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LIKES OUR FINE PAGES!

"Enclosed please find my check for \$5.00 for my second year in the NRC. I have enjoyed the Club very much this past year & hope to spend many DXing hours with the fine pages of DX NEWS." - Alvan E. Fisher - 5 Peregrine Rd. - Newton, Mass. 02159

NEXT ISSUE AUGUST 20

This will be the last issue of Volume 33, and will also be the last one before the big Montreal Convention. Be sure to have a report in it, and also be sure you are planning to be there, in the great Canadian city of Montreal, Sept. 3-4-5 for NRC's Wing-Ding.

ANARC CONVENTION

In the Muehlback Hotel, Kansas City, Mo. Contact Richard E. Wood, of 207 East 16 St., Bloomington, Ind. 47403 if you're going to be there, and being there would seem to be a capital idea. Here are some of the Convention features, from the ANARC newsletter:

Ham Station KOSWL will be on the air Fri-Sat 7/29-30, on 20meters, 10-12pm & 1-3pm CST. A special QSL card will be issued to those working/hearing them.

There will be an attempt to have a tape by Richard Wood broadcast on the Swiss SW "Merry-Go-Round" program 7/30. Program times are 1:25, 3:10, 7:55, 9:40 am & 10:40pm, CST on the various frequencies on SW of Swiss Radio. (Not yet confirmed).

The hotel has a swimming pool, so bring your bathing suit (and your water wings, if you can't swim), hk.

There will be discussions on the ANARC, LA DXing (Richard Wood), African DXing (Serge Newman III) & others still in the planning stage. There will be tapes from stations & different listeners & Club heads.

It's the weekend of 7/29-30, boys, so the time is practically at hand.

IRCA CONVENTION

No further details have been received here as we go to press. It is from 8/26-29, in Milwaukee. Contact Thomas Stoltmann, 5018 North Hollywood Avenue, Whitefish Bay, Wis. 53217, if you're planning to be there. It seems now as though many NRCers, as well as IRCA members, will be there, and a great time is a cinch, so all who can make it, please do, and you'll meet many a DXer and have loads of fun and gab.

NRC CONVENTION

Please don't think we're giving last billing to our own Convention in Montreal 9/3-5! A separate page is undoubtedly in this issue from our Montreal Men, Andy Rugg and Sam Simmons, who are hosting this year's NRC doings. We know these two Convention-goers will arrange a great Convention for us all, and we urge everybody who has any chance at all of attending, to make those plans right now to be on hand. The more members there, the better time everybody will have, including you! So, get going on those reservations pronto, and be a part of this great weekend of DX frolic & fun.

PROMISES, PROMISES, PROMISES!

A repeat item from last issue? Not quite - only the title! This promise comes to us from member Robert Binau who has just gotten an announcer's job at WCST-1010, in Berkeley Springs, W. Va. Yessir, like Roger Winsor at WNW1, he promises us an NRC DX TEST!

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

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 (Items marked with an * are from the current CDXC bulletin CADEX)

NEW STATIONS

610	Kamloops, Brit. Col.	1,000/500 U-3	1280	Powell River, Brit. Col.	1,000 U-8
730	Leamington, Ontario	250 N-2	1370	Saskatoon, Saskatchewan	10,000 U-2
1090	Englewood, Tennessee	1,000 D-1	1390	Oshawa, Ontario	5,000/D,000 U-3
1130	Gallatin, Tennessee	250 D-1	1490	Shaunavan, Sask.	1,000/ 250 U-1
	Wellington, Kansas	250 D-3	1510*	Vermillion Bay, Ontario	40 U-1
1230*	New Liskeard, Ontario	1,000/250 U-1	1530	Andalusia, Alabama	1,000 D-1
1240*	Osoyoos, British Columbia	1000/250U1			
	* Sable River, Nova Scotia	40 U-1	1230	C--- Powell River, British Col.	
	Levis, Quebec	250 U-1	1240	KOFA Yuma, Arizona	

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NEW CALLS

1220	C H S C	St. Catharines, Ontario	1420	C J V R	Melfort, Saskatchewan
1240	C B A V*	Sable River, Nova Scotia	1510	C B E L*	Vermillion Bay, Ontario

CALL CHANGES

1110	W F C G	Franklinton, La. from WPRH	1250	W T A E	Pittsburgh, Pa. from WRYT
1230	C B D R*	Schefferville, Que. fr CEKL	1570	W H E L	New Albany, Ind. fr. WNUW

FACILITIES

590	C K E Y	Toronto, Ont. to 10,000 U-4, from 10,000/5,000 U-3 (no change days)
600	C F C H	North Bay, Ont. to 10,000/5,000 U-4, from 10,000/5,000 U-3.
620	C - - -	Prince George, British Col., to 10,000 U-2.
660	W E S C	Greenville, S.C. to 10,000 D-1, from 10,000 D-3.
710	C J S P	Leamington, Ont. to 10,000 D-3, from 1,000 D-3. Will soon operate on 730k at night w/250 watts, directional also, probably different calls.
810	W Q I Z	St. George, S.C. to 5,000 D-1, from 1300k, 500 D-1.
870	W K A R	East Lansing, Mich. to 10,000 D-3, from 5,000 D-1.
900	C K T S	Sherbrooke, Que. to 1,000 U-3, from 1,000 U-2. Delete 10,000/ 25000 4. 2,500
920	W O K Y	Milwaukee, Wis., 5,000 U-4. Changes in nighttime pattern.
990	*C B U S	100 Mile House, Brit. Col., from 1110k. 40w.
1020	W P E O	Peoria, Ill., to 10,000 D-3, from 1,000 D-1.
1030	K C T A	Corpus Christi, Texas, 50,000 D-1. New (taller) antenna (350', fr250')
1100	W L B B	Carrollton, Ga. to 1,000 D-1, from 250 D-1.
1110	*C B X D	Edson, Alta., from 1340k. 40w.
1170	*C B R H	Hazleton, Brit. Col., to 40w., from 1110k, 20w.
	*C B R V	Vanderhoof, Brit. Col. to 40w., from 1110k, 20w.
1220	C H S C	St. Catharines, Ontario. Power will be 1,000/500 U-3.
1230	W O D I	Brookneal, Va., 1,000/250 U-1. Taller antenna (200', from 96').
1310	K I O T	Barstow, Cal. to 5,000 D-3, from 500 D-1, move XR ENE.
	W G H	Newport News, Va. New night site, NW of old night site, and NW of day site. 5,000 U-4.
1320	W I L S	Lansing, Mich., 5,000/1,000 U-4. Changes in night pattern.
1340	K T O W	Sand Springs, Okla. to 500/250 U-1, from 250 U-1.
	*C B U R	Houston, Brit. Col., from 1110k, and to 40w. from 20w.
1360	K L Y R	Clarksville, Ark., 500 D-1. Move XR WNW.
1460	W D Y X	Buford, Ga. to 5,000 D-1; move XR NW; shorter antenna (120' fr. 180').
1410	*C F U N	Vancouver, Brit. Col. to 50,000 U-4, from 10,000 U-4.
1470	W T T R	Westminster, Md., 1,000 D-1. Taller antenna, 360' fr. 200'.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

790	K F G O	Ex-KXGO	NRC	1250	W T A E	Ex-WRYT	NRC
800	W R K V	Rockville, Conn.	NRC	1270	K B L C	Lakeport, California	NRC
930	W P A T	New night pattern	NRC	1300	K V E T	Now 5,000/1,000 U-4	FCC
940	W I D G	St. Ignace, Mich.	FCC	1340	K R B A	Now 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
1070	K N N N	Friona, Texas	FCC	1400	W J Q S	Ditto :1460 :WPRW :	FCC
1080	W K B Y	Chatham, Virginia	FCC		W G O N	Ditto :Now 5,000U-4:	FCC
	K W J J	Now 50,000/10,000 U-3	FCC	1410	W D S K	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC
1090	W C R A	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC	1400-1440??	WVMG	Ex-WVOH	NRC
1170	K P U G	Now 5,000/1,000 U-4	FCC	1400	K V O E	New Antenna	FCC
1220	K Z Y M	Cape Girardeau, Mo.	NRC	1450	K E Y E	Now 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
1230	W O N N	New XR site	FCC		W D L B	New XR site	FCC
1490	W ????	Middlebury, Vermont	NRC	1600	W O K B	Now 5,000 D-3, new site	FCC

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MUSINGS

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Roy H. Millar - Box 6 - Marysville, Washington - 98270

Hello! Letter from CBC-Vancouver indicates my 1340 LPRT logged 5/16 was not CBDG, Cassiar, BC, as I indicated in my last Musing, but rather either CBUF, Ocean Falls, BC, or CBUR, Houston, BC, w/the former the closer. There has been quite a shift in BC LPRTs from the list of 10/9/65 DX NEWS per CBC Times, Vancouver, 6/11/66 edition. All those listed on 1110 have moved, as follows: CBRH to 1170; CBRV to 1170; CBUF to 1340, CBUR to 1340, CBUS to 990; CBUW to 1170. CBDA is not shown in the Vancouver list, but last DX NEWS reports it moved to 1240. Also I suspect Albertan CBXD either moved or is off the air. Other changes noted are: CEXE from 730 to 1240; CBUQ from 740 to 860; CBUC from 740 to 860; and a new one, CBRU, Squamish, BC, 1350. I'm sure this is the 1350 CBC heard last Winter which I assumed was CJDC in Dawson Creek relaying Vancouver on the "After Hours" program! No DXing since last report, but following veries in: CKCR-1340 (#47 on 1340, including ECers WWPG & WROD in Fla. & WJMA in Va.), JOOG-660. I guess that is it for this time. 73.

Robert Feulner - Lake McDonald Lodge - Glacier National Park, Montana

Greetings DXers. I am now working in Glacier National Park, & will be here until the middle of September. I wish I had brought my Zenith instead of my transistor RX, as DX is really wide open. Within a 100 mile radius there are less than a dozen stations. We have only one local, KOFI in Kalispell (KGEZ-600 never makes it in w/a strong signal.) I am surrounded by mountains which can really make havoc w/DX. Many stations, such as KOJL-610, KMON-560 & CBK-540 can be heard throughout the day on the E side of the park, but cannot be heard at all at my location on the W side. Here at Lake McDonald, only a handful of stations can be heard during daylight: CHQR CFAC CBR CFON & CKXL from Calgary; CJOC & CHEC Lethbridge; CHAT Medicine Hat; KOFI & KGEZ; KSEN Shelby; & finally, KGA Spokane. At night however, many Wash. Ore. BC & Idaho stations can be heard along w/more from Montana. At night I have also heard WCAU & WBZ. It seems funny to listen to the midnight news on the eastern stations when it is only 9pm out here. The graveyard channels are really wide open, w/KLCB Libby, Mont. being the only one less than 100 miles away. This is one area that could use one of those ultra-power BCB stations they have been talking about. At night, very few stations come in w/dependably strong signals. I understand that KOFI is planning to move to 1180k w/10,000w., so perhaps this will improve the situation. My next day off, I plan on hitch-hiking to Kalispell to get more definite info from KOFI. I accidentally grounded the variable capacitor of my antenna tuner yesterday, & it no longer works. I heard a loud snap & saw a puff of smoke, but I am still not sure what happened. I will have to write home for my other tuner I guess. I have yet to notice any static as the WX up here has been quite cool. In fact, during the first week of June, we had a severe snowstorm, & were without heat & electricity for five days. Ernie, you would have a great time up here as just about every station plays c/w mx. Roger Winsor, best of luck to you on your job w/WNWI. Let us know your sked so we can tune you in. When going through Fargo, ND, I noticed KXGO-790 has now changed to KFGO. 33s & good DX.

Bob Zwier - 383 West 17 Street - Holland, Michigan

Hi gang. Here I am again trying to keep the Summer issues alive. I am sure that we could get more than the regular reporters reprting this Summer. The students have some time now to do a little DX & might have something else to discuss. I got up only two mornings since the last DX NEWS & I got seven new stations. Here is what I got: 6/11- WRIT-1340 @ 4:11am, WLCY-1380 @ 4:30, WJIM-1240 @ 4:47, & WCGO-1600 @ 5:13am. Then on 5/20- WKJK-1580 (14th on the frequency) w/a test @ 12:50am, WHHY-1440 s/off @ 1am, & KFYR-550 s/off @ 1:11 to return @ 4:44. Strange times. Also one question: What station s/off w/SSB on 1460k @ 1am to return @ 5:30? This was on 5/20. Also some veries back. V/c from CHUM CKCK KEG & WNOE. And one v/1, from CKDA. Instead of putting the date I heard them on the verie, they put the date they received the letter. Is this still a good verie? (Sure -ERC) I have been thinking about attaching my longwire to the TV antenna. Does any of you have any info on this? I would appreciate hearing from you. We will be going up to Traverse City for the big holiday of the Fourth so I hope to get some needed rest. If I have time, I will also visit some radio stations up there. Maybe I can set up a TEST for those of you who would like it. Does WDXR verie? I sent them a f/up a month ago, & I haven't received anything yet. I think I'll go check for TV skip now, so 73s to everyone & keep that DX coming to DX NEWS.

THAT CALL, Y'ALL? IT'S MONTREAL THIS FALL - SEPT. 3-4-5! WILL WE SEE YOU THERE?

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William Stone - Apt. 511 - 2265 Victoria Park Avenue - Scarborough, Ontario

For youse guys who have wondered where I have been the last two seasons, strict orders from Docs - LAY OFF - I followed it to the letter, even gave my black beauty away. It will be replaced in August when I get over to Ralphie's & pick up the DAK-3. Attention Wayne, Jim, I will be out of the country till 7/16 - finally going to see the Mendota Kid, we've been writing since 1948, When he was at Convention, I wasn't. When I was, he wasn't. So it goes. I hope to see a lot of those familiar faces in pea soup HQ come Labour Day. The Accountant, Peeg Farmer & Repairman long ago made plans to attend. Andy, you'd better get lots of MILK in for Sammy. I & Mrs. have memories of Buffalo, haha. Montreal Sam that is. DX being done on wife's 1934 Mantel radio. First thing I did to it, when I bought it for her was tap phones into it, in 1966, I use 'em, si. I still wake up @ 4am, will take some time to change after 30 years of it. 6/6- 1380/1390, you got me, guy's talking SS, he's giving ID as XEXO. Next night he says CMBX, how come? 6/10- 1:02-1:17am EST, WAWK gives MC ID. 6/12- CKGM & CBV covering London like a tent 3:52. WLCM-1360 testing 3:49-4am. 6/13- 12:35am, WHIC Holland, Mica. testing w/someone in Iowa. Wnoa- 6/6, CFDA-1380 ER till s/off @ 1:05 am EST. 1:33-1:46, WJCO-1510 w/f/c-TT. WTRR-1470 booming in w/RS @ 5am. Rest of month, CX poor. Static, hear static painful on ears, didn't stay long. 7/1- 3am, some station testing u/WKBW-1520 1:45am on, TT, didn't get ID. I noticed f/cs on three stations. That's it. I take the 11:15 tonight for Peoria, Ill. Bye bye. (Welcome back to DX NEWS, Bill - no letters written here in a while - too hot! -ERC)

Michael A. Silvera - 5 Grosvenor Heights - Kingston 8, Jamaica

It seems a long time since I have been in this section partly due to P.O. strike & Laziness, hi! DX here recently has not been good as the CX are real bad, so not finding myself doing as much listening as usual. Glad to see some members getting JBC veries Encouraging to know all my efforts were not in vain. (They didn't verie my report for January, Mike - help, please? -ERC) Going back quite a while, here'z my US DX: 2/28- WMBD-1470 atop XESM @ 3:06am & WTUP-1490 Tupelo, Miss. w/ID & rr @ 4am. 3/6- KBGO-1580 along w/another EE speaker @ 2:05am. 3/10- WDXR-1560 Paducah, Ky. @ 11:57pm w/rr. 3/20- WJBD-1150 Baton Rouge @ 10:02pm good w/NX. 3/26- KGBS-1020 very weak u/KDKA. 3/28- I noted a TT on 1590, ID sounded like WBJA?? Time, 1-1:15am. Sounded like owner's name was James Bros. Corp. of NY? (WGGO has r/c at that time -ERC) WRYT-1250 w/documentary @ 1:48am. 4/4- ET/m from WBIX-1010 Jacksonville Beach Fla. @ 2:25. This is your tester, ERC. KNBR-680 w/fair signal @ 2:47am, pop mx. 4/8- WVCF-1480 ex-WXIV @ 6pm for call change. Anybody know who carries Braves BB on 1390k? Noted here a few times but no ID. Only veries here are from KNBR, R. Montserrat, Luxembourg & WFBL. Only 20 reports out since 1/31 & none since 1/29. I recently received my monthly program sked from HJKX-1370 R. Mundial. They printed recent reports to them from Larry Godwin, Stewart Drake & Ben Dangerfield. They got a report from Sweden, pretty good for a 1k2. station. SC collectors, I have a nice SC from R. Santiago in Dominican Republic. I will send it to first person to write. Sorry, only one. Radio y Televisi-ora Dominicana, ex. R. Santo Domingo 860-1272-1320-1400-1370 now run NSP w/"cultural" programs. Also seems ALL Cubans are carrying La Voz de Cuba AN now that "The Beard" has them on "alert." Well, thanks to all, all for now. 73.

Dennis P. Waters - 1524 Hunter Lane - Clearwater, Florida - 33516

Hi. Veries have been kinda slow lately but here goes: v/c- WOKJ WRDW. v/f- KLVI plus verie from WVMG on WVOH card w/WVOH info scratched out & substituted w/WVMG info. I hereby claim to be the first NRCer to verify them. A few that haven't veried w/reports out several months: WDAK KTSa WESC KREL WRBL TGJ WRWJ XERF. Current totals: 242/65, states 30/28, countries 12/3. Reports out to WMTM WREC WRGM WSMB WQAM R. Jamaica KLOU. Recent DX: 6/1- YSS-655 @ 9:05. 6/4- WJAT-800 Ga. s/off 7:45 u/PJB, WORA-760 PR & 7:50 o/CMCD. 6/6- WDBF-1420 Fla. s/off midnight, WRGM-1540 Va. ET/M 12:27-12:33, WVMG-1400 Ga. ET/M 12:34-12:44, CMF-590 TT @ 2:15. 6/12- R. Jamaica-770 @ 7:33. A couple unIDs on 6/13, on 1010, mx @ 12:31-12:56 followed by s/off-SS @ 12:58, mentioning Guatemala; s/off-1590 @ 1:09 w/America the Beautiful followed by a Warner Bros type "That's all, folks." Alma hit locally pretty hard, but no damage to my antenna. I was hoping to log many new stations w/so many Cubans off, but the power failed. The following local & semilocal stations, usually daytime were AN for WX warnings: WAYR-550 WMOP-900 WPLA-910 WINQ-1010 WGUL-1500. But please don't wish any more Hurricanes on me must to log new stations. Photo enclosed for ERC. 73s & CWIAP. (?? -ERC)
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John W. Hoogerheide - 15 Rustic Place - Eugene, Oregon

Six thousand miles later, we arrived safely home from a wonderful SW vacation. I especially enjoyed El Paso, Albuquerque & Santa Fe. Bill Nittler, I enjoyed your comment about your Jaycee Convention in Durango, Col. We passed right through Durango while Convention was going on. It was noonish, or we would probably have stoppeed, since I met a few Colorado JCs when I was in Buffalo, NY last year at our National Convention. Now to DX. My SX-100 is finally back from the shop. Harmonics of Eugene stations on almost every frequency now. Only new DX was LPRT on 860 - presumably CBUP Merritt, BC announcing as CBU relay to the Yukon. This on 6/9 on AN program. How can you tell who you are listening to - they don't ID the station? I taped 1050 tonight 6/12. I was surprised to hear CFGP at unbelievable strength, just like a local until 7am fadeout. While driving home from vacation I DXed twilight & noted TWR Bonaire w/a local-like signal in Eastern Oregon. XELO had much QRM. Also I caught VOA-1180 Marathon at twilight, so I guess DX isn't dadd in that area. She certainly is poor in Eugene, however, this Summer. I would certainly appreciate hearing from someone - ANYONE - on a loop antenna. I used IRCA plans & built one, two-foot arms, 25 coils, hooked to a 360 micro-farad condensor. It just does notning. There is no directional effect whatever with it. I'd like to hear from anyone who has put one up that I can carry on correspondence with to learn what I did wrong. 73s.

George Greene - 1527 Sunser Avenue - Akron, Ohio - 44301

Hi all! Well, here goes w/another of my "quarterly" reports. Not too many new ones heard lately (this month), but I will list the most recent stuff: 2/21- WBWT-1050; WIMS-1420 on 3/11 w/WHK. 4/2- WLBR-1270; WBEN-930 on 4/5 instead of usual WKY around lam. 4/16- WINW-1520 first heard on RS, & of course, each day since then. 5/7- WDUZ-1400; WAQI-1600 was gotten on 5/26, only my third station on 1600 heard, others being CJRN & WAAM (verified), w/nothing ever on 1580 due to WAKR-1590 being NSP & located only one mile from my house. Lastly, 6/3, WILE-1270. No new veries since last time or new reports sent. WINW-1520 is now a regular here along w/WKNT. Usually WKNT is dominant here, but about one mile E or S of here WINW is stronger. WINW is rr all the time, w/WKNT rr after 5pm. WILE-1270 was heard one afternoon, along w/unn WXYZ, while WIXY-1260 was temporarily on their nighttime pattern. When they accidentally switched to their nighttime signal that day, they no longer "wrecked" 1270 like they usually do & both WXYZ & WILE could be heard. Yes, I will be attending the Montreal Convention in September. I will be driving to Montreal via NYC & will be taking Frank Merrill Jr. & Dave Nager also. I have traders from WCFL WDAS WKRW & many other SCs. SCers, please write for complete list. I guess that's about it from here. 73.

John N. Sampson - 90 Pearl Street - New Providence, New Jersey - 07977

Greetings again. Limited DX includes WTSA-1450 at 1:30am on 5/8 & WIRV on f/c at 4:30 on 5/9. Only verie of any consequence is a nice definite one from 2NA-1510 for the first DU from the EC for me. Also I heard a wierdy on the weekend of 4/30. A current carrier station was running on a marathon program all eekened announcing as "This is the bright, exciting sound of college radio, W---595 on your campus dial." Only catch was that they were operating on about 541 or 542k causing quite a het w/WBIC. The call sounded like WELV, at times & WEOV at other times. If anyone has info on this one, I'd certainly appreciate it. Other news is that we are leaving the NY area to move to San Francisco some time during the Summer. So it looks like a busy Summer. I'm in the process of cleaning up unverified locals now & would appreciate up-to-date info on v/s for WHP-680 WEMD-750 WIOO-1000 WGPA-1100 WBNX-1380 & WTHE-1520. I paid a visit to WFIF-1500 about a month ago, but no one of importance was there, so no luck in getting that holdout verified. Such is life, I guess. I should be located in California by time of next report (next Fall, hi). 73. (Good luck, John! -erc)

Ken Butterfield - 624 Arthur Street - Plymouth, Michigan - 48170

A lot of DX to report w/two veries that will startle you. Here's the DX: 6/3- WCHR-1480, 7:57pm s/off. WMRI-860 8pm s/off. HJGY-1365, 8:22pm. YVQV-1170, 3:27pm. YVMP-900 8:45pm. YVRT-1050, 9pm. 6/4- WMIX-940, 8:30 s/off. TIOS-825, 9:27pm. 6/5- WPAD-1450, 5:05am. WJJM-1490, 5:08am. 6/6- WILQ-1570, 8:15pm s/off. CMBL-860, 11:37pm. 6/7- WSNJ-1240, 12:18am r/c. TIU-675, 12:31am. CMCH-790, 12:52am. KWRT-860, 1:46am r/c. KPBM-740, 2:01 r/c. CMHW-840, 2:13am. CMHQ-630 2:43am. WNJH-1580, 4:30 s/on w/SSB. WCON-1450, 4:45am. WHTC-1450, 4:50am. WAQI-1600, 5:58 s/on. WAZY-1410, 5:59 s/on. WEEF-1430, 6am s/on. WZIP-1050, 6:01 s/on. 6/11- WCNE-1580, 8:15pm s/off. Here's the veries. v/q- KEEL, WKJE-XERK. v/l- WTIL WRAI KXOL WKVM KADL CKLB. (P.6)

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(Ken Butterfield) And here are the two goodies; a v/l from CMCU-660, and a beautiful QSL from Egypt-818 w/three dancers (woo-woo) on it. Totals, 1,372/1,103. Countries: 80/64. Ernie, when is the last time anyone verified CMCU & Egypt-818? (Quite a while I reckon -ERC) I've sent a rash of Cuban reports, & about 70-80 f/ups. I try to get one to each station, at least once every two weeks. Still slow coming in, though. 6/3 was a great day for SA stuff. At 8:15pm, I had S-9-plus skgnals from 995-1025-855-1475 1315 &dyothers. Well, 73.

Jim Courtney - 3719 Skyline Drive - Knoxville, Tennessee - 37914

It's been a long time since I was in these pages but my DX has picked up some & DX so far this Summer has been good. 3/26- WENN-1320 6:43pm; WMBR-1460 7:02pm Jacksonville, Fla. on RS. 4/3- WKOA-1480 1:30am on ET way o/WRDW which usually dominates 1480 around here. 5/7- WLIJ-1580 7:45pm s/off. This is one of the Arthur Wilkerson stations. He owns WLIJ WLIK WLIL. First time WLIJ was heard here even though most DXers out of state have this one. 6/5- WVMG-1400 12:55am on ET asking for reports. Gave address as Box 226, Cochran, Ga. I sent report but no answer so far! Did anyone else report this one? WAJR-1440 1:02am EST on ET from Morgantown, WVa. Evidently using their 400w of night power for this one. 6/5- WHHY-1440 1:45am Montgomery, Ala. RS w/rr o/the ET of WAJR. 3/11- WATV-900 8pm EST s/off. WDOO-1310 8:25pm from Chattanooga, Tenn. on RS w/c/w. Ernie, I hope you have heard this good all-c/w station. (Verified in 1933, hi -ERC) 3/14- WLFA-1590 8pm s/off from Lafayette, La., IDs as 1590 Sound Track & is owned by Radio Dixie, Inc. 6/20- WRFS-1050 8pm s/off, had dual FM station. 6/24- WFIA-900 8pm w/RS to 8:15, I think. Too much interference to stick to them until s/off. I sent taped report to WFMW-730 for five minutes before s/off & v/l back in three days. This one was previously logged but not verified. WIVK is plugging their 850k 50,000w station but so far no sign of construction at the announced site. They say they will be on next month. WIIN-970 noted w/PoP on 6/19 @ 12:10am. WROL-1490 here in Knoxville off the air from approximately 10-11pm o/23. 149p sure was a mess. No luck logging any DX then. Well, see you next issue, I hope.

Fred Nordquist - 2001 North Mingo Road - Box 133 - Tulsa, Oklahoma - 74116

Here is a short Musing to let everybody know that I'm still around. DX has been nilch for the last two months. NE Oklahoma averages 65 thunderstorms a year, & most of them occur in May, hi. Here's the meager story: 4/20- WKBH-1410 9:12pm. KRYS-1360 9:50pm, WBAY-1360 10pm. 4/23- KTOE-1420 1:16am, CBE-1550 L&C 1:26am, KLRA-1010 s/off 2am. 5/5- ?-1130 Detroit-Montreal hockey game 8:45pm. WCAR? 5/8- 1:12am, KLZ-560 s/off, KQEO-920 rr 1:16am, CBK CBM CBW CBE CBC 1:20am w/Tijuana Brass "Going Places" LP - my favorite. 5/20- Much storm QRM. WOKJ-1550 10:08pm L&C - ugh. Between 5/21-6/12, only TV DX activities done. I invite correspondence from anyone who's interested in this phase of DX. Veries: WKBH v/l & CHUM v/c. Totals now stand at 456/120 for 1 1/2 years of Tulsa DXing. We'll be heading back to NY for my vacation in July to visit friends & relatives in Rochester. My next Musing probably will be in August. 73 & good DXing.

Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014

Hi there! This hot WX has really been putting the skids to me! I've been sweating so much I thought I was melting! Since my last report, I've done a couple of things. Joe Fela & I took a 2 1/2 day trip out to Kittanning to meet Tim Davisson - RHC. Tim helped RHC get out the bulletins so Joe & I got ours at the hotel rooms. Real pleasant chit-chat w/RHC & Tim & I took off to see Joe at WDAD. All this on Saturday. On Sunday, Joe Tim & I took a little trip to WHOT which lasted 7 1/2 hours, hi. Jerry Starr & Wes Boyd are some kind of nuts out there, hi guys! Anyway, we had a grand tour of the day site & the night site where the Big Al Knight Show comes from. Hey Wes, who do you ~~talk~~ to when you do the Al Knight Show, hi. On Monday we had a friendly chat w/Bob Binau. Real nice time. As to DX, barely any as I haven't been in the mood, hi. What I have done anyway: CHIN-1540 on 6/10 @ 4:55am & WLAD-800 @ 5:15am. 6/12- WWC0-1240 @ 5:04am, WINX-1600 @ 4:15, WWRL was OFF! 6/17- WSVS-800 @ 5am s/on, WCBG-1590 @ 4:45am. 6/20- After getting back, WRYT-1250 @ 8pm after finding out they might change calls, & on 6/27, they did, hi. WTAE-250 ex-WRYT @ 11:15pm, & WRAK-1400 @ 12:17am f/c-TT. New veries: WMLC-1510 v/c, WALK-1370 WSHP-1480 WYGO-1330 CHIN-1540 v/l; WVOC-1500 v/w (after f/up) WSPD-1370 WDVA-1250 v/qs, WKMC-1370 & WAVA-780 v/f after f/up, WHEE-1370 v/c. Total: 337 in 42 states. The VJ Log corrections (done & typed by me) will probably be in this issue. WDP-FM is now WMRR. Still nothing of WJIC-1510, due any time now. In the meantime, good sweating, good static, & all that rot!

WE'LL FILL THE PAPERS WITH CANADIAN CAPERS! IN MONTREAL, SEPTEMBER 3-4-5! BE THERE!

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Bruce Reynolds - Route 2 - Warrensburg, Missouri - 64093

Hi everyone. I wish the DX was as hot as the WX. I really can't kick, though, as the reason my DX Log isn't growing much is mainly my own laziness. 6/7- A real surprise as WIXK-1590 came through the mess for a while around 8:30pm. 6/23- WGGH-1150 @ 5:45am. 6/29- WRAJ-1440 @ 5:02am w/s/on announcement & WIOK-1440 @ 5:18am. Early AM good for Illinois here now. Of the 14 new stations heard since 5/1, eight have been in Ill. Veries: A v/f from KPIK for a report so old I didn't even have record of the date sent. I know it's been well o/a year. V/l's from KRKO (a one-liner after about four months) WCBL WCIL WIXK & WGGH. Totals: 670/208, states 42/41 (still hoping for WSLT to make it 100%, hi), provinces 7/6 & countries 8/5. A little surprised that you can get KCMO groundwave this time of year, Roger Winsor. However, I have heard WOWO here at midday during the Winter. SCers, I have a fairly good supply of WHB & KOKO SCs & I will send you a copy of each for an SASE. Well, I hope to see some of you in Kansas City. 73s & as they say in Lancaster, SC, "WLCM." "We Love Country Music."

Rick Evans - Box 718 - Gary, Indiana - 46401

I hope to be able to send in some more money this weekend, so that I may read the following words, hi. Actually, I can't complain too much about working the early mornings. I take my SONY AM/FM out w me & if things get quiet, I start DXing. If it isn't quiet, then I listen to WIND-560. DX: 5/16- WTAR-790 1:25am; CFRB-1010 1am. 5/16- WNWI-1080 8pm s/off. WSBC-1240 10:40pm. 5/21- WIFE-1310 4:45am; WSLR-1350 5:07am. 5/27- KOA-850 12:54am; WELQ-580 2am, WRTH-590 2:58; KSJB-600 3am. 5/28- KMPL-1520 9:30pm. 5/31- CKRC-12:17am; CMHQ-640 12:18; CMGA-720 2am; WKLO-1080 3:10; WBT-1110 3:05; KSL-1160 3:33; WIRL-1290 3:41; WRAD-1460 4am s/on; WJPR-1330 4:58am s/on, KFH-1330 5am. 6/1- WKAZ-950 4:41a. 6/23- WIBA-1310 6:30am. 6/24- WILL-580 7:50am; WCLR-850 8:05; WFOK-860 8:08am. 6/25- WADO-1280 3am; KOIL-1290 3:05; KWK-1380 3:40; WMT-600 5:30; WLIP-1050 6:10am. 7/2- WIEW-580 1am; WDAF-610 1:05, WNBC-660 1:08 w/good program that got slopped out @ 1:15. DX seems to be picking up here as I am beginning to get rid of the noise, & getting used to the new locals around here. Ernie, what kind of mx is c/w? (country/western -ERC) My Dad & I have tossed the question around several times. It was nice to see Frank Merrill Jr. again 6/18-19 up in Milan, & then over to Holland, Mich. on 7/4 to see Larry Colton (IRCA) & Bob Zwier. Who is in charge of NRC CPC? (Alan Merriman -ERC) I am glad to see some city has banned shorts downtown. Totals here; 113/2 (WKAN & WMT, both v/1), states 27/2. I hope for more next month. 73 & good DX & nc. (? -ERC)

Bob Shaw - 234 Columbus Street - Elyria, Ohio - 44035

Hi again. QRN the Order of the Day, but a little DX to offer spiced w/veries for HELP. 5/29- WJRZ-970 in a mess 2:09am; someone-960 w/NX till 2:10, then NX analysis of Romania - ideas? (Sounds like VOA via ZFBI -ERC) 5/30- WMAJ-1450 1:07am s/off; KZYM-1220 ET w/"Distant Drums" 2:10-2:15. 6/5- WHAT-1340 12:29am; 12-12:10 TT-1450, then 20 minutes of rr oldies - "Duke of Earl" sounded like WNER? WINN-1240 2:07. 2:20 WVON-1450, thanks, ERC. 11:40pm, CFDA-1380. 6/8- WFBR-1300 8:50pm. 6/9- WABJ-1490 12:03am s/off. WJER-1450 12:14, RS? ET-1580 concluded 1:30 w/fiddle mx? 6/10- WTRN-1340 midnight, 12:33 CKKW-1320, CJSO-1320 12:35; 1:15 WAWK-1570 r/c CW ID; 1:30 WOL-1450. 6/11- WAZL-1490 12:07am, 12:15 WFST-600 r/c-TT for state #39, & #10-300. 12:51, WUBE-1230. 6/12- WHRN-1440 f/c-TT 11:31pm (actually 6/11). WCLI-1450 f/c-TT 1:19am. 6/13- WJPF-1340 2am u/constant TTer w/few IDs, whodat? Sounds like WCNI. CKLE-1570 off a while before 2am, & 1560-70 ad to "Send \$5 to -ERS, ---, Texas." This was for rr records. What & who? (Our old friend XERF, no? -ERC) 6/15- WOMP-1290 7:30pm, WSTV-1340 7:40. 6/17- WTRU-1600 8:13pm, WCNB-1580 8:15, WMQA-1490 8:21, WGKV-1490 8:22, WVAL-1430 9pm. WICU-1330 9:28. 6/27- WUNI-1410 12:39am. 7/1- WHLL-1600 7:30pm. WSMO-1560 TT 11:24pm S-5. 7/2- CHNO-900 12:25am. 7/3- WOC-1420 12:20am, WHEI/ off a while for repairs. WHHY-1440 2:01am s/off, WRDW-1480 2:14. 7/4- WZKY-1580 TT 12:40am. WJJJ-1260 4:02 s/on, WLBR-1270 4:02 s/on, WMLP-1380 4:10, WLEE-1480 4:17. Who are the White Six BB stations 1300 1380, 1480? Dennis Waters, Rick Shaw is WHK's ANer. Pat & Jim, I hope to have written you by the time you get this. I put up a new longwire 6/1 V formation, 30' each arm pointing SW. It really perks up reception that way. Also I can listen to WTOD-1560 w/a decent signal now. Finally, I'd like to put up a loop but I understand wishin' & a-hopin' won't do it, you gotta know what to do. So if anyone has plans or suggestions, I'd appreciate hearing from you & I'll pay for your portraits of Washington. A hasty thanks to RHC for getting me the bulletin at camp. 73. PS- v/f- KZYM test.

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Frank Merrill Jr. - 10693 Saline-Milan Road - Milan, Michigan - 48160

To muse or not to muse, that's the question. I thought it over & decided that I was somewhat overdue for another Musings, so I again rise from the dead, hi. DX here has been as follows: 3/19- WFAA-570 2:38, WKAC-1080 6:55pm, KDRY-1110 7:30pm. 3/21- WFIF-1500 NRC 1:32. 3/24- WCOG-1320 11:30pm on a transistor pocket radio, using a drainage pipe for an antenna, at school. 3/26- KRRV-910 12:55, WLCS-910 1:51, KDDA-1560 ET 2:34, WINQ-1010 s/off 6:46pm. 3/27- WFLW-1360 ANNUAL PoP, end 2:40am. 4/1- WTCA-1050 7:23pm, before WHN faded in. 4/2- WFKY-1580 s/off 1:06, WMNT-1520 6:19pm. 4/3- WEEW-1320 s/on 5am, KTLW-920 5:24, WTAQ-1300 s/on 6am, CM---1220 s/on 6am (now they're a common, everyday catch), WKXV-900 6:25, WWBC-1510 6:51 for ~~thatxxxx~~ a nice surprise, WFAX-1220 s/on 6:54, & WFOX-860 7:15, w/sunrise that morning at 6:23! 4/4- KCUB-1290 3am, WTND-920 5am w/tne 3/24 method! 4/9- WBMC-960 weak 1:35. 5/1- WNWU-1080 7:45am. 5/2- WJER-1450 s/off 12:10, KRGV-1290 ANNUAL PoP 2:57, WKNE-1290 s/on 4:01. 5/3- WTTO-1520 ET/OC 7:30pm. 5/4- KMPL-1520 11:29pm s/off. 5/30- WTNT-1270 ET 12:22am, KZYM-1220 ET/M 1:13, KSOK-1280 ET/M w/100 watts 1:33, KTBC-590 s/off 1:58, CMFA-1000 2:28, CMDC-770 2:38. 6/5- WJMO-1490 5:16. Veries have arrived from WHSL KNOW WFYC WHKP KWEL KDRY KSLO WETH (a real sinner) KRRV WFTR (from 3/15 tentative) WMID KDDA WIOX WLCS WKAP WTCA 3AM2-1466 WTAX WSAF WHOD WOPI WFLW KRGV WTAQ KMPL WTNT KTBC KSOK KZYM WDSU for 742 verified now. Question: Richard Daniel, your WJIJ-1260 is probably WJJJ, ex-WBCR. Wayne Plunkett, your Steve Canyon Show on 1250, rr, is very possibly WMA. Norm Shacat, I really like your idea for "Shacat Time" in the 5/7 issue - how about it, Ernie? Bob Zwier (5/21), your SS s/off 1580 at 3am is probably XEDM. Jim Courtney & many others, you owe me letters - you know who you are, hi. TV has been great this year, possibly our new rotary antenna for UHF/VHF helps, hi. I've already gotten around 25-30 new TV catches this year, including numerous 350 miles & over trop catches, including a possible CBOFT-9 Ottawa. How have you been doing, Wayne Plunkett? I have 46 UHFs now & o/120 VHF. Also 228 FM loggings. SCes to 738, newspapers to 801. Well, that about takes care of it for now & I hope everyone continues having great DX this Summer. /5329s to all.

Ron Hays - Route 3 - Versailles, Kentucky - 40383

Since I'm one of the newest members of the NRC I better introduce myself. I'm 14 years old & will be a freshman in the Fall. At this time using two RXes, one being a Hallcrafters S-120 w/a 90' hunk of wire on it, & the other a Esstinghouse ten transistor AM/FM portable. I've been DXing for seven months & totals: 158/106; states 30/25, provinces 4/2, countries 6/4. Not very good but all I have now. Here are a few of my latest: 6/27- WKBN-570 1:04am. WMBD-1470 1:25. KFI-640 1:41 (first Calif.) 6/30- WRR-1310 4am. WERE-1300 4:03. 7/2- CBE-15 50 3:01am. UnID Cuban-860, which station is it? Mostly talking about Castro, 3:14am. WMT-600 3:29am. CBK-540 3:33. 7/4- UnID, after s/off of local WNVL I heard a station requesting reception reports, on their new XR, 1250k, 5,000w. Latest veries include v/q- KRLD CBW WAKR WING WIOB, R. Americas v/1- WMBD WHK (100th verie) CKCY WTAR WCTT CHLO. How can I convince the Post Office that there IS a KXOK in St. Louis? I sent a report to them & just a few days later I received a v/q from KMOX w/date & time same as KXOK report! Finally, three questions to ERC: How much do NRC Report Forms cost? What is an SC? (An SC is a Survey, or a Survey Collector - record survey, that is -ERC) How can I get a country list? (These two questions, Dick can probably help you with, Ron, & welcome to the NRC! ERC. All WLS & WABC fans, write. Till next time, 73s.

Bill Raczek - 3015 Lincolnshire Boulevard East - Toledo, Ohio - 43606

Hi. I'm a new member, so I guess I'll introduce myself. I'm 16, & will be a junior in Whitmer High in the Fall. I have been BCB DXing for about a year & a half. I am a member of the IRCA, & my WPE call is WPE8JBT. My main RX is a Hallicrafters WR-1000, but I also use a GE clock radio & a three band portable. My present totals are station 315/101, states 35/34, provinces 7/7, countries 7/4, Canadians 40/15. Recent veries are WONE-980 WSPD-1370 WKBW-1520 v/qs, & CHOK-1070 v/1 w/info. My best DX includes KFI-640 KNBR-680 CFAC-960 CHNS-960 WHBY-1230, all of which are verified except WHBY. Does anyone know if KBOI is on 670k yet? (No -ERC) Any other NRCers in Toledo? I'd like to hear from you. Well, that about sums it up. 73 & good DXing. (Welcome also to you Bill, & we hope you'll report often, along with all the new members -ERC)

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Curtis D. Engberg - 80 Concord Road - Wayland, Massachusetts - 01778

Just to show how long it is since I've mused, on 4/18 after midnight a Venezuelan, presumably YVOV, was coming in strong on 540k. WKJK-1580 heard ending their f/c @ 1:10am & WDIC-5430 ended theirs @ 1:25. I haven't spent much time at the dials since then, but I made a quick stop at the United Nations on 4/23 & noted an old copy of what looked like it might be a valuable asset to us DXers - a series of nine volumes listing all stations by the International Frequency Registration Board and published by l'Union Internationale des Telecommunications, Geneva. Volume I of the International Frequency List covered ALL stations from 10k to 4995k, in fine print. It included such data as date station went into operation, etc. I debated about buying, but decided not to spend the \$10, until I can find out where to get the latest edition. Anyone familiar w/this one? 5/1, @ 11:15pm, I heard new Coban on 1090k but didn't get the call. 5/27, just before 11pm I noted two strong SS on 720; one gave "R. Rebelde" ID of course, but I never did catch the other ID. 6/24 @ 11:15pm I received loud Colombian, believed to be HJAC. On recent trip to Minneapolis, I noted KFIL-1060 running full sked to 8:45pm s/off during June. 7/2, @ 7:30am I noted new WKXR-1540 fighting w/WPTR. Now I'm going to have to start buying time from my son as he has a better RX than I. He received a well-used NC-125 as a gift recently, & he doesn't care to catch father using it, either! 73.

Norm Shacat - 200 Bainbridge Street - Malden, Massachusetts - 02148

Sob! My parents took away the RX on 5/12, but I got it back on 5/29. Recently I've let off on my DXing quite a bit because of the poor CX. I think going to Revere Beach (Punk's Corner, hi Randy) & chasing girls is more fun than chasing radio stations (but only in the Summer). Now to DX. Reports out to: WENE WFGM WKBW CKAC WPOP WCAP WCCM WHAV WCFL CKOY WSPD WARA WHOM ZBM1 WORL WXTR WSMN WPLM WBEN WMCA WEXT (a 43 minute report) WPTR WIP CKTR & CFNB. WHOM & WORL were both ET. WMCA was in the middle of the afternoon, one of the hardest reports I've ever done. It was 104° in NYC that day. By the way, I hope you had a nice vacation at the Cape, Ernie. (I did, thanks! -ERC)

Veries in are: v/q- WSLR WKEW WPOP WCFL CKOY WSPD. v/l- CJOY WHK WENE CKAC & WCCM, & v/c WWVA & WARA. WHAV signed my report. Recent EX: 5/11- WREB-930. 5/21- WEEB-1300 @ 7:00, thanks to Candy Kane. 5/23- WTXL-1490 @ 11:10. Attention Snelly Remington: 5/29- WDEL-1150 @ 11:10, an unID Cuban-1090 @ 11:15. 5/30- KOB-770 @ 12:15, WNEB-1230 @ 12:30 AN, WOND-1400 @ 1:20, & a TA, BBC-881 @ 1:23. 6/5- An unID Cuban-1220 @ 4:36, not the Mexican. 6/27- WISM-1480 @ 12:30am. I need help on this next one. On 6/27 I heard an ET on 1490 from 12:45-12:54am. They gave their call letters (I missed them) quite a few times. The station is located in Middlebury, Vt. & they said they would start their RS shortly. I wrote to the Middlebury Chamber of Commerce about it & I might write their Post Office too. Anyone with another idea? 6/29- WSPR-1270 @ 11:05. 7/1- WKXR-1540 @ 2pm. 7/4- WBAZ-1550 @ 7:10. 7/5- WKNY-1490 @ 11:03pm. AN. 7/6- CFCF-600 @ 12:05, WCAO-600 @ 12:06, CKTR-1150 @ 12:10, #500 logged, CKEY-590 12:53, WVNJ-620 @ 1:03, KNBR-680 @ 1:10, CHFI-680 @ 1:15, & WSBA-910 @ 1:20. Oope! I forgot one. 7/5- WCTC-1450 @ 11:07p, / Thanks Hank Shirf for the phone call giving me all the info for the WORL TEST. Randy & I will visit WORL soon. Two "who's" for all the owls. Who s/off on 620 @ 1:58 on 7/6? Who is the SS station on 1500 that says it is "Radio Rompay" @ 1:30am? 73 to all.

Robert Binau - 2704 Johnson Drive - Williamsport, Maryland - 21795

Hi all. The big news here is I got my first job in radio as an announcer for WCST AM & FM in Berkeley Springs, W.Va. I am on Sunday from 3-11pm. WCST is also going to TEST for the NRC this Fall. Please send any info on the best time & day to test on 1010. (WINS is silent MMs, Bob -ERC) DX has not been too good here but did get a few new stations! 6/19- WAPO-1150 on top w/RS @ 1:30am. 6/27- WWOD-1390 great signal @ 1:10 am w/f/c, WGBI-910 mixed in w/WSBA @ 1:35am. This is a c/w station. 6/29- CMGA-720 wall o/WGN @ 2:03am, CKDM-730 only station on frequency w/rr @ 2:08am. WCUE-1150 on top @ 3:03 w/NX WX & ad for WCUE-FM. No new QSLs, no new reports out. Anyone interested in SC swapping please write. Best of DXing to all. 73s.

Stan Morss - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

6/4- WKXR-1540 Exeter on RS, 15db o/S-9 here, copied for an easy one. If I make this Convention it'll be on somebody else's beer - at those hotel rates it's for millionaires only. I had a tight budget, now no budget at all. I guess I'll buy three more tons of hay.

LET'S GET ON THE ROAD TO MONTREAL, BOYS. FUN IS IN STORE FOR ALL, YOU MAY BE SURE.

Henry T. Tyndall Jr. Box 111 - Shelburne, Vermont - 05482

Milestones: Veries now 6,618, I believe I reported country #165 last Winter, St. Vincent, finally veried. F/ups & a few weak efforts made the log increase. We enjoyed our first Winter of retirement in Florida & will return next Fall, we hope. The trailer is really a honey & we have never regretted the purchase. We have seen quite a bit of Florida & hope to see more next Winter. Right now, we are improving our new home & have been spreading three large truckloads of top soil on a section of our grounds to improve an uneven lawn. When this is done & grass is growing, we hope to make a trip to Nova Scotia in late July & early August. We'll live in our trailer, of course. DX NEWS followed us through Florida during the Winter & so I was able to keep track of the exploits of the clann No DXing was done, of course, & very few different stations were even heard as we watched TV mostly & only tuned in a local on radio, to get the WX reports. We did drive by many stations whose call was familiar & some of these are so located, you marvel how they reach out so far. The controversy over poor reports & non-verifying is not new. We had inept youngsters joining clubs 35 years ago. In time they either drop out or improve their ways & become top-notch DXers. The attitude of the stations will worsen, in time. Radio is no longer a novelty & a DX report is of no value to the sales. It is a hard-boiled business venture & we must consider it as such. We always had some "toughies" but there are far too many now. We must use tact, patience, & hold our tempers. Shucks, in 1928 I copied WMBA, Newport, RI, & eventually sent them five different reports plus about a dozen f/up letters. In 8/29 I went to Florida on a Harley-Davidson motorcycle on a honeymoon. We came back on Route 1 through Providence & drove 80 miles (round trip) to Newport. I sat outside station for two hours until CE snowed up, then went up to third floor & after station was on, I told him my story. He invited me to type out a verie & he would sign it. He recalled my various efforts & so I finally got a verie, typed by myself. This is only one instance in 42 years. You have to be patient! 73.

Ernest J. Wesolowski - 1416 Pasadena Avenue - Omaha, Nebraska - 68107

Howdy, after five months of silence from this DXer. This year has been my worst w/only 12 reports sent out, & even fewer veries received. My 46th state verified came back from WSLT-1520 Ocean City, NJ for their TEST last Winter. The CE said he verified all reports! I finally reached 900 veries. KNOP-1410 North Platte, Neb. is on the air w/rr, fulltime. It cannot be heard from Omaha. In two weeks I'll be on my vacation to New England & Nova Scotia, plus P.E.I. I will visit the CBC's XRs at Sackville, NB, plus the Earth Station at Andover, Me. I will then fly home from NYC. I have to miss the Kansas City & Montreal Conventions, but I will attend the IRCA's Milwaukee Convention, 8/26. Welcome Walt Breville & Bruce Reynolds to Omaha this August!

Bob Pietsch - 10 Milland Drive, #A1 - Mill Valley, California - 94941

Well, I can hardly wait for the Winter time, the way my Summer DXing has been going lately. That noise has got to go. Only four new ones in last month: 5/30- KRZY-1450 3:36am (Ernie, you would be KRZY about this station, all c/w); KRBC-1470 3:17am briefly. 6/20- KWYZ-1230 3:16am briefly atop the slop. 6/27- KORE-1450 2:35am very strong at s/off. Veries: v/q- CKRM-980 KHOW-630 XEHF-1370 CHUM-1050 KBND-1110. v/1- KJOY-1280 KBLE-1050 (on my report), KRZY-1450. Totals now 607/387. O spent a few days up in Sacramento weekend before last w/Don Kaskey - very good time. Seeing Don's old DX NEWSes & logbook only make me wish I had started DXing sooner, before the present AN situation started. Anyway, many thanks for all the hospitality, Don. Still no call change yet on KEWB-210, dunno what will happen there. 73s.

Ken Butterfield - 624 Arthur Street - Plymouth, Michigan - 48170

Here's latest DX: 6/14- WCVA-1490, 12:17am, r/c. WCNC-1240, 12:47am. WSDR-1240, 1:39 am on r/c. CMHB-780, 1:44, r/c. XEDM-1580, 1:53am. WLOS-1380, 2:20am r/c. CM??-1562, 4:05am, u/hets. 6/19- WVKO-1580, 7am s/on. 6/25- WIPR-940, 8:38pm. 6/26- WFAX-1220, 6am s/on. Veries: v/1- WNJH WJTN WHTG WAZY WILO CKSB WPRP. v/q- Berlin-881, TISS XEHF (mailed in EE from Nogales, Ariz.) WMIX KFAL YVMP & RTF-1277. Totals: 1,428 /1,154. I was at Frank Merrill's home on 6/26 & I noted great TV openings, such as KBTX KMPV KOOK KTBS KARD KCKT CKCK & CKOS. Still no verie from YSAX - why? Does anyone have a '33-'64 or '65 VJ Log? Please send it. I'll pay DOUBLE postage. Please!

WE'VE MENTIONED SEVERAL CONVENTIONS IN 'DX NEWS' OF LATE. BUT AS FAR AS WE OF THE NRC ARE CONCERNED, THE ONE REALLY BIG ONE IS THAT EXTRAVAGANZA COMING UP OVER THE LABOUR DAY WEEKEND IN MONTREAL, SEPTEMBER 3-4-5. LOOK ELSEWHERE IN 'DX NEWS' FOR MORE NEWS OF THIS GREAT EVENT; SOON TO BE UPON US. MAKE YOUR PLANS TO ATTEND NOW!

Bill Caldwell (vacationing near) Falmouth, Massachusetts

Listening here is interesting for two reasons; the scarcity of nearby stations & the location by the ocean. Many NY stations put local-like signals in here throughout the day, & WINS is even included in the radio section of the local paper. The most fantastic daytime reception is that of the Atlantic City graveyarders who all can be heard here, 265 miles away. WFGP-1450 & WLDB-1490 both dominate their channels & WOND-1400 & WMID-1340 cause interference to semi-locals WALE & WNBH. Other daytime reception (on small table model, no external antenna): WBIC-540 WIP-610 WJTO-730 WGY-810 WCME-900 WRYM-840 WRCH-910 WSUB-980 WICH-1310 WJAB-1440 WWRI-1450. LAs come in well. On 7/7 noted HJED-820 @ 8:50pm. Also PJB & many unIDs SS stations noted. Also 7/7, FF o/KYW @ 8:45pm, CJLR? Rhode Islanders, WHIM-1110, WRIB-1220, & WYNG-1590 all belong to the "Country Club". In addition, WJAB-1440, WTNE-1520 & WFIF-1500 c/w can be heard here also. 73s for now & straight ahead.

Gene DeLorenzo - 35 Sylvan Drive - Hyannis, Massachusetts - 02601

Hi! I hope unnn means unneeded 'xuz that's what it means here. (Right? -ERC) Here is my latest DX: 6/3- CMHD-890 midnight. 6/8- WJNO-1230 3:57, WTTR-1470 4:01 s/on, WEZY-1350 4:02. 6/18- HJFF-1210 11:28pm, HJCN-1100 11:30, CMBS-1090 11:50, WKVM-810 11:57 s/off-SSB. 6/20- WNEB-1230 12:30. Unn WMYB f/c-TT @ 1:39. Unn WZOK-1320 11:09. 6/22- WARN-1330 11:02 w/apparent NN. 6/26- Unn WEAM s/off @ 11:01, unn WAVY @ 11:33. 6/28- WTMC-1290 f/c-TT @ 12:15, unn WTMA "Tiger Radio" @ 12:22. 6/30- WEAT-850 @ 11pm w/Red Six-White Sox BB u/WHDH's broadcast of same game. 7/4- Unn HJLQ-1514 @ 1:03. New station on 1250 in Pittsburgh received @ 1:17. Is their call WTAE or WCAE? WNEED-1390 f/c-TT @ 1:35, unn WHHY-1440 @ 1:47. ERC- I hope you enjoyed the Cape's delightful 80° WX. I understand there was quite a heat wave over the rest of the country. 73s & good DX. (I did, Gene, but the heat doesn't bother me - at the beach, hi -ERC)

Stephen McIntire - 2225 Searle Street - Des Moines, Iowa - 50317

Hi all. First off, welcome the NRC Robert Dickson. Bob is a good friend of mine & gets pretty good DX when his RX is working. I hope you can get it fixed, hi. I haven't mused in so long that an intro is in order. I am 17, use a Lafayette HA-230 w/a 50' longwire. Totals 520/157, states 45/41, provinces 6/5, countries 16/7. Recent veries include v/q- WKY WOW WIEG Belize. v/f- WVCF WMT. v/l- KBOX. WMT's still using pre-AN v/fs. Ev Johnson: WFFF verifies, v/s Lester Haddox, P. Norm Shacat: WDXR-1550 veries by v/q but sending a real good report w/return postage is necessary. Mine in '65 covered 40 minutes & gave names & addresses of all sponsors. I recently went to Kansas City & got my third class license. I now hope to get a job at KDMI-FM. Sorry, Bruce Reynolds, but a side trip to Warrensburg couldn't be arranged. DX: 5/2- CHAB-800 1:08am s/off. KFVB-1140 ET asking for reports but no verie from them. 6/28- KAKE-1240 2:59am, KFAM-1450 4:04 beating out WVON. 7/1- KTOP-1490 1:23am. KBON-1490 1:30. 7/2- WSHN-1550 1:14 r/c. WLAQ-1410 1:28. WKPR-1420 1:30 r/c. WLBK-1410 2am. WBRN-1460 2:15 r/c. 7/3- KDHL-920 11:59pm s/off. 7/4- K TSA-550 2:05am AN Special, for 4th. 7/5- KWRF-860 1:45 r/c. XENL-860 1:55. KOLY-1300 3am ending r/c. KOLY r/c is first Tuesday 2-3am NOT first Wed. as listed. We had a power failure at this QTH last 38 hours & 5 minutes. This killed all DX the mornings of 7/6-7 wrecking my then perfect record for July, hi. I hope a recent rash of reports on both BCB & FM brings a few results. I hope some city starts an active campaign for the 1967 Convention or we may take it upon ourselves to make a bid for Des Moines. Some city w/people more experienced in this sort of thing would be better, but remember if all else fails, Des Moines in '67! That's a threat, hi. As Des Moines is the land of Mike Hoyer, it's the Mecca of all you NRC c/w fans. Bow towards th4 WHO XR, hi. Enough of that. 73s & let's see some Convention bids!

Russ Edmunds - 24 Rosslyn Court - Little Silver, New Jersey - 07739

Well, DX hasn't been much since I got back to NJ. Retroactive to NY, f/up veries in from WSLI WPAT. DX: 5/21- CHIN-1540 s/off 7:17pm. CHFIS680 heard on RS @ 7:20. Here at home, latest adds are: 6/21- WLAD-800 u/WKDN 4:04-4:08. 6/29- Relog WYRE-810, 4pm, CHIN-1540 @ 7:30, WPAW-1540 E. Syracuse! s/off 7:45. SCers, I'm still alive. WJRZ WOND WSEN KIKK WMEJ WTUP traders & many more. CM collectors, I'm w/you too. Still hoping to make Montreal. I've done a bit better on FM than AM: WHTG-106.3 WLIB-107.5 WLUP-102.3 WFIL-102/1 what-96.5 wfln-95.7 wgpa-95.1 wifl-92.5 watr-92.5 aoc on 7/7. Good line to Philly, I guess. Best FM to date WRBS-95.1 Baltimore & WTOP 96.3. Total 75. My set is junk, hi. Log totals: 568 in NJ, 517 in NY, 822 overall. Veries 128 & 64 for 192. Not much else. I may be in Pittsburgh area late in August, as the YL I'm going with at SU lives in Monroeville. Otherwise, C U all at Montreal!

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Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

Lots happening here in past few weeks, even a bit on BCB. Very much enjoyed meeting Jeff Kadet, Steve Russell, Hank Holbrook again, & some TV/FM types in Washington area on 7/1-3/weekend. My tale of woe coming home is a story in itself but left DC at 9am 7/3 & didn't get home until 3:30am 4/4 - foul 104° heat caused me all kinds of vapor locking troubles! Enough said. Hey, how about some stirring about the location of the 1967 Convention so I know where not to take my vacation in August. I am looking for someone of similar interests (i.e. possibly NRC-type) who would like to share expenses on a two-week trip out through western Canada & back via the northern states from 8/13 to 8/28-29, ending back up in Milwaukee for a day or so at IRCA Convention. Car supplied from this end - any takers write immediately so we possibly can arrange something definite. Two veries I can think of back in last month; WJDY-1470 for r/c; KOLO-920 for DX, most welcome as only Nev. #2; also CHIN-1540 for first day of RS. Some old DX: 4/18- WIBG-990 came back on @ 1:23 announcing off since 12:30 for technical adjustments, so logged till 1:43; TT-1560 at 3:26 - as I recall this was the MM KBEV-1560 finally ETed but I didn't know so until DX NEWS came later that day - drat. CHFI-680 off that MM & the next one but not heard off since; WERE just like a clear channel here MMs so no KVOR-1300 possible. WBIR-1240 r/c ID @ 3:52; WIFE-1310 @ 3:58; WICE-1290 "Good Guys" heard for first time in ages mixed w/WIRL & TT, KOIL off. KSMM-1530 ET ID @ 4:02 for call change; I thought I had luck w/me on 680 w/CHFI off as SSB s/on @ 4:14 so waiting to log what I thought would be WAPA, but if they, it went right into SS voice & mx w/no opening announcements. 4/19- This was period when CHUM was having its problems so I finally IDed CKSB-1050-FF fairly good at times u/WHN after lam. 4/21- Tuning 1540 a lot these days before CHIN came on, new WBTC-1540 s/off 6:59pm u/KXEL. 4/24- CJOC-1220 fairly good at times this SM after 2am. MM 4/25- WCOJ-1420 s/off 12:01 EDT just after WHK; KFYZ-550 @ 12:09 EST; light concert mx on 1020 @ 12:17, pretty sure not KDKA, so who? WTTO-1520 ET ID @ 12:48 for yet another new call on 1520; WERC-960 s/off 12:57-SSB; WDXB-1490 @ lam; KIL0-1440 s/off 1:11-SSB; fairly strong TT-1110 at 1:14, was this WBT or a new daytimer? Woman's voice on 1460 must have been KTYM 3:14. WXVA-1550 @ 1:30pm. 4/26- WRCP-1540 @-5:58pm battling WABQ/WPME. 4/27- WLOA-1550 s/off 6:59 just before WKBA; WMRR-1540 ID 7pm; WYNX-1550 s/off 7:15 for first time with these calls. Flash - CKPT-1420 now AN-6 (off Mms) as of 7/11. Back in August.

Ralph M. Johans - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo, New York - 14203

V/1, GM & WWST ball pen A WWST-960 Wooster, O. w/station info & mentions that G.R. Grunder, former CE is now at Cape Kennedy w/RCA & the 7/22 test I heard was an AN PoP. V/q, WWSW-970 (an AM/FM type) Pittsburgh 22, Pa. V/q WHEE-1370 Martinsville Va., July sked is 5am (SM 6:30)-7:45pm. V/q KOAM-860 Pittsburg, Kans. for 6/10 test @ 2:39am. V/q WMAQ-670 Chicago. Fifty or so others have so reneged a reply. Wayne P: I got the KHOW-630 "bird" sticker, a pix-card by Vince Paul when "Stage Coach" got filmed, mentions he's 6-10am on air @ KHOW, also his club card & a "Mrs. Miller is Batman, KHOW Bumper Sticker" & Ben Stanton sent a colorful letterhead. Little DXing now but 6/21-22-23 heard ZFB Radio Bermuda-960 w/lkw, Tting 3-4am & gave location as N. Lat. 2-19-1 & W. Long. 64/50/27, interesting test as CFAC/CHNS ANs got topped by ZFB; also heard WWST's PoP during 2/22, then the s/on by WFGM @ 4am. 7/7 noted a TT on table radio which gave WCNW-1560 Fairfield O. coding ET @ 2:45am. Bill (William) Stone is making a visiting trip toward Ev Johnson's Mendota Ill. part & may end here w/a DAJ-3 to take back w/him & DX again (hurry). Wayne Heinen & Rader stopped in for a little gap & Rader had a new excuse for NOT having any NRC Convention pictures made yet, two years now. Birch in Binghamton NY has not had any progress in getting my WINR-680 verie yet from that CE who lives on his street. So long till next time.

Saul Ash - 910 Meehan Avenue - Far Rockaway, New York - 11691

Greetings from a constant muser. My last one was in Jan., hi. Schoolwork prevented me from reporting. DX: 5/1- WBEC-1420 @ 7:59pm; WHYX-560 @ 6:56pm on 5/6; 5/7- WCNB-1580 @ 7:28 s/off. 5/21- Finally WDEL-1150 @ 7:30pm. 5/25- WGNS-1450 @ 7:30. 5/30-MM-KOMA @ 1:55, WBCB-1490 @ 3, WRNY-1350 @ 3:15 w/beautiful signals, surprised never got this one before; WBAX-1240 @ 3:30, WATR-1320 7:59pm. 6/5- CHIN-1540 @ 7:59. 6/14- WILI-1400 w/female announcer @ 8pm. WGEB-910 c/w @ 9:01; 6/21-27, 7/4, WWRL was OFF!. 6/21 no logs. 6/27- WBOS-1600 2:23 w/AN talk show. 7/4- WBOS stayed on till 3 instead of 2am, WIMX-1300 @ 2:01. KLRA-1010 @ 11:35pm, XEOY-1000 R. Mil 12:30, WYSL-1400 1:07 WOOD-1300 r/c lam, CX surprisingly good for this time of year. 7/10- WWRL was on again & there was a lightning storm, so I gave up. I am now an SC collector & I have WIBG WPTR WMCA for trade. 73s.

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Allen L. Nissen - 265 Beverly Hills Road - Fort Lee, New Jersey - 07024

Hi there again. I thought I'd surprise everyone w/a musing. First of all, local WJRZ-970 has stopped ANing. They are now on the air from 4am to 11pm (5-midnight EDT) every day. My guess is that this is only temporary (for the Summer). Also, I heard a strange signal on 6/16-17. There was a strong carrier on 1530k, & every half hour there was an announcement, "This is KGT-749 in Hackensack, NJ testing." After 6/17, this test station disappeared. Anyone have any ideas? **HERE IS IMPORTANT AIRLINE TRAVEL INFO TO MONTREAL:** Eastern Air Lines has six non-stop jets a day to Montreal from the NYC area. Newark Airport has one flight leaving at noon daily, arriving in Montreal @ 1:04pm. Kennedy Airport has five jets, leaving at 8am, 2pm, 3:15, 5:25 & 9:15pm, & arriving in Montreal about 65-70 minutes later. **ALL FLIGHTS ARE JETS.** Also all times are EDT. One Way Fare, first class is \$32, coach class \$24, plus 5% tax. This sked is as of 7/1 & probably will change before 9/1. Air Canada also has flights to Montreal from Kennedy Airport, but I believe most of them are props, rather than jets. I will have Air Canada info next issue. If you are flying to Montreal, please check w/your local travel agent first - the airplane skeds change completely about every two months. I plan to be in Montreal & hope to see many of you there, too. So 73 for now. (Received Tues 7/12, postmarked Hackensack, 6/10 PM, Allen, only FOUR days - great service! -ERC)

Rick Marr - 743 Dunlggin Road - Ellicott City, Maryland - 21043

Hello everyone. I hope first of all that every member is having a safe, happy, & enjoyable Summer, both DXwise & otherwise. DX has been extremely slow at this den w/Summer QRN at its greatest peak. Total logged still stands at exactly 700 stations. As I stated in my Musing of 6/11 I was hoping to get up to Ocean City NJ during the latter part of June & talk to WSLT's personnel about why the station never bothered to answer many NRC members' reports for the TEST they ran last Winter, but unfortunately, my Summer job prevented me from getting there to see them. Oh well, maybe later in the Summer. I do wish that all SCers in the Club would write. I can trade WINX SCs w/anyone for an SC in return. I'm still looking for an SC dated before 1960, can anyone help? I'm also interested in writing &/or taping w/any member who resides in the Los Angeles Metro. area. I would like a member whd is of high school or college age & someone who could write &/or tape w/me on a fairly regular basis (once a month or more often if possible). So, someone from the L.A. area, please write. That's all for this time, B C N U next issue.

Chris Lucas - 89 Round Hill Road - Fairfield, Connecticut - 06430

Hi. It's been quite a long time since I mused. It seems every time that deadline comes around, I was too tied up w/schoolwork, or I just didn't think I had anything to report. Actually I have little to report now anyway, but I thought I'd make my contribution toward a big Summer issue of DX NEWS. I'm considering going to the Montreal Convention but I'm not positive yet. Ernie, when does the convention actually "start", that is, when should we all be there? (Sat. noon or so -ERC) Only one logging since coming back from RPI: WSBS-860 Great Barrington, Mass. on 6/11 @ 9:18am way u/WOWW. WOWW is still RS on 860! Only WBNX is heard on 1380k here. Today (7/10) WALK-1370 was off for a while in the morning & I noted un WKFJ RI topping the channel w/a good signal, w/two others way u/WKFJ UNID. WALK back on before noon! For the last couple of weeks at RPI (end of May & beginning of June) Troy's WKKW-1600 was off the air, since the town of Watervliet wouldn't let them use their XR studios any more, which they had been using since their Troy studios burned or something. WTYM-1600 E. Longmeadow topped the channel w/a fairly good signal. WLNG Sag Harbor LI was way u/WTYM, w/occasional WWRL. For anyone vacationing in NJ or southern New England, tune in WLNG, & you'll be amazed at their coverage for a meager 500w. They are QRMed almost everywhere, but quite often they're on top. No BCB DX here since I've been concentrating on FM, which has been good for ground wave. Still no verie from WSLT's TEST, nor WFIF's. I noted illegal WWASP-1160 Westport, Ct. on 7/4, a bit weaker than the old WREY, but I think it's the same XR. One DJ sounds the same anyway. Off since 7/4. Ernie, did you enjoy WFIF's c/w on your way to the Cape? (No, Chris - it was 4-5am when we were in their area -ERC) WKIP-1450 is the closest BCB station that I need, being only about 55 miles away. W/their power increase they went directional, away from here. As I was coming back from RPI, I was traveling along Tote 55 away from Poughkeepsie, & as we started going down a hill about 15 miles from Poughkeepsie, WKIP faded very rapidly, & then there was WNAB Bridgeport w/a good signal, & WKIP way down in the mud. I guess I'll never hear them here. 73s, & everyone have a good Summer.

Lynn D. Brooks - 1910 62 Street - Lubbock, Texas - 79412

Hi! Not much DX to report due to Summer school & CX. Also, my antenna blew down in a recent storm; & since I am moving to Salt Lake City in September, I will not take the time to put it back up. It is being used as it lies on top of the house. During the interval between Summer school sessions, I logged several new stations as listed below & reports have gone to all but a couple of these. Fri. 5/27- KPBM-740 3:31pm, KPET-690 3:58, KWFT-620 5:09pm. Sat. 5/28- KGNC-710 9:52am, KBUY-1010 3:59pm. Tues. 6/14- KMUL-1380 2:24pm. SM 7/3- WKY-930 1:18am, KHJ-930 1:45, KFVB-980 2:30, KFID-900 1:12pm, KPAN-860 1:59pm. Mon 7/4- KCRS-550 12:28pm, KERB-600 12:58; WBAP-820 1:48, KBLI-910 1:59, KECK-920 2:36, KNIN-990 3:35pm. Tues. 7/5- KWOW-1600 3:10am, KATZ-1600 3:21am, JLAJ-1600 3:30, KGFL-1430 2:10pm. Wed. 7/6- KHOB-1390 2:49pm, WNOE-1060 11:13pm. Thurs. 7/7- KLRA-1010 2:03am s/off, XEOY-1000 2:06am, WRR-1310 9:26pm, KRIG-1410 9:57pm, XEB-1220 11:12pm. Now for a couple of questions. What Canadian was Tting on 7/5 at 3:07am on 1550k? (Has to be CEE, Lynn; no other Canadian on there except CBAG, Weymouth, NS, 40w. -ERC) Also I heard an eastern station on 7/5 @ 3:11am on 1600. They wanted people to call Chestnut 1-6000. Does anyone recognize this phone number? If someone has a set of loop plans, would you please send them to me so I can make copies of them? I will return them in a couple of days & your postage costs will be reimbursed. Veries in since 6/1 include: v/q- KFJZ KTLN WHO KMOX KIMN WKY. v/1- KLEA KCLR KVOP LWFT KPET KGNC KTRH KMUL KCRS. v/m -KFLD. I logged station #100 on 7/3 & verie total is 73. I envy you guys who get to go to Montreal. I wish I could be there. Until next DX NEWS, 73s.

Bart Cronin - Box 5353 - Eugene, Oregon

Time for my semi-annual correspondence. The DXing situation has been in limbo for some time, as my 14-year-old Zenith is gradually getting sicker & unable to pull out the difficult ones any more. We hope to give it a shot of jungle-juice & drag it off to Montreal come September in my first venture to the EC to see how you people can stand it w/so many neighbors. This brings up something. I wonder if any members from the S who are planning to go to Montreal would like to have an extra passenger on the way back (helping to pay expenses, of course). My destination after the Convention is Miami where I hope to fly on to the Virgin Islands to visit a friend who is the manager of WBNB. Drop me a line & perhaps we can get something set up. Montreal Convention Committee: Would you send some info & reservation cards? Remember to keep in mind the WC for the 1967 Convention. Long ago I talked w/John Hoogerheide who is interested in having the Convention in Eugene, so there's the invitation. 73s.

Don Eggert - 1925 East Bowman Street - South Bend, Indiana - 46613

7/7. Hi everybody. Upon noticing the slim DX NEWS in June, I thought that I'd better send in a meager Musing. Due to the fact I've been working this Summer, DX has really taken a back seat but I have managed a few (and I mean few): Way back to 4/2- WBGH-1340 f/c-TT @ 4:21 EST, WWXL-1450 (one of my most wanted) @ 4:25 f/c-TT, & WSAC-1470 @ 4:59 s/on-SSB. 6/25- WCHW-1240 @ noon in SS. Strange thing that WHBU always used to be on top but the three Chicago stations are real strong here for 75 mile graveyarders. Ev Johnson, you might give it a try. 7/6- Local WNDU off due to power failure & I caught long sought WRSW-1480 @ 5pm along w/WAYK-1500, late heard WOHO-1470 @ 8:35pm, WKOY-1240 @ 11:58 s/off. 7/7- WHTC-1450 s/off-SSB @ 12:07, WGEZ-1490 @ end of ET/M @ 1, CJOY-1460 @ 1:17 u/WBNS. Also this AM I heard upn WTHI-1480 on f/c-TT after midnight. By the way, my antenna is now the lead-in from my VHF TV antenna. It seems to have directional characteristics as I am now able to hear a few more stations in the day (tot 1 @ 83). For example WBAT-1400 which is about 90 miles S of here is stronger than WSJM which is about 30 miles in the opposite direction. Well anyway, no veries, but verie percentage is 72%. I regret I won't be able to make the Convention because school starts on 9/7 for me, however I am looking forward to meeting Frank Merrill this weekend (7/9-10) at his place. It's really a rare thing for me to meet another DKer. It was nice to see Dave Doswell for a few minutes too a while back. I've taken up TV DXing to pass a little time & I must admit it is just as challenging as BCB & on top of that, one doesn't have to stay up to all hours of the night, hi. To date I've logged 61 stations in 21 states and Sask. I guess that's about it this time around. I hope everyone is enjoying himself this Summer. 73 & DX. PS* if you need WNDU-1490, they carry Chicago White Sox BB & will be on late 8/5-6 when the Sox play in California. Also WNDU usually s/off at 12:07am w/St. Francis' Prayer for Peace, & SSB. Has anyone heard anything on the nes station on 910k for Mishawaka, Indiana?

LIST OF STATIONS CARRYING ATLANTA BASEBALL GAMES

WSB-750 Atlanta, Ga.	WGAC-589 Augusta, Ga.	WAPI-1070 Birmingham, Ala.
WDXB-1490 Chattanooga, Tenn.	WCSC-1390 Charleston, S.C.	WSOC-930 Charlotte, N.C.
WAGF-1320 Dothan, Ala.	WROL-1490 Knoxville, Tenn.	WMAZ-940 Macon, Ga.
WLAQ-1410 Rome, Ga.	WPGA-1400 Savannah, Ga.	WTNT-1270 Tallahassee, Fla.
WAYX-1230 Waycross, Ga.	WCOV-1170 Montgomery, Ala.	WSM-650 Nashville, Tenn.
WFBC-1330 Greenville, S.C.	WIS-560 Columbia, S.C.	WPNX-1460 Phenix City, Ala.
WGPC-1450 Albany, Ga.	WUNI-1410 Mobile, Ala.	WMBR-1460 Jacksonville, Fla.
WBIX-1010 Jacksonville Beach	WHOO-990 Orlando, Fla.	WGIG-1440 Brunswick, Ga.
WOWL-1240 Florence, Ala.	WLOS-1380 Asheville, N.C.	WRFC-960 Athens, Ga.
WDUN-1240 Gainesville, Ga.	WATO-1290 Oak Ridge, Tenn.	WGOV-950 Valdosta, Ga.
WATO-1290 Oak Ridge, Tenn.	WGAD-1350 Gadsden, Ala.	WBHB-1240 Fitzgerald, Ga.
WJCW-910 Johnson City, Tenn.	WLAG-1240 La Grange, Ga.	WSUN-620 St. Petersburg, Fla.
WBLJ-1230 Dalton, Ga.	WAUD-1230 Auburn, Ala.	WHAC-1240 Cleveland, Tenn.

This list sent in by Jim Courtney of Knoxville, Tenn., who adds that local WGYW-1430 is now all-NN, ex-c/w, having changed on 6/20. Thanks, Jim!

"AN" SITUATION

ONS- 1420 C K P T AN-6 OFF- 970 W J R Z S/off 11pm EST daily
1490 W K N Y SPU 1350 K C K C SPU

John Hoogerheide - 15 Rustic Place - Eugene, Oregon

DX - huh - what's that? CX have been horrible. My SX-100 is back & images of Eugene stations are all over the dial. I'm going to sell my Zenith Trans-Oceanic & buy a Plymouth car radio & alter it to AC & use it in conjunction w/the SX-100. I've been looking everywhere for the prewar Philcos but to no avail. Now to DX. On 6/25- KCKC-1350 San Bernadino, Cal. on AN c/w show, poor signal @ 4:30am. 7/4 had a new one, KSEN-1150 Shelby, Mont. on bi-yearly f/c 2:15-2:30. KAYO was on, but KSEN atop. This one only tests in July & January. Also caught KLYQ-980 Hamilton, Mont. on f/c 2:30-2:45am. Finally I have my loop built on IRCA plans, but I am very disappointed. It doesn't appear to exhibit any directional effects. Guess that's all for now. 73s.

Ernest R. Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn, New York - 11226

Veries: CHIN-1540, CJRN-1600 & WUPR-1530. Very little DXing at home, due to the fantastic heat wave hereabouts. I was away two weeks on Cape Cod, and as usual, I found radio there very interesting. Like Bill Caldwell observed, I found four c/w daytimers listenable on the beach at Provincetown: WHIM-1110, WRIB-1220, WJAB-1440, & WYNG-1590, the latter w/interference from WSMN. Other program types noted: WXHR-740, light concert; (What is their s/on time, anyone in Mass.?) WEAN-790 pop, WORL-950 pop, WCSH-970 pop, 1030 WBZ-rr, 1090 WILD NN & Italian programming; 1150 WCOP pop all-request; 1230 WESX pop, 1240 WOCB pop & restaurant commercials, hi; 1260 WEZE light classical; 1290 WICE rr; 1300 WJDA pop; 1330 WCRB classical; 1340 WNBH rr; 1360 WLYN pop; 1370 WFEA rr; 1390 WPLM pop; 1410 WOKW pop (was rr last year) 1430 WHIL pop; 1460 WBET pop; 1470 WNBP pop; 1480 WSAR pop; 1510 WMEX-rr, barely audible now on their new directional pattern; 1570 WMLO pop. What a difference a few miles make! On the beach at Long Nook (on the Atlantic side of the Cape) Maine stations were very strong, like WIDE-1400 & WJAB-1440 "Big Jab" radio, w/IDs like WJRZ-970. WCOU-1240 fought WOCB there, whereas they were almost in the clear at Provincetown, w/slight traces of WWON there. WSME-1220 was o/WRIB at Long Nook; while WRIB was in the clear at Provincetown. What fine spots for DXing! All these above refer to broad daylight reception, of course. A try at DX here on SM 7/10, but QRN S-9 plus, so back to bed. MM 7/11 almost as noisy, so nothing logged or noted. MM 7/4 it was about 100° in the radio room, so no DX was attempted. That's no WX for earphones, hi. I'll be descending on Montreal at Convention Time, and I am looking forward to it eagerly. I'll be driving up Friday AM, 9/2 - anybody want to join me? Please, everyone - drive with care - NRC has had two horrible auto accidents which have robbed us of four beloved and respected members in the past, so, please - don't speed, and check your car over before you start out. Don't drive it all the way without proper rest, and if you DX while driving, keep your eyes on the road & your ears on the radio, not vice versa! C U in 35 & in Montreal.

PLEASE DOUBLE SPACE YOUR REPORTS

We point out that it is much easier to copy your reports onto stencils if you skip a line between lines, whether you type or write your Musings reports. It speeds the work here, and makes it easier on both the eyes and nerves. Thank you - this entire DX NEWS was typed in my backyard, the heat in the house being too much to take!

July 16, 1966

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DX DOWN THE DIAL

- 550 KFYR Bismark, N.D. MM.s/off 111 am w/organ & prayer. S/on @ 4:44am. Zwiier
- 550 WGR Buffalo, N.Y. RS, 5:30 to 12:30 am-Ralphie
- 800 WKDN Camden, N.J. Annc. going to 5000 watts SCON. Smitty
- 960 ZFB-1 Pembroke West, Ber. Hrd 6/21,22,23 with TT f/c 1 kw 3-4am-R.
- 960 WWST Wocster, Ohio CE Sez: 6/22 AN was PoP. S/on 4:38a(Sun.6:53a)R
- 960 WFGM Fitchburg, Mass. Hrd wk s/on 4 am-All 960's from Ralph
- 1080 WKBY Chatham, Va. Now on RS-Hrd s/on 5:05 am on 6/24-Kadet
- 1090 WBAF Barnesville, Ga.-Hrd on ET/M on 6/20-12:15 to 12:35 am-Kadet
- 1240 WGVA Geneva, N.Y. Wkly s/on SSB 4:25 am. Ralph
- 1240 WJTN Jamestown, N.Y. Wk s/on 4:30 am & s/off w/SSB @ 12:59 am-RMJ
- 1250 WTAE Pittsburgh, Pa. Ex*WRYT & on these calls. Ch. 4 now WTAE-TV /above-RHC
- 1290 WHKY Hickory, N.C. Wk S/on 4 am-RMJ
- 1370 WPAZ Pottstown, Pa. S/off @ 6 pm bec. of fin. reasons-Smitty
- 1380 CKPC Brantford, Ont. Hrd 7/6 R/c to 1:52 am-Ralph
- 1380 WAMS Wilmington, Del-RS 4 am (Sun 6am) til Mid. (Sun. 11 pm)-Sm.
- 1360 WNNJ Newton, N.J. SM s/on 5 am-Smitty
- 1440 WVMG Cochran, Ga. Hrd on ET/M on 6/6 @ 2:30 am. Asked for rpts. to Box 226. Kadet
- 1460 WPRW Manassas, Va. Hrd on ET/M on SM 7/10 @ 3:35 am. Smitty
- 1460 WCMB Harrisburg, Pa. S/on w/SSB @ 4 am-Ralph
- 1400 WTCM Traverse City, Mich. RS 6am (Sun, 8am) to 11:15 am-Zwiier
- 1560 WGNW Fairfield, Ohio Hrd 7/7 w/TT/ET 2:10 to 2:54 am-Ralph

Well, I thought I'd never do this but since JWB's on his vacation I asked RHC if I could do it so he let me. It's a real fine column if it would have a little more tips. RHC also sent me the following request for call changes:

- 1300-Window Rock, Ariz.-Request KHAC KXLW-St. Louis, Mo. requests
- KBMX-Coalinga, Calif. requests KOLI KIIR
- WORT-Bosten, Mass.-request WRYT Calhoun, Ga.-requests WEBS.
- KHEB-Heber Springs, Ark. requests KAWW.
- Woodruff, S.C.-requests WSJW.

So, that's all. I leave the space below for RHC to do his crafty-work. All tips above marked "Smitty" are mine-hi. 73 Dave Dave Schmidt

Last minute tip from Johanns:

- WPRW Manassas, Virginia hrd testing Mon. a.m. (7/11) with music. Said "on the air test". Hrd 3:12-4:01 EST w/very strong signal, topping
- WKAM Goshen, Indiana on with emergency storm programming. WPRW even cut into WCMB's 4 a.m. sign on.

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FOREIGN CONTEST STANDINGS

By Ben Dangerfield

<u>EAST:</u>	<u>PTS.</u>	<u>CTRS.</u>
(1) Burnham, Conn., adds: PRH-9; Szczecin-1304	398	31
(2) Boatright, N.J., adds: Paris-863	396	27
(3) Calkin, N.B., adds: WKVM; Burg; Schwerin; Suhl; HJLQ; Budapest-1187; Barcelona-737	322	23
(4) Dangerfield, Pa., adds: None	257	20
(5) Tweedie, N.J., adds: R, Peninsular-989	238	16
(6) Neff, N.Y., adds: None	226	18
(7) Silvera, Jamaica, adds: None	178	13
(8) Gangler, Md., adds: None	147	8
(9) Holbrook, Md., adds: Cairo-707; Kaliningrad; Tirana-1358; R. Monte Carlo; RNE-Murcia	132	10
(10) Parsons, Pa./Ont., adds: None	66	3
(11) Rugg, Que. adds: None	46	2
(12) Marbach, N.Y., adds: None	42	2
(13) Fela, N.J., adds: None	34	2

CENTRAL/WEST:

(1) Scrimgeour, Calif., adds: CSB-2; JCGC; KTRG	318	18
(2) Weinstein, Pa., adds: None	230	16
(3) Freeman, Calif., adds: HJER	157	11
(4) Palmer, Ill., adds: None	150	10
(5) Fox, Yukon/B.C., adds: None	148	8
(6) Millar, Wash., adds: None	82	5
(7) Tilbrook, Pa., adds: None	65	4
(8) Gifford, Ill., adds: None	63	2

Well, that's how it looks on the next to last show of standings. Notice the new leader in the East! I will try to have final figures and prize listings in the August issue of IDXD, but that depends on whether I get back from my vacation on time. If not August, then September. Remember, no veries received by contestants after July 31st will count. Also, I would appreciate hearing from all interested parties, comments about next season's contest so I can make any needed rules revisions.

-Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Dr., Chester, Pa. 19013

WHAT'S HEARD ...

- 570 UNID. L.A. Noted for quite awhile. Runs AN, but I can't ID it. Not Cuban, as they carry ads. Mexico? (Mike Silvera, 5, Grosvenor Hts., Kingston 8, Jamaica). XEJJB, R. Fiesta, Monterrey, N.L.??? (Ed.)
- 600 CUBA. TRINIDAD, L.V., Now back on the air, relaying R. Rebelde. (IRCA, Box 112, Englewood, Colo.)
- 620 ANTIGUA. ABS, Ottos, definitely on this channel, per monitoring on recent trip to Virgin Islands, and no longer on 644. Confirms WIDXA report. (Gordon P. Nelson, 19 Irma Ave., Watertown, Mass.)
- 640 CUBA. CMC, Habana, conspicuous only in its absence on MH's. Permanently??? Some goodies here, if so. (Randy Seaver, 2119 - 30th St., San Deigo, Calif. 92104)
- HONDURAS. HRMT, R. Molino Rojo, La Voz Popular, San Pedro Sula, ran AN with musical program 6/26. CMC now off AMS. (Ronald F. Schatz, 510 N.E. 158th St., North Miami Beach, Fla. 33162, via IRCA DXWW Preview).
Logged 0000 s/off 6/10 with sung anthem. TGW & HOK (RM. (IRCA)
- 670 CUBA. CMKP, Holguin, Ote., back here from 1011. (IRCA)
- 690 CHILE. CC69, R. Universidad, Concepcion, now here with 1000 watts from 680. (IRCA)
- 710 VENEZUELA. YVKY, La Voz de la Patria, Caracas, noted at 2301 s/off, under WGBS. Much needed because of strong WGBS. Heard 6/7. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 760 CHILE. CE76, La Voz de Chile, Santiago, readable atop XEABC MM 5/9 0541-0559 in California. (IRCA)
- CUBA. CMCD, Habana, has been off the air, due to Hurricane Alma. (IRCA)
- *80 BARBADOS. R. Barbados, Black Rock, has been here since mid-June, with strongest signals in the early evening hours. Not much hope for ZBVI now. (Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Drive, Chester, Pa. 19013.)
- 800 BRASIL. PRA2, R. Ministerio de Educacao, Rio de Janeiro. Tentatively the L.A. under CMKL at 0330 6/5. Very weak. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 803 ECUADOR. Unid. station here AN since 6/5. Only ID is "Canal Tropical." Believe R. Bolivar in Guayquil, as HCFV-1 was reported by IRCA last summer to be on 812 kHz. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 806 ECUADOR. "Canal Tropical," location unknown, may be a new station. Runs AN. Announces freq, as 805 kc/s. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 818 EGYPT. Datra almost positive the station heard in Unid. Language & vy poor. Mostly a hetro on HJED 0057 6/28. (Silvera, Jamaica)

- 840 CHILE. CB84, R. Portales, Valparaiso, seems to be the 0530 s/on heard daily since 6/27. No R. Portales IDs heard (would you believe "Ondas del Pacifico"??) Chimes before s/on are distinctive and similar to those of CB118. (Seaver, Calif.) New one, heard in Calif. 5/11 with definite ID's 0540 and 0554 to fadeout 0604. (IRCA)
- NEW ZEALAND. 2XB, Masterton, fighting CB84 6/22, and winning! 6 pip IS at 0600, then " ... Concludes the 11:00 news ..." and s/off. Note: WRTVH has wrong data on s/off. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 845 INTL. WATERS (England). Britain Radio in daytime on same ship as "Radio England." (1322) At night, it becomes a second "Swinging Radio England" channel, 24 hours a day, with 100 kW. Strong in London. Anchored near Caroline South. (Gregg Calkin, touring in London, England)
- 850 COLOMBIA. HJKC, Bogota, was strong with fading from 0427-0445 ID. (Gray Scrimgeour, 1105 Virginia Way, La Jolla, Calif 92037)
- NICARAGUA. YNAV, R. Continental, Managua, is usually loud until 0300 s/off. Good tape made on 6/12. (Seaver)
- PUERTO RICO. WADA, Aguadilla, has been ID'd (R. Waba) by Larry Godwin as my mystery SS 4/29 at 0400. Early s/on? (Seaver, Calif.)
- 854 PERU. OAX4A, R. Nacional, Lima, heard with music program, fair to poor; ID at 2048 6/4. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 855 PERU. OAX4A, R. Nacional del Peru, Lima. Now noted a few cycles above this freq. Daily s/off around 2355. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 880 PERU. OBZ4N, R. Union, Lima, heard almost daily with IS prior to 0600 s/on. Plays Indian music, and has very deep-voiced announcer. (Seaver, Calif.)
- UNID. My try for R. Union s/on at 0600 on 6/27 brought only a very weak and unidentifiable SS. (Scrimgeour)
- 885 NICARAGUA. YNKW, R. Libertad, Managua, ID'd frequently 6/23 (first noted) until 0004 s/off. Chimes similar to "Rumbos" net during news. Has 0600 s/on with anthem, calls, slogan, the whole schmeer. Beautiful 6/27 at s/on. (Seaver, Calif.) New one, ID'ing often as Radio Libertad, very strong most evenings, with No CRM from R. Montserrat. (Dangerfield, Pa.) Heard with ID, then marimba music from Guatemala at 0605 on 6/27. (Scrimgeour, Calif.) Here now from 880. I wonder if they're going to stay only 15 kHz from YNWS-900. (Silvera, Jamaica) New and powerful. Daily sked is 0600-2400. Announces a prize of "five thousand Cordobas" for certain reception reports. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 900 SO. KOREA. HLKV, Seoul, now 50 kW, sked 1500-1400. (IRCA)
- 940 PANAMA. HOX, Panama, noted at fair level under WINZ at 2134 6/5. Commentary on riots, relaying R. Mia, or are they on R. Mia Network? (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 950 UNID. S.S. Heard 6/27 at 0505-0520. Possibly an HJ. I checked 4880 for YV parallel, and not on. Too late for "R. Belgrano," I believe. (Drool!) (Seaver, Calif.)
- 959 CUBA. Either Matanzas or Isla de Pinos, "Reloj Nacional" relay recently noted here. Fate of CMGF unknown. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 960 CUBA. New "Reloj Nacional" heard here since 6/22. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 970 VENEZUELA. New station noted 1805 6/15 under HJCI. Location is Maracay (not Maracaibo). Seems YV's are trying to get 40 kHz between stations in same coverage area. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 975 COSTA RICA. TIRS, San Jose, is often strong NH's AN as on 6/27. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 1000 NEW ZEALAND. LZD, Tarranga, heard 7/4 with strong signal at 0345. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)
- 1010 COLOMBIA. HJCC, R. Mil Veinte, Bogota, is not AN (except during Xmas.) (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1020 BOLIVIA. CP4, R. Illimani, La Paz. No ID yet, but have heard anthem at 0530 and SS talk with man and woman alternating, after the s/on. Best was 6/9 at 0530-0540. (Seaver, Calif.)
- CUBA. CMEN, Isla de Pinos, La Voz de Cuba ID, heard 6/3 at 0300. Good signal. 250 watts. (Seaver, Calif.)
- UNID. Weak SS (Woman annor.) on 6/27 from 0508. Soon faded out. Venezuelan, probably. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)
- 1025 COLOMBIA. HJER, R. Pacifico, Cali, heard to s/off at 2400. (Kieth Robinson, Kapuka, No. 7, R.D., Invercargill, New Zealand.)
- 1033A INTL. WATERS (England). R. City back on the air after murder and take over incidents. (Calkin in England) Assume everybody read news stories about the murder of Reggie Calvert, owner of Radio City, following a REAL Pirate seizure of the ship, putting it off the air, allegedly by operators of a rival pirate station. Upshoot of it is that the British parliament appears intent upon looking into putting the pirates out of business by making it a crime to advertise with them ... so, in case that legislation is passed, I'd suggest we verify as many of these guys as we can. (Ed.)
- 1040 CUBA. CMKW, Santiago de Cuba, Cte., appears here now from 1052, relaying CMKC. (IRCA)
- 1060 CHILE. CB106, Soc. Nac. de Minera, Santiago. Station here noted with talk of football. Mentions visits of Mexican team to Chile, and TC are in AST. No positive ID, but who else? Heard at 1348 6/8. (Silvera, Jam.)
- 1090 CUBA. Las Mercedes, CMKC relay, is now here. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Review.)
- HAWAII. KHAI, Honolulu, was fairly strong (as were many other islanders) on 6/27 at 0330. (Scrimgeour, Cal.)
- 1110 SO. KOREA. HLCC, Taekjon, is here, with 1000 watts, from 580. Sked 1500-1000. (IRCA)
- 1115 COLOMBIA. HJFZ, La Voz del Centro, Espinal, with Agriculture program. Annces. 1100 kHz, listed 1470, very good at 0521 6/4. (Silvera, Jamaica)

- 1115 PANAMA. Positive there is a R. Mia here. Parallel with 645 kHz, or at least relays some of their programs. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1165A INTL. WATERS (England). R. Caroline South operating here now, generally to 2030, or 1900 some nights. S/on is 0000. (Calkin in England)
- 1170 COLOMBIA. HJDP, R. Colosal, Neiva, has been running AN for the past several weeks. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 1180 CHILE. CD118, R. Portales, Santiago. S/on 0530 6/4, preceded by gongs and brief music, not so strong as 5/9 0553-0556 in California. (IRCA)
- 11 UNID. S.S. Probably HJCK, Bucaramanga, Colombia, heard on 6/27 (0450-0505). IDs gave Caracol mention, but also Bucaramanga. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)
- 1195 ECUADOR. HCCS1, R. Turismo, Sangolqui, is tentatively ID'ed as the faint AN'er here. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Review)
- 1200 NICARAGUA. YNC, R. Capital, Managua, has been AN lately. (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Review)
- 1205 ECUADOR. Seems to be same unid. every ody has been hearing. Heard at 0311 6/5. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1210 ARGENTINA. LV3, R. Cordoba, Cordoba, was heard in Miami 6/26 w/S7 signal at 0200 s/off, (Schatz, Fla., via IRCA DXWW Preview) MM s/off 0000 as heard in New Zealand, apparently a freq. change from 1150. Try after WCAU s/off 2390 Sun. Night. (IRCA)
- 1220 UNID. TP. 2 TP's here. (one faded in about 0350) on 6/27. Both were in English. Possibly Kwajalein, then 4AK. Neither readable yet. Both have been noticed this way before on other good DU mornings. (Scrimgeour)
- 1240 NICARAGUA. YN??, R. El Mundo, location unid., heard 6/17, and AN since. Is this slogan change for YNCW Chinandega, or a move of YNWC from 1040 kHz.??? (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1250 COLOMBIA. HJEM, R. Corozal, Corozal, noted with TT & occasional ID. Strong CRM from HJAO. Heard at 1810 6/17. New station. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1300 VENEZUELA. Re. 5/7 IDXD, R. Crono Radar is YVKH in Caracas., and Maracaibo outlet here is YVNS R. Reloj. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1310 NICARAGUA. YNHI, R. Circuito YNL, Leon, very good with music at 0017 6/23. Parallel with 1115 kHz. (Silvera)
- 1322 INTL. WATERS (England). R. England on with American type music & U.S. DJ's. Real U.S.-like station. 100 kW. And 24 hours a day. Strong in London. (Calkin in England.)
- 1375 COSTA RICA. TIMAR, San Isidro General, slogan change to R. Pacifico. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1420 NEW CALEDONIA. R. Noumea has been on this channel for ages. No longer on 1400. Tahiti is the French-speaker on 1400. (Robinson, N.Z.)

WESTERN SAMOA. ZAP, Apia, Certainly the station with English dram from 0343 to 0410 (no ID at 0400, as usual.) Also 6/27. No sign of WVUV on 1120. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)

- 1440 CHILE. CC144, R. Bio-Bio, Concepcion. New station, began 4/15 with 1000 watts. (IRCA)
- 1470 MEXICO. XEBDC, Tijuana, B.C.N. heard in Spanish with calls between items around 0645. (Robinson, N.Z.)
- 1510 AUSTRALIA. 2NA, Newcastle, N.S.W., "Old Faithful" quite good on 6/27 at 0345 with program schedule. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)

DOM. REP. HDL, R. Pueblo, Santo Domingo, now here from 1530. M11 Cumbres off since revolt. (Silvera, Jamaica)

- 1530 AUSTRALIA. 2VM, Moree, N.S.W., finally ID'd a couple of times, but no details obtained for a report. Weak at 0400 on 6/27. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)
- 1536 UNID/Carrier. Noted here 6/26 past 0400. Loop indicates Eastern Caribbean area. (Schatz, Fla. via IRCA DXWW Preview)
- 1560 AUSTRALIA. 2RE, Taree, N.S.W. was in b 0345 with the usual news program on 6/27. Not particularly strong or steady, but plenty of ID's. (Scrimgeour, Calif.)

U.S.A. Recent loggings have been KYMN-1520 at 0700; KGAR-1550 at 0700 s/on; KCUL-1540 RS 0620, and during logging, heard 0630 s/on of new KEDA, San Antonio. (Robinson, N.Z.)

Letter in from SP/4 David E. Pope, Gd. Co., Box 53, 4th USASAPS, APC N.Y. 09843 ... now in Ethiopia ... Asmara to be exact. Dave says "As far as DXing here, I haven't done much. Have been able to hear Cairo, and a couple of BBC stations. The band is loaded at night, but I haven't been able to identify many. I'll have to get me a World Radio Handbook. We have an AFRS here on post." Davidsounded a little disappointed with Ethiopia as a duty station, so much so, he says: "I'm not too sure I will be here too much longer, because I put in for Viet Nam a week after I got here, that's how bad it is over here." I'm sure a letter or two from his fellow NRC'ers will be particularly appreciated in that far corner of the world!

Greg Calkin has provided some valuable information on some of the Pirate stations from the first stop on his European tour, and we look forward to more from him. Ye Ed hopes to attack the forthcoming season with new vigor and get re-active again. We seem to be in an every-other-season cycle. Greg's European information may prove quite valuable... and I for one, am gonna watch for those pirates, lest they slip away completely.

VERIFICATIONS ...

- 737 SPAIN. Barcelona, sent magazine, pennant and letter airmail, rather quickly. Pennant is very attractive. (Calkin, N.B.)
- 738 MACAU. R. Vila Verde, Vila Verde, verified with English letter from J.J. Alvares, C.E. Address is 123 Rua FX. Pereira. Schedule is 1700-1000 in the summer, 1800-1100 otherwise, with 10 kW. (IRCA)
- 810 PUERTO RICO. WKVM, San Juan, finally sent letter for last September reception after 3 f/ups, the last one address to the singer given in a recent NRC bulletin, Sr. Nestor Varas. But the reply came quickly from one Sr. Emilio Rameraz, C.E. Rather in stilted English, but a nice addition. (Calkin, N.B.)
- 812 COLOMBIA. R. Atalaya, Cucaramanga, sent fine letter, signed by Gustavo Serrano Fernandez, Gerente. Definite verification in Spanish, but omits time and freq., tho gives date. Included fine Todelar pennant. (Richard E. Wood, 207 E. 16th, Bloomington, Ind. 47401)
- 840 CHILE. CB84, R. Portales, Casilla 89-V, Valparaiso, verified by letter from Sr. Nelson Tarud Beltran, Gerente. Second letter from J.A. Fleming says station is 6 months old, and 10 KW. Unknown what happened to CB84, Vina del Mar. (IRCA)
- 1140 SO. KOREA. HLCX, Chonju, sent attractive QSL-card and letter from Hueng S. Ahn, C.E., MEC, in Seoul. Has 5 kW home-made transmitter. (IRCA)
- 1187 HUNGARY. Budapest sent card for reception of this outlet in about 2 months. Also included copy of "Budapest Antenna" magazine, of the shortwave service. Nice card, and new country. (Calkin, N.B.)
- 1220 COLOMBIA. HJKR, Aptdo Aereo 10951, Bogota, verified with friendly letter, signed by Luis Forero Luque, Gerente. (IRCA)
- 1510 AUSTRALIA. 2NA, Newcastle, N.S.W., received v/q and v/l along with an ABC program schedule and two booklets on Newcastle from E.T. Colhoun, Newcastle Representative, P.O. Box 669, Newcastle. (Bruce Reynolds, Res. 2, Warrensburg, Mo. 64093)

SPAIN. R. Juventud de Sabadell. Letter received for my reception in England last summer. Last QSL from the station. Now on FM only. Fine, detailed letter from Joaquin Fau, Director. Enclosed magnificent pennant. (Wood, Ind.)

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 Long phone conversation with Gordon Nelson last week ... with many interesting topics to discuss. GPN's visit to Virgin Islands brought him a new favorite station, ZBVI, which, if I remember from our conversation, is still 1 kw but plans to go 10 kw. We speculated that Barbados moved from 785 to 780 in a continuing effort to get away from PJB-800, and look for another move to some other split channel. Gordon, how about a winter special from ZBVI? Gordon also looked for the clandestine R. Libertad, reported on 1406, but was unable to find a trace of the signal to get loop bearings on. R. Antilles on 930 was also heard, Gordon said. Note the frequency ... not 926, darnit. With YNKW on 885, I doubt I'll be able to get R. Montserrat now here in the Panhandle.

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 ANARC convention ... details, I assume, are elsewhere. It's only a days drive or less from Pampa to Kansas City ... but I don't know whether I'll be able to make it or not. It seems it's scheduled during our Top O Texas Rodeo week here in Pampa, and this is a very busy time for radio personnell here. (Have you ever tried to broadcast a rodeo play-by-play?) I hope to spring loose, though, and make it, as the boss was gone all rodeo week last year!

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 MONTREAL DECKONS over the Labor Day weekend ... and that one I'll definitely make. Will have my new car broken in by then, and John Daller, we may promote a drag race! However, I must insist that Ernie Cooper be my co-pilot and Stan Morss yours. Note from Ron Schatz indicates he might be at convention, and believe Randy Seaver is a near definite. These are two guys I've wanted to meet over the years. Still don't have too much enthusiasm whipped up for any specific West-of-the-Mississippi location for the conclavex for 1967. Hope there'll be some spirited campaigning in the August bulletin. 73 till then.

JAC

COUNTRY LIST We have exhausted our supply of the Country Lists as prepared by John Callarman. Several of the new members have asked for this list, but we must ask that you be patient with us until another set of stencils is cut. We made well over 100 extra copies but did not anticipate the flock of new members. Perhaps John Callarman will be able to cut another set . . . or maybe John will appreciate an offer from some of you students who are on vacation. (RHC)

Bulletin goes out on time, but under difficult circumstances this week. My staff are on vacation and in the hospital!! But we made it!

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SUPREMACY RATINGS

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<u>DXer</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>T.V.</u>	<u>Foreign Countries</u>			<u>Africa</u>	<u>Best</u>
H. Tyndall	Vermont	6600	1613	164	VAC	43	FBS#2 Nairobi
B. Botzum*	Pennsylvania	4432	694	72	VAC	5	Dakar 1438 5k
L. Kruse	Iowa	3858	77	15		---	
W. Routzhan	Pennsylvania	3011	355	43		---	
N. Maguire	New Mexico	2834	388	51	VAC	1	Algiers 1176
S. Steele	Illinois	2675	263	22		---	
E. Johnson	Illinois	2669	270	27		---	
W. Goldy	Illinois	2605	119	17		---	
G. Allen	California	2538	449	51	VAC	1	Senegal 764
R. Millar*	Washington	1629	409	64	VAC	1	Dakar 764
F. Wheeler	Pennsylvania	1537	71	22		---	
R. Sperry**	Connecticut	1527	210	35		1	---
R. Anderson	Virginia	1422	490	93	VAC	22	WIND 400w
A. Rugg	Que., Canada	1315	1139	53		3	Cairo 773
C. Freeman	California	1210	295	58	VAC	1	Dakar 764
K. Butterfield	Michigan	1106	267	69	VAC	7	Sierra Leone
P. Taylor	California	1091	262	55		---	
A. Merriman	Virginia	831	156	62	VAC	5	Sierra Leone
W. Willis**	California	823	165	55	VAC	1	---
H. Gustafson	Illinois	803	259	85	VAC	15	CR6RZ 872
J. Callarman	Texas	725	128	45	VAC	2	Algiers 890
R. Palmer	Illinois	629	84	28		1	Dakar 764
J. Conrad	Kentucky	492	76	31		1	Dakar 764
L. Lehmer	Iowa	472	50	9		---	
B. Karchevski	Massachusetts	424	91	14		---	
A. Slater	England	381	380	88		40	Djibouti
B. Dangerfield	Pennsylvania	378	313	103	VAC	27	Pietermaritz-
G. Scrimgeour	California	322	124	29		---	burg 845
C. Mohr	New York	301	52	14		1	Senegal
G. Calkin	N.B., Canada	298	215	55		1	Senegal
H. Wilkinson	California	284	269	54	VAC	1	Dakar 764
R. Leamy	Pennsylvania	270	83	35		2	Cairo 773
J. Gangler*	Maryland	253	133	62	VAC	2	Senegal
T. Davisson	Ohio	251	28	7		---	
H. Robie	Massachusetts	246	132	77		6	R. France -
R. Musco	Connecticut	232	38	9		---	Algeria
W. Heinen	New York	216	32	7		---	
J. Neff	New York	213	70	28	VAC	1	Senegal
B. Reynolds	Missouri	206	24	5		---	
D. Shoaf	Texas	201	10	3		---	
J. Draut**	New York	191	35	10		1	Senegal 764
R. Edmunds	New York	187	42	8		---	
F. Curran	Pennsylvania	172	29	18		---	
R. Patrick**	England	171	165	68		17	ELWA 650 10k
P. Hoffman	Phio	140	26	17		2	Algiers 890
J. Bruner	Kentucky	132	27	23		---	
A. McNeil	Pennsylvania	117	36	18		---	
A. Casamassima	New York	111	13	3		---	
J. Keene	Texas	(125)	38	29	VAC	1	Dakar 764

My apologies for leaving Jack Keene on bottom of list. Most of those lucky to have an African verie are grateful to Dakar, Senegal 764 kos. Last call to those members indicated by ** to bring their standings up to date.

PLEASE NOTE: Effective September 1st, send all Supremacy Ratings and award requests to me at: 1420 Columbia Drive NE, Albuquerque, New Mexico 87106.
Aloha.

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