Recent series - CHOK with letter, calendar and blotter, WJWL WPJB WESA. In this area WBCC (1120) now WUST, Bethesda, Maryland; WOOK (1590), Silver Spring, Maryland, to move to 1600 kc/s., and to Rockville, Maryland, soon. 73s to all.

FCC CHANGES - POWER-FREQUENCY-HOURS ETC.

560 K W T O Springfield, Missouri, to 5,000 U-2, from 5,000-1,000 U-2, same freq.
 1240 H I T - Ciudad Trujillo, Dominican Republic, 250 U-1, from 1400 kc/s.
 1310 X E V H Valle Hermoso, Tams., Mexico, to 250 D-1, from 1340 kc/s.
 1340 X E C J Apatzingen, Mch., Mexico, increase power from 100 to 250 watts.
 1410 X E M S Matamoros, Tams., Mexico, to 250 U-1, from 1310 kc/s.

This list was prepared for us by Len Kruse, with additions made by Lefty. We welcome corrections and additions from any and all of you.

THIS INCLUDES THE HOURS 3-5 AM EST.

550 KMVI s/off 4:05 a.m., then clear.	970 WWSW All-nighter, s/off Sun 6 AM.
560 WIND All-nighter, silent Mon. 4:05 on.	KVOB All-nighter on Sundays only.
KSFO S/off daily, 3:15.	KBIS All-nighter, silent period unkn.
570 KLAC s/off daily 4:00, earlier Mon.	980 CKVL All-nighter, silent Mondays
580 CKEY All-nighter, silent Mondays	KFWB On daily to 4:00.
KMJ- All-nighter, silent Mondays	990) Clear daily 3:00-5:00
590 KUGN S/off daily 3:05, Sundays 4:05.	1000)
KGMB On daily till 5:00.	1010 CMBQ All-nighter, no silent period
600 KFSD Off daily, 3:05.	WINS s/off 3:00 daily.
610 WIP- No silent period. 24 hours.	1020 KFVD s/off daily 5:00.
KLEE All-nighter, silent time unknown	1030 XEQR s/off daily 3:30.
### KFRC s/off daily 3:30.	1040 clear daily 3:00-5:00
620 Clear 3:00-5:00 daily.	1050 XEG- All-nighter, no silent period
630 KPOA On daily to 5:00.	WJGM s/off daily 4:00.
640 KFI- On daily to 4:00.	1060 WNOE Silent Mondays, all-nighter.
6500 Clear daily 3:00-5:00	1070 KNX- On daily to 4:05. WIBC???
6600	1080 Clear daily 3:00-5:00
670 WMAQ All-nighter. No silent period.	1090 KING On daily to 5:00.
680 KNBC On daily to 4:08 a.m.	1100 KEBS all-nighter, no silent period.
690 KULA s/off daily 3:30, Sunday 4:00.	1110 KXLA All-nighter, silent Mondays.
XEAC On daily to 4:00.	KIPA s/off daily 5:00.
700 WLW- All-nighter, silent Mon. to 4:30.	KFAB All-nighter, no silent period???
710 WOR- Silent daily, 4:00-5:00.	1120 KNOX All-nighter, silent Mondays
WGBS s/off daily 4:00.	1130 WNEW All-nighter, no silent period
720 WGN- All-nighter, silent Mondays.	1140 WRVA All-nighter, silent Mondays
730) Clear daily 3:00-5:00	CKXL All-nighter, no silent period
740)	1150 KRKD All-nighter, no silent period
750 KKL- On daily to 5:00.	KRSC s/off 5:00, silent Mondays
750 WJR- All-nighter, silent Sat. 2-4 AM.	WAPO s/on daily 4:45 except Sundays
770) Clear daily 3:00-5:00	WCUE s/on daily 4:30 except Sundays
780)	XEJP All-nighter, no silent period
790 KECA On daily to 4:00.	CMCA All-nighter, silent Mondays ???
800 CKLW All-nighter, silent Monday AM	1160 Clear daily 3:00-5:00
all AM & s/off Sundays 5:00.	1170 WWVA All-nighter, silent Sundays
810) Clear daily 3:00-5:00	KCBQ s/off daily 4:00
820)	KVOO s/off daily 3:30
830 CMBZ All-nighter, no silent period.	1180 Clear daily 3:00-5:00
840 WHAS All-night carrier off Tue&Wed.	1190 KEY- On daily to 4:00
850 WNAO All-nighter, silent Mondays.	1200)
860 KONO All-nighter, silent Tuesdays.	1210) Clear daily, 3:00-5:00
KTRB On daily to 4:00.	1220)
KIKI On daily to 4:05.	1230 WNOR All-nighter, no silent period
870) WITH All-nighter, silent Tues. 3-5.	
880) KGFJ All-nighter, silent Mondays	
890) Clear daily, 3:00-5:00	KNUZ All-nighter, silent Mondays
900) KGON All-nighter, silent Mondays	
910) KERO s/off daily 4:00	
920 KAHU On daily till 5:00.	KXO -s/off daily 3:05
KVEC On daily till 3:05.	KVAS all-nighter, silent Mondays
CJCH All-nighter, silent Mondays,	CMCO all-nighter, no silent period
s/off Sundays 5:00.	1240 WEDC all-nighter, no silent period
930 WPAT All-nighter, no silent period.	KSON all-nighter, silent Mondays
940 WINZ All-nighter (????)	KRNO s/off daily 4:00
950 WARC All-nighter, silent Mondays	KRDO s/off SUNDAYS only, 3:30
KTEL All-nighter, silent Mondays	1250 Clear daily, 3:00-5:00
WWJ- All-nighter, no silent period.	1260 WWDC-WNDR-KYA--WDOK all all-nighters
960 KROW s/off daily 5AM, clear Mondays	and all silent Mondays. XEME???
SOME CHANNELS ARE OPEN MORE THAN STATED 3:00-5:00.	CONTINUED ON PAGE 8.

CONDITIONS OF FREQUENCIES, con'd.

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| 1270 | Clear daily, 3:00-5:00 | 1410 | CKMO s/off daily 4:05 |
| 1280 | KNAK s/off daily 3:05 | 1420) | |
| | KXOB s/off daily 3:30 | 1430) | Clear, 3:00-5:00 a.m. daily |
| 1290 | KITO all-nighter. Silent Mondays | 1440) | |
| | Also Mexican/ to 3:35 daily. | 1450 | WILM all-nighter. Silent Mondays |
| 1300 | KWKW All-nighter. No silent period | | WVFB all-nighter. Silent Sundays |
| | KROP s/off Sundays 4:00 | | KOPO s/off daily 3:05 |
| | KYNO s/off Sundays 4:00 | | LORE s/off daily 3:05 |
| 1310 | CKOY all-nighter. Silent Mondays | 1460 | KDON s/off daily 3:05 |
| | WKMH all-nighter. Silent Mondays | | KENO all-nighter. S/off Monday 4:30 |
| | KWBR all-nighter. s/off Mon-Tue 3:30. | 1470 | KXOA s/off daily 3:05 |
| 1320 | CKNW all-nighter. No silent period. | | XESM all-nighter. No silent period. |
| 1330 | KFAC all-nighter. No silent period. | | WRGA all-nighter, Saturdays only. |
| | KPOJ all-nighter, Sundays only. | 1480 | Clear 3:00-5:00 daily |
| | WLOL s/off daily 4:00 | 1490 | WJBK all-nighter. Silent Mondays |
| | CMCB all-nighter. No silent period. | | CMOX all-nighter. Silent Mondays |
| 1340 | WHHM all-nighter. Silent Mondays | | KTKT all-nighter. Silent Mondays |
| | KRUX all-nighter. Silent Mondays | | WSRS all-nighter. Sil. per. unknown. |
| | CJOB all-nighter. Silent Mondays | 1500 | KXRK all-nighter. Silent Sun. 8-9AM. |
| | WEMP all-nighter. Silent Mondays | 1510) | |
| | KMYR s/off daily 3:30 | 1520) | clear daily 3:00-5:00 |
| | KATO s/off daily 5:00, Monday clear | 1530 | KFBK s/off daily 4:00 |
| 1350 | XEQK all-nighter. No silent period. | | WCKY all-nighter. No silent period. |
| | KCSB s/off daily 4:05, clear Mondays | 1540) | |
| 1360 | WKAT s/off daily 3:30 | 1550) | Clear daily, 3:00-5:00 |
| 1370 | Clear daily 3:00-5:00 | 1560) | |
| 1380 | KHON s/off daily 5:00 ??? Also | 1570 | XERF all-nighter. No silent period. |
| | Reported all-night exc. Mondays | 1580 | Clear daily, 3:00-5:00 |
| 1390 | KCBC all-nighter. s/off Sun. 3:05. | 1590 | KSJO all-nighter. No silent period?? |
| 1400 | WWIN all-nighter. Silent Mondays | | XEMC all-nighter?? No silent period?? |
| | CKFH all-nighter. Silent Sundays | 1600 | Clear daily, 3:00-5:00 |
| | WLOW all-nighter. Silent Mondays | | Please send in any corrections or addi- |
| | WJLB all-nighter. Silent Sundays??? | | tions you might have, or as changes take |
| | WMIN all-nighter. Sil. per. unknown | | place. This list changes a bit almost ev- |
| | KRE- s/off daily 3:15 (KRE) | | ery issue of "DX News" so let's all work |
| | KYAK s/off daily 4:00 | | to amend it whenever the situation does |
| | KOKO s/off Sundays 4:00, clear others | | change. Our thanks to Len Kruse. |

Usings of the Members

Pete Jacobson - 5217 South Portland Avenue - Minneapolis

KFMG Tulsa 3, Okla. 740-50000D-10000N. "Our transmitter is a new RCA BTA50F1 which uses air cooling of the big tubes throughout. It is located about 18 m. SW of Tulsa on a high hill 5 m. S of Keystone, Okla. It was not far from our site that the first oil well in Okla. was brought in about 50 yrs. ago. We use 3 towers in D & 6 at night. All are 275' high arranged in a parallelogram & covering nearly 100 acres. Our gnd. system covers the area like spokes in a wheel from each tower. More than 86 m. of copper were used in its construction. Aldon F. Wooster, CE, 7/14/51. WWVA, Wheeling, W.Va. 1170-50000-ABC letter for 8/4/51, Hawley Bldg. Edwin L. Keim, CE. Now for the cards. CJRL Kenora, Ont. 1220-1000-7/14/51. Transmitter N. Electric 443A1, studio eq. RCA, antenna Marconi 202½', dir. F.J. Hackett, CE. A very fine friend of mine. KSO Des Moines 9, Iowa 1460-5000-CBS, QSL for 7/29, 1 AM. F.E. Bartlett, CE. WBNS, Columbus, O. no signer. KWEW Hutchinson, Kans. 1450-250-NBC 7/15 4:33 AM. KGLC, Miami, Ok. 910-1000-LBS. KGLC's eq. is WE, antenna array 3 270' towers, major lobes NE-SW, NW-SE Louis E. Stone, CE. Flood report 7/15. WOC, Davenport, Iowa 1420-5000-NBC card for 8/8. WIRE Indianapolis, Ind. 1430-5000-NBC, QSL for 8/11 2:34 AM. E.E. Alden, CE. WCKY Cincinnati, O., 1530-50000-NMN, 8/2. C.E. Arthur D. Gillette. WKOP Binghamton, N.Y. 1360-1000/500, a very colorful card & one of nicest ever received. Dir. Night only. Charles Halliran, CE. On the back he says "Thanks for the fine report. We are always happy to cooperate with the National Radio Club and all DXers." I only wish other stations would be as cooperative. I have a lot of reports out but none are coming back like they should. WKOP is MBS. Last but by no means least is WMOC, Covington, Ga. 1490-250-NMN. That's it for now and best of luck to all of you and good DX from your friend Pete.

Musings of the MembersStan Morss - Bradford, Mass.

10/15 - New aeriels up and hot to go. WBAC f/c 3:50. KTKT at 4:00, KOKK, Las Vegas for a new one, 4:45 to 4:58 when local easterner came on. KOKK a tough one. WOKE regular sked at 5:00. 10/16 - WTRW ET 2:40, a new one. WEAT f/c 3:38 through CMOX and WJBK. 10/18 - WFAK ET 2:53 a.m. WBHB f/c, 3:55. A Spanish station on 1220 also. 10/19 - WEMP and KRUX only all-nighters audible on 1340. WLOU testing. They've been off the air, evidently preparing to come back on. WFPM test 3:22, a new one for me. WPCS f/c 5:47 a.m. 10/21 - WACL as per tip in bulletin at 5:00 a.m. KCIJ good at 5:30. KVERS 5:50 to s/off at 6:00.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Ia.

The past week very little DXing done, mainly due to thunderstorms and rains much of the time. Thus only three new stations were added to my DX Log. On 10/17 Station WKIN (1320) Kingsport, Tennessee, was heard with an ET 2:25-2:35 a.m. Incidentally, Dick Cooper, do these calls look familiar to you? Then on 10/20 Station KURV (710) Edinburg, Texas, was heard on its 3rd Saturday f/c TT 2:00-2:15 a.m., with bad WOR interference. Also on Oct. 20 added WFAK (1480) Memphis, Tennessee, on an ET 2:00-3:00 a.m., thanks to a tip from member Clara Wachtel who logged this new one two days earlier. Only two verifications were added to my collection, letters from WOKE & WEKZ.

Barry Foote - 273 North Avenue - Weston 93, Massachusetts

Not much to report in the way of new DX catches the past few weeks. Many stations heard but are not new. Caught the two new FM stations in Boston on ETs. Heard WGBH 89.7 M/gs. 20000 watts on 10/1 and WERS 83.9 M/gs. 330 watts on 10/5. WGBH which stands for Great Blue Hill, where their transmitter is located, is a new non-commercial educational station and is owned by the Lowell Institute in cooperation with Harvard, MIT, BC, BU, Tufts, Northeastern, and the Boston Symphony Orchestra. WGBH has some swell programs including live lectures from the various colleges of which I enjoy very much. On 10/3, John Cowles and I, together with his National NC-57M and my Zenith FM went to Peterboro, N.H. on a Senior Class Outing. We found BCB reception fair and FM unusually good. Our first catch was WTSV-FM 106.1 M/gs. Claremont. Four minutes later we got WTSV, 1230 kc/s. We also heard WNAW, 860, North Adams, Mass. weakly. The rest of the graveyard channels were terribly messed up so we didn't bother to listen too much. I was surprised to pick up WTRI-FM 102.7 M/gs. Troy, N.Y. as I didn't think a N.Y. FM signal had much of a chance in that mountainous area. Am wondering if these new heard stations in New Hampshire can be added to the total of the home QTH log under NRC rules? Getting ready to put up a 100' antenna in addition to my 65' one running NE-SW. I plan to have the 100' one run NW-SE and be able to switch to either antenna or both at the same time. I hope to get some new stations with it. I have sent out some requests for courtesy programs in New England. I hope to have some swell catches for you soon. 73s and best of DX.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, N.Y.

Letter veries in since last issue from: KTKT WDEM WPAZ WOKE WPAL WCOW WHOM WACL WDXE and a mimeo card from WIND for a total of 2,132. WPAL said in part, "I got pretty disgusted with these DX clubs when a lot of members told me that my letters were no good. I still feel that way and usually don't bother to answer these reports. I made an exception to you because I remember you from way back." This is from Carlton J. Modlin, CE, who was also with this station when it was known as WFAK and put on a test for us a few years back. His verie-letter was worded a bit vaguely. May I offer a suggestion that we not be so technical in our veries? This fellow's feelings were hurt, after sending out his replies. I suggest explaining you want the station to say "RECEPTION VERIFIED" when you write for a verie to eliminate this. DX this week- 10/18 - WFAK-1480, Memphis, ET-M and daily since. 10/20 - Evening, TIGPH (605) San Jose, Costa Rica, the "WQXR" of Central America. 10/21 - A report to XESM for want of anything else. 10/22 - WSRS-1490, Cleveland Heights, new all-nighter. Erick had WCPM behind him but wouldn't come in here. That FM, YVWF (1120) easy 8:30-10 PM. CORRECTION FROM 9/22 ISSUE (From LEN KRUSE) 730 WFMC Goldsboro NC not deleted. Len says they should soon be on the air, so watch for them.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE: WATCH FOR THESE

910 WORD Spartanburg(ex:1400) 1310 KLIK Twin falls (ex:1340):1150 WCEN (directional)
 970 KEOX Modesto, California 1480 WFAK Memphis, Tennessee :1240 KVBC Farmington NM
 980 WFHG Bristol, Va(ex:860) 1490 WCPM Cumberland, Kentucky:1450 WEKI Henderson, NC

SEND ALL ITEMS IN E.S.T. TO RAY EDGE-325 SHIRLEY AVE-BUFFALO 15, N.Y.

- 730 WPAL Charleston S C F/C-C 0225-0235 2nd TUES. (Cooper-Brooklyn)
 850 WKKW Albany N Y temp using LKW N. due to interference to WHDH(Lefty)
 900 CHML Hamilton Ont hrd s/on SAT 0528 (Routzahn-York Pa)
 910 WABI Bangor, Me hrd past 0330, alnigher???? (Routzahn)
 WORD Spartanburg S C testing 10/21-22-23 (Lefty & Johanns-Buffalo)
 930 WPAT Paterson N J - GOOD-BY SILENT PERIOD (Lefty)
 980 WSIX Nashville Tenn TT hrd thru CKVL-KFWB 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$ - 10/24 (Johanns)
 1110 KFAB Omaha, Neb IS NOT SILENT SUNDAYS ANY LONGER (Lefty)
 1230 WCED DuBois Pa TT/FC 3rd TUES 0300-0315 will verify (Williams-Conn)
 KLIC Monroe, La on top nitely 0130-0200 S/off. Verify promptly by
 Dr. Frank Cerniglia, owner, A CONTESTS STA. Cooper-Kittanning)
 1240 CJRW Summerside PEI reg s/on 0500, in clear till 0529 when WBBW
 comes on. (Johanns) /Williams- Conn)
 1280 WIPC Lake Wales, Fla F/C-TT 3rd TUES 0445-0500; info from station
 WHUR Hanover Pa hrd s/on at 0605 (Routzahn)
 1290 ???? This station announces as Havana Cuba Who? (Johanns)
 1300 WTIL Mayaguez PR Hrd 10/19 at 0158, Anyone know F/C time? Edge
 1320 WNGO Mayfield, Ky f/C 4th THUR 5 $\frac{1}{4}$ or earlier-H Y Jones, mgr (Johanns)
 1330 WJPS Evansville, Ind M/c 0320-0350 etc - 10/18 (Johanns) /V/S for
 1340 WCMI Ashland Ky F/C 4th MON 0200-0215 (Routzahn) /WDXE R Horn.
 WJPF Herrin, Ill testing M much of AM 10/22 (Lefty) /C E(Johanns)
 1370 WDXE Lawrenceburg, Tenn F/C 2nd TUES 0215-0225-per verie (Lefty)
 WPAZ Pottstown Pa F/C 3rd FRI 0445-0500 as per verie (Lefty)
 S/on 0700 daily, easy in NYC area (Duffy-Staten Island NY)
 1380 KCIM Carroll, Ia F/C 3rd FRI 0120-0135 was announced (Edge)
 1400 WJLB Detroit Mich NOT SILENT MON AMs, may be off SUN AMs (Lefty)
 WKBI St Marys Pa F/C 3rd TUES 0200-0215 (Conley-Lemoyne Pa)
 1420 WVOT Wilson N C hrd S/on Sat 0530, maybe daily (Routzahn)
 1450 WGAT Gettysburg Pa S/on daily 0558, good in NYC area (Duffy)
 WPAR Parkersburg W Va F/C 2nd WED 0115-0130 CONTEST STA (Dick Cooper)
 WLCK Campbellsville Ky hrd TT/c 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ -2 $\frac{1}{2}$ on 10/22 (Johanns)
 1460 WCMB Lemoyne Pa Expect to go on 24 HOURS with 5 Kw sometime in Dec.
 Watch for ETs latter part of Nov. Will advise exact dates if
 they can be obtained (Conley-Penn)
 1490 WSRs Cleveland Hgts Ohio NOW AN ALNITED-BEGAN 10/22 (Lefty-Johanns)
 WCPM Cumberland Ky 1st ET 10/22 (Johnson-NYC)
 1520 WKBW Buffalo N Y tests M-ev MON 0400-0415 (Lefty)
 1550 WBSC Bennettsville S C S/on SUN 0700 with French Opera (Williams)
 1570 WJET Erie, Pa rec in Bflo afternoons, reg sked (Johanns)
 1590 WTRW Two Rivers, Wisc now ETing after 0300 (Williams)
 1600 WFRS Reidsville N C S/on weekdays 0600 (Routzahn) /((Johanns)
 1340 WFHR Wisconsin Rapids Wisc TT/c earlier 4-3/4-5 toping all 10/24

Well boys again thats everything rec including THURS mail and if some of your items are not listed its because they appeared in an issue or 2 before. Remember keep those IMPORTANT ITEMS coming especially all the KNOWN F/Cs, however please dont guess at them just because they were heard once, many times they nappened to be a special test but NOT their reg F/C. Remember Thursdays is the deadline here each week and GET in- to our contests NOW as it does make our hobby a little more enjoyable.

RAY EDGE-325 SHIRLEY AVE-BFLO NY Well I finally received a nice letter verie from WAPF for their NRC-DX of Jan 22 1950. It took the original report, plus a card, then letter to the C.E. Then after no reply a nice letter to the Sta Mgr and in 5 days a very nice letter verie along with deep regret came from the C.E., yep the same one that was on hand for the DX. Said he really thought my report had been verified.

730 WFMC Goldsboro, N. C. ET AM of 10/24 (Wagner)

Note change in time on WANT special TEST to 4 to 5 AM November 1st.

K K K

These are the last two pages, we promise you. A few more items were gleaned by the "Snooping Reporter" however. Harry Gordon was afraid of that notebook, he claimed.

Interesting comment by Dick, re Sullivan. "He may not be exactly crooked, but he is starting to bend a little." We presume he referred to the poker game.

Sully shied away from "The Beard." "It's not that I love Seth less, but I love poetry more," he stated.

Fred has Lefty scared. He doesn't dare report WNCC, lest Fred claim a foul.

Howie could not be called a 'Poker Face,' but perhaps could be known as 'Poker Hand.'

Lefty looked longingly at a lollypop one of the Cooper kids had. When pumped, he admitted he usually DXes with an all-day sucker jammed in his mouth. Goey Goey!

Bob Spencer wanted to know why Steve Mann didn't come. Fred explained, "He went to the B.V.D. Islands. You know - the West Undies?"

In a discussion of New Year's morning DX, Sully had nothing to add. "I wouldn't stay home on New Year's Eve more than once a year," he said.

Of course, one fish story has to rear its ugly head each year. Harry knows a lake in New York where the ducks walk on the fishes' backs! Only thing is, Harry could not remember just where that was, exactly.

Joe Pelletier pointed out the ladder up to the summit of WACB's 200' tower. "Do you have to climb that?" asked Don Kaskey. "Don't be silly - they can't make a monkey out of me!" explained Joe.

Came the picture-snapping hour. All poses were snapped. Bob Gorsuch even took a group picture of Dick Cooper.

Don Kaskey claimed he lost a book of his veries at Dick's. Is it really true that Ralphie has Iowa completely verified?

First to leave were Pat Reilley and Ralphie, being whisked away by Bob Spencer. It was good to see Dick beginning to smile again.

Fred and Charlie then played a dirty trick on Dick. They took off, leaving Lefty behind them to stay another full day.

Bob Brown and Don Kaskey then set sail for Wheeling, to visit Sid Rosenbaum again. We suspect Sid was running a competitive convention down there.

Bob and Don had dinner at Sid's. Wonder if that's what they mean by "Free Wheeling?"

Howie Kemp then drove off to Waterbury. "That's a good idea," said Lefty. "They should bury all water!"

Monday morning produced another DX session, this time on Dick's HQ-129-X. Dick stretched out on the bed to catch his second wind.

His third wind wasn't any good - either.

Lefty fell asleep at the dials. He had KCHA (1580) and one other, which was gone when he came to again.

Dick and Lefty woke each other up. First Dick woke Lefty with his snoring, and then Lefty awakened Dick by the old-fashioned shaking method.

During this time, Carroll did his usual style of DXing - sitting downstairs, reading a magazine. Not patronizing barber shops for so long he had missed several chapters.

Lefty was asked why he wore garters. "I'm dignified," he said. "Why stop there?" was Sully's quick retort.

Most wanted to hear the Cleveland game Labor Day afternoon, and the only way we could was by listening to the Pirates' game on WWSW. How come? Only station we could get with the Indians' game was WICA, heard under WWSW!

With the Pirates and the Indians both playing double-headers, this then became the only quadruple-header on record.

Not much of the games was heard, for Sully felt like conducting a dissertation on some of his fabulous New England relatives. We still don't believe it.

We hate to think anybody in the NRC is of doubtful character, but just to keep the records straight, Kid Kaskey does play basketball!

We also found out why Dick's shop is called the "Electric Printery." The first electric motor in Kittanning was installed there, Dick claims.

It looked like a printers' convention, what with Dick, Charlie Conley and Pat Reilly all in that field of endeavor.

We hear the three are going to band together and help out the government, by printing their own money. Their motto: "Buck up, boys."

Possibly some of the conventioners are listed in "Who's Who." Carroll Seth is in another book, though. It's title is, "What's This?"

If the convention didn't accomplish anything else, at least the shaving off of Carroll's beard helped him to pad up the shoulders of his jacket.

Monday evening, Dick drove Sully and Lefty to Pittsburgh. Guess he figured it would be the only way to get rid of them. PS - It worked.

It was decided to re-publish the NRC Rules and Regulations, first checking over the syntax. "Good night - is there a tax on that, too?" Lefty wanted to know.

Lefty has an aversion for taxes. He won't buy a rug for his DX den because somebody told him about the "carpet tacks."

We heard a dilly. Ralph Johans told us of a cure for Potato Bugs. Two blocks of wood - just place the Potato Bug on one, then apply the other, vigorously.

Charlie Conley has been having set trouble ever since Lefty stayed there Friday night, August 31. Did Lefty swithh a few tubes around, per chance?

Best suggestion made at the convention was that of Charlie Conley. "Let's have one every month!" he said. Maybe HE was the winner in that poker game after all.

Hal Wagner had the toughest job of all - to pry Carroll loose and take him back to Erie. Carroll made himself right at home in Kittanning, of course. He made it very "eerie."

But Hal is gallant. He figured as long as brought Carroll he should take him away again. Atta boy, Hal - we knew you wouldn't let Kittanning down.

And so "Amen" to K K K for this year. What do those three Ks mean? Well, just this Kittanning Konvention - and we'll let you fill in the other one yourself. 'Bye!

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You fellows have really taken hold of this column, and I'm proud of you. I only hope that you'll keep it up throughout the season. First I want to acknowledge contest entries from Hal Wagner, Harold Schrock, Hank Holbrook, and Harold Williams. To Harold Schrock, all foreign countries count, so that includes Hawaii and Puerto Rico. All veries count for all countries but Canada. See the rules for it.

This week we have DX to report from every country, or rather from every continent except Europe and Africa. The best verie of the week is HJKM received by Lefty Cooper, and the best DX of the week is the very impressive list of TP's logged by Bob Sanderson. Now on to the details.

From MEXICO Hal Wagner also reports that XEM is operating off his frequency on 695 Kcs., and comes through well evenings.

YSEB on 1075 Kcs. continues to keep EL SALVADOR in the limelight with consistent signals all evening. The neighboring country of COSTA RICA is well represented this week with TIGPH (605), TIPG (625), and TIFC (995) reported by Lefty and Hal Wagner. Hal also adds TIHB (685), and TIW (767). Hal says that TIW announces as "Radio City", San Jose, and was on 763 last spring. Lots of good DX here for anyone needing Costa Rica.

Turning to the islands, Rog Anderson is getting WIPR (940) through most evenings after twilight. This is PUERTO RICO, of course. Lefty reports CMCF (910) on top of the freq. on 10/22 at 7:20 PM. CMCK (980) was also coming in good the same evening. There is a Cuban operating on 1092 according to Hal Wagner, possibly CMKR, however, not identified yet positively.

This might be a good place to list a few split frequency stations in Spanish which have not yet been identified. Hal Wagner has them on 735, 755, 1042, and 1285. Both Hal and Rog Anderson hear one on 1072.

And from the North American continent, we turn to South America and to COLOMBIA first. Lefty has a verie from HJKM, air mail both ways and back in 8 days. Address: "Radio Cristobal Colon", Carrera 7a, No. 19-70, Bogota, Colombia. He has also logged HJKO (830) under CMBZ at 11 PM.

In VENEZUELA, Lefty has logged YVMF (1119) "Ondas del Lago" in Maracaibo 8:30-10 PM and later with hardly a trace of KMOX showing.

ARGENTINA is represented with Erick Johnson reporting three of them on 10/20 with what sounded like political speeches with lots of cheering. He had LTL (780), "Radio del Litoral", Rosario; LWL (790), "Radio Splendid" in Cordoba; and LR4 (990), "Radio Splendid" in Buenos Aires. The latter is supposed to have moved to 950, but is apparently still on 990. These three would be good ones to watch for the morning of 11/12 after the Argentine election. These three are nice DXing.

JAPANESE stations are reaching the Pacific Coast now with Jim Critchett reporting AFRS Tokyo (770) on 10/13. From Gene Allen via Carroll Weyrich of the NNRG, we learn that he has heard AFRS Sendai (1430) S-8, 4:58AM 10/3; and on the same date an unknown Jap S-7 on 1210 at 5:05 AM. On 10/13 he had JOKP (980) with S-6 signal at 5:03AM.

The final stops on our DX tour of the world this week are the down-under countries of AUSTRALIA and NEW ZEALAND. Our reporter is Bob Sanderson, and he sure makes us all wish we were living in British Columbia too. First in Australia on 10/8 2BL (740) Sydney at 8 AM, S-7-8 signals. Then on 10/17 3AR (620), Melbourne; 2NU (650), Manilla, NSW; 4QS (760), Dalby, Qsld.; 3LO (770), Melbourne; and an unknown on 850, which he believes is 2CY in Canberra. NICE DX.

His list of New Zealanders is equally impressive and reads as follows: On 10/12, 2YA (570), Wellington; 3YA (690), Christchurch; 4YA (780), Dunedin; 3YZ (920), Greymouth; 3YC (960), Christchurch; and 2ZB (980), Wellington. These heard between 5:15 and 6:30 AM.

FOREIGN DX DIGEST Continued.

Bob had an excellent morning for Zedders on October 17, and reports the following heard that morning: 2YA (570), Wellington; 2YC (660), Wellington; 3YA (690), Christchurch; 1YA (760), Auckland; 4YA (780), Dunedin; 1YC (880), Auckland; 4YC (900), Dunedin; 3YZ (920), Greymouth; 3YC (960), Christchurch; 2ZB (980), Wellington; and an unknown on 1010. Bob, isn't the one on 1010, 2XG in Gisbourne? He was reported last spring, and verified by Pat Reilley. Sure would like to see some of these stations coming in over this way, but we can't have everything. Incidentally Bob reports that he has a new S-20-R receiver and a 32' antenna, and is expecting big things from it. He has recently reported to 7NT and 2BL.

Before I forget it, the following are the reporters for this issue
 Bob Sanderson, 2073 Waverley Ave, South Burnaby, British Columbia.
 Gene Allen, Vallejo, California, (Via Carroll Weyrich of the NNRC)
 James E. Critchett, 1210 Essex Street, San Diego 3, Calif. (From Hal
 Harold Wagner, North Girard, Pennsylvania. Wagner)
 Lefty Cooper, 438 East 21 Street, Brooklyn, New York.
 Erick Johnson, New York City (Forwarded by Lefty Cooper)
 Roger Anderson, 835 S. Greenbrier Street, Arlington 4, Virginia.

I would like to report a very pleasant evening spent last Friday with Carroll Weyrich, one of the NNRC BCB editors, at his home in Parkville, Maryland. We appreciate the nice things he had to say concerning our column, and we in turn think he is doing a great job with both his column in NNRC and his broadcast band log.

From the New Zealand DX Times come the following temporary frequency changes for Australian stations: 2DU and 7BU to 810 Kcs.; 2NA to 820 Kcs.; 4QY to 890 Kcs.; 2LT and 4RO to 1080 Kcs.; 7ZR to 1160 Kcs. 2MO to 1370 Kcs.; 2AY to 1480 Kcs.; and 2BE and 4ZR to 1490 Kcs. Also from the "Times" AFRS Seoul soon to move from 610 to 1520 or 1600 Kcs. with 50 KW. Pyongyang, North Korea, is on 665 with 250 watts; Peking, China, on 1010 Kcs. with 20 KW. New Philippine at Dugapan on 1040 Kcs. JOSP listed last week on 620 is apparently operating on 610. Peking, China, is operating on 640, 700, 720 as well as 1010. Singapore is on 620. Philippines heard include DZRH (650), DZAS (680), DZFM (710), DZMB (760), DZST (860), Manilla (920), and Dugapan mentioned above. Indians at Hyderabad (730) and VUA3 (780) also reported. Japs heard in New Zealand include JOIK (570), JOSP (610), JOHK (890), and JOKP (980)

Voice of America programs in Korean and Japanese are being broadcast over JOLK (550), JOAK (590), JOFK (790), JOAB (950), JOBB (830), JOHK (890), JOHG (990), JOQB (1030), JOFB (1050), JOTK (1110), JOTB, (1330), and JOHC (1350). While mentioning Japanese stations, all DX reports of reception for any station can be sent to Mr. Isamu Yamazaki, Chief International Broadcasting Section, Radio Tokyo Bldgs., Tokyo. Please be sure to specify which station you are reporting and underscore that it is a broadcast band station. Reports to AFRS stations in Japan can be sent to Japan Logistical Command, APO 343, C/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California. Most recent signer was a Major Tidwell. You may, of course, write any station direct, but both of the above sources have verified reports in the past.

Once again, let me thank all of you for the excellent support you have given this column. Please keep it up. Many of you are still including foreign items in your "Musings". We have no objection to that, but won't you please also put the foreign items on a post card and send them to me so that we can really have all of the foreign DX being heard by club members in one place. Any time any of you have any criticisms of the column, or if there is anything you would like to see here that we haven't had, let me know. I'll try to the best I can to please as many of you as possible. Remember deadline is Wednesday morning at Lemoyne. See you all next week.