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We welcome as new members, George Burnett, 1176 Michigan Ave., Buffalo, N.Y. and Mrs Grace L Simpson and her son Frank of 77 Pleasant Ave., Montclair, New Jersey. May their DX pleasures be long.

## DX CALANDER

DATE	CALL	LOCATION		KCS	CLUB	TIME	ALL	EWT
MAR 2	WMIS	Natchez	Miss	1490	GNSWLC	3:00 - 4:00	Ala	
11	WOSH	Oshkosh	Wisc	1490	TEST 2or	2:30 - 3:00	AM	
17	KRJF	Miles City	Mont	1340	TEST	2:00 - 3:00	AM	
18	KFFA	Helena	Ark	1490	TEST	3:45 - 4:00	AM	
21	WKRO	Cairo	Ill	1490	TEST	3:00 - 3:30	AM	

A construction permit has been granted for a new station on 1230 kcs 250 watts power, unlimited time to Edwin A Kraft, Kodiak, Alaska.

Station KGIW, granted increase in power from 100 to 250 watts day & nite

The following was received from Station WWNY in Watertown, New York. We have been granted an increase in power to 1000 watts and are in need of the following equipment in order to complete the change over. You or some members of the National Radio Club might know where the following equipment can be had. We need Four (4) Square Case Weston Thermo Couple Meters, type 733 with a Five Ampere Scale; Six (6) Round Case Weston Thermo Couple Meters No 425 with a five Ampere scale; One (1) Phase Monitor, RCA 300-A or RCA 300-C or a General Radio Phase Moniyor of similar type; 1000 Ft shielded twisted pair insulated for 600 volts; and 7500 Ft of STRANDED Copper Wire. It ends with this, We have lined up much of our equipment but we find that we need these crucial parts.

If any of you Leambers can locate any of the above parts please contact either Thomas E Martin, station manager or Maynard B Davis, chief engineer of station WWNY, Hotel Woodruff, Watertown, New York.

The World Wide Dial Club of Chicago will have a bowling meet at the Jackson Dearborn Recreation Alleys, 229 South Dearborn St., downtown Chicago at 10 PM Central War Time, on March 14 1942. Leo Herz.

Jesse Strawn R F D # 2, Holton Kansas, one of our swell members is just about to leave for duty in our armed forces. He has for sale the DX equipment and would like to know if any one is interested in the following, Howard 436 receiver for \$25. and also the power pack that is used with it, this pack he will sell for \$10. Both for \$35. If any of you other members are interested or know of any one else who is interested please get in touch with Jesse at the above address. Lets see if we can help a fellow member out. Jesse says he is winding up with 837 stations logged and 379 verified and the last verie was from KERN.

We the editors, DCB and SW are asking all members to use EASTERN WAR TIME when sending in their reports. This will make it a lot easier when making up this bulletin. Please keep this in mind. EASTERN WAR TIME.

Notice has been received from Len Kruse that station KONB in Omaha, Nebr will start operations on March 1 1942. He says this info was received too late to inform members so they might have been able to land them while making equipment tests. They will be affiliated with the Mutual Broadcasting System. KONB are on 1490 kcs with 250 watts power.

Please send in your opinion about holding our convention eariler.

HEARD	HEARD and VERIFIED	STATION	STANDINGS	VERIFIED
JJB-Joe Becker-Ohio	J P 1460	MASTER	VERIFIER	CUB VERIFIER
RWB-Bob botzum-Penn	A Y 1403	JJB	1443	EJW 16
NLM-Norm Maguire-N Mex.	S E 1225	RWB	1300	
RB -Bob Brown-Ind	T H 1125	DSB	1053	NEW ENTRIES
DSB-Don Barnes-S Dak	E S 1083	SENIOR	VERIFIER	Bob Botzum
ACE DXER	h	NLM	650	Norm Maguire
FAW-Frank Wheeler-Penn	971	RBE	640	Edward Wyman.
SENIOR DXER		JUNIOR	VERIFIER	Come on boys
FJS-Frank Susoreny-Ind	768	FJS	455	send in your
EJW-Ed Wyman-N.Y.	670	LRK	382	logs to Frank
LRK-Len Kruse-Iowa	645	FAW	251	Wheeler to be
RBE-Ray Edge-N.Y.	640	RB	237	listed here.

The next listing will be in the March 28th bulletin. Just send Frank Wheeler your list of heard and verified totals, including your full name including your middle initial.

BOB BROWN-GOSHEN IND. Veries have been received from 3WV-2NR-2YC-WGOV. The TP veries came without a follow up but took an average of 4 months instead of 2. I still have 4 TPs out from October reception and several more from Dec and Feb. WGOVs swell letter deserves some comment. Their CE(L.C. McCall) wrote the following. "Well OM I guess you thought you were never going to get a verification from your report of Dec 20th. (My reception report was Nov 6th)but here it is, and as the old saying goes Better late than never. I'm really sorry to be so late with this and take this means to make an apology. It is not my policy to make such a delay but as you know the present emergency is really taking its slice into employment of radio stations and our station seems to have been right under the blade-therefore my work has been just doubled up so that I am now catching up." I think his explanation would fit most of the stations. WGOV has applied for 1kw on 950 kcs but the FCC hasnt taken any action as yet. Speaking of letters from Radio Stations, I wonder how many NRC members received one from WvNY recently?(Please see this letter reproduced on the front page of this bulletin)In view of WvNY's record of cooperation and their fine veries, I personally feel that the NRC members should try to find these lacking parts that WvNY has asked for. I am right with Frank Lee on the TAs. I havent heard 42 but I did hear my 1st African..Radio Alger on 941, it is quite good sometimes around 1:30 AM EST. Their peak signals was R6 here. Some of the smaller TPs have been good, 2TM-4ZB-3ZB seem to be the leaders. 2WL can be hrd behind 3ZB nearly any morning and some data was copied from 2GB-4BK-3YL-2GZ-2BL-1ZM-2KO-1ZB and a station on 1390. Several mornings Ive hrd a weak spick on 890 just after WENR signs off. Could this be CB-89??? The signal never has been above R3 yet. There is a very strong Spick behind KNK. I thought the announcer said LRL but didnt want to use my imagination too much and make a mistake. The station was copied from 12:23 to 12:59 AM EST Feb 18th. (I rec a letter also and put in on the front page)

JESSE STRAWN-HOLTON KANSAS. Well boys I wont be sending in any more DX reports for a while, because "I'm in the Army now" Am just waiting for my induction notice. Will send another new address soon-Hi. But will keep reading the bulletins to see what you boys are doing. So keep up the DX News and I'll try to send in some Army news once in a while. To BOB BROWN-Are you in the Army yet? How about a letter so us soldiers can keep in touch with each other? "Keep them Py.ing". (OK Jesse we'll see that you get those letters, this bunch of NRC members can sit down and write a few lines. As soon as I get your new address I'll get it in the bulletin-Bye Best of luck to you always.)

JIM WEDEWER-DYMERSVILLE IA. Sure had hard luck with the specials lately. Missed WKNY-WJRD by oversleeping and substation here was noisy on CKVD and CFOS not heard due to WMBR & XEFC not hrd and also missed some good AMs for TPs. (Well Jim CFOS wasnt on I believe as they were not heard here in Buffalo-Ray) Latest veries are nice letter from WMAZ-KTBS-KWKH-WJAG with membership from WJHP Sky Commuter's Club and finally a card from XEAC, also cards from VLG2-VLW2-VLR which was censored twice. I hrd my first TA on 2/18 on 1075 kcs which is listed as Bordeaux. Other catches are WCBA-XEU-XECA-CFAC-KRMC-XECL-KWJJ-WRNL, reported to most of em. 2/23 this eve worst DX in ages, couldnt even hear at 7PM and eastern stations. Congratulations to Fred and would be glad to take over for him if necessary. I always did enjoy SW slightly better than BCB. I have 163 BCB veries in one year of DX. (Good going Jim)

FRED BOICHERDT-MILWAUKEE WISC. A short turn across the band and we have latest QSL's from WSUN-KOIL-KOB-WAAT-CKCK. Latest reports out to WITH-WOLS and follow up reports out to ~~WCOU~~ WCOU-CHAB-WJMA, also reported to CKVD on special. CKVD sure was badly hetrodyner and I was only able to log them during intervals when their signal came thru. KORE sent a rejection card, saying I didnt have enough information to grant verification. (KORE should be given a rousing vote of thanks for being so kind as to let the DXer know that his report was not sufficient to warrant a verification instead of letting sit home and wonder why no verie came) I think Carroll Seth's idea about moving the convention up is 100% and I'm for it. (The rest of you boys express your ideas so we know what to do, If the convention is moved up we should have enough advance notice so arrangements can be made. Please boys drop a line as to your idea of having the convention sooner than last year. A card to HQ will do)

JACK QUINTRELL-SEAT PLEASANT MD. Late veries include, WISR-WCED-WMSD-WIBC-WOSH-CHML-KLO-WHCU-WMAZ-HJCU-KGBS-KTMS-KVEC-KSFO-KYA-KJBS-KGFJ-KRKD-KWBW. Not many new reports out. Tnx to Dick Cooper for my WISR verie after 6 months. Verie from WMAZ for May 1940. Only new stations hrd are CMHK on 2/15 DX. Received QSL from VQ5KLA-14203 kcs for 1939, that makes country # 127 on 20 meter phone. (Guess Jack it was one of those weeks when it got stalled on the way-hay)

JOE BECKER-HAMILTON OHIO I got a pretty good report on WKNY although WKRO messed up until 3:30. (And I wanted to get WKRO-Ray) then WJBK-WBWS got in their licks. Was lying in bed Saturday morning waiting for alarm to ring and finally decided to look and see what time it was, it was 3:10 and I had it set for 2, boy did I bounce out of bed. No sign of KPAS or WASK. I probably missed them, am I slipping or am I? 4 reports to WKRO but no verie, is WJMS still on the air? Verie still coming for Oct 6th special. Say id Dick Cooper and Pat Reilly in the DX picture? KWBW hrd 12/17/41 verified 2/17/42. Corporal Joe is now at Indiantown Gap Penn. I have 2 SWL cards and QSL 100%. One of my cards has N R C across the top in 1-5/8 red letters. Total SWL cards received 1730 and total BCB verifications is 1446.

LEO HERZ-CHICAGO ILL. Verie in from WSBM. Report sent to WBYN? who comes in swell in the morning. On the week end of the 28th if nothing unforeseen happens I am going for a visit to Joe Becker in Hamilton. I will take my portable along and will send a DX report on DX heard on the train I dont want to set the World on fire, I just want to set the Flame to Tokoyo and Berlin, by US Defense Bonds and Stamps.

ERIC BRISTOW-CHICAGO ILL Only new report out os to KFBK, several others still unanswered. I fianlly received a card from VLQ2 from a report sent in 1940 or 41. Will try another soon on some of the others.

NICK EVANGELISTA-W HAMBURG PA. My total veries at present is 385 and I am really afraid that I wont reach the 900 mark this season. I just dont get time to do any DXing. Will just have to wait until I get the time and then watch me go to make up for lost time. Still have reports out to WTMA-KFFA-HJAR-YV6RE. I am praying that I will get that verie from YV6RR as that is the only country I need in South America, to give me a verie from every country there. I would need one from Guiana but I dont believe they have any BCB station there. I have heard many many stations in Venezuela but could never get a verie from there, reports were all very accurate and then with follow ups still no veries. This last report was the most accurate I have ever sent to a station there and if they wont verify then I will just about give up hopes of verifying that country. I am going to display my veries at a Hobby show to be held in Reading Pa. Have started to put them all on wall board so I can show them all. (Will "ick hope your display was a big success-day)

POP EDGE-BUFFALO N.Y. Well after last weeks issue I will have to show up with a DX report of somekind and let you boys know that Kenny Page and George Burnett arnt the only DXers in Buffalo. Finally received some VERIES, letters from WSON-WFCI-WMBR and cards from WRNL and KLO. Total now 640. Reports out to WNAC-CKVD-WKNY-WKMO-KVCV-KPRO and another to WAOV but no verie. Nothing new in 2 nights from 12mdt to 3am. Hope the rest of the week isnt as bad as I would like to get a few more new ones. WGR on 550 seems to work in streaks, off a couple nights and then on again, looks as if they have a contest between WGR and WKBW. Well to-day 2/26 2 more veries received, letter from WKNY for their special and lo and behold finally one from WAYX for a report of 11/11/41. Thanks to Joe Becker for his info on WAYX's new verie signer. So boys if you need WAYX better get a report to them while this fellow is still with them. Frank Oblinger is his name.

LEFTY COOPER-WORLD SERIES-NEW YORK At last a couple of veries, WGAA-WLOF Total now 974 and I'm still plugging for 1000. 2/18 Got up to try for KLBA(3rd Wed-4:15-4:30) but found WMSD on instead, but I picked up a new one in KBAD. WELL was testing on 1400 kc. 2/21 WKNY received on DX. WJDK was loudest, then WKNY and then WBSW. Their DX was swell. Someone else was testing on 1490 around 4 with inevitable whistles. CKTB's usual swell signal was coming in with its DX program. 2/22 I got the first 3 letters of the call of a Mex on 1550. XEM?. XEML is listed on 1550 in RADEX. Another Mex over KSTP at 1:15. Cuban on 1440 until 1:32. WHT was on until 2:58 this day. 2/23 Who is the French speaker on 1150 kcs? Is it England? This station was a good R 8 at 1:30. Also hrd carriers on some of the freq listed by Frank Lee and Bob Brown but since verifications are impossible, I didnt hold on to them. WPAT's carrier was on at 1:45. Mex on 830 until 3am. WSB-WMAQ-CKLA all off at 3. WINN logged on test. KEG was on till 3:33 and WJHL had freq check 3:20-3:35. WOLS was testing at 3:48. WSIR at 3:55. No sign of CFOS(Not hrd in Buffalo either) Letter came from WKNY asking for parts to complete their xmitter. Thats a new one on me, but if any of us can help we certainly should.

ELDON ADDY-MARCUS IA. Not much DX here. Only veries in from WLOL-WTJB-WFCI. WFCI tnx to Ray's tip. KCmO and WHL reported on day programs. Reception has been very bad due to much static. Will not do much DX from now on as I am going to night school. Labor Day still suits me as the best time for convention but one can never tell what may happen. XEJ signs off at 1:00 Am EWT. Has anyone received a verie from them in the last year? Afraid RADEX is going to fold up unless more subscribers. (I dont know if they will issue one in march, it looks bad at present)

DOES ANYONE KNOW THE WHEREABOUTS OF PAT RILEY?

LEN KRUSE-DUBUQUE IA. The past week I did very little DXing, no not even a new station logged. 2/19 hrd KFFA 3:45-4 AM EWT with freq check, must be on the 19th of month or 3rd Thurs. CKTB's DX program hrd very good all am of 2/21. The special for our club from WKNY not hrd, both WJBK & WWSW was just too much. 2/23 WBIR hrd at 3:55; WOLS at 4 am testing. Nothing at all from CFOS DX special, doubt if they were on as they were hrd last October with DX at R7 signal. (Not heard in buffalo Len, they probable heard WABK pounding in night after night so thought it would be useless, although nothing hrd from them as yet-Ray) A nice verie letter from WOSH signed by Nathan Williams c.c. telling of their test on March 11th (Lets shower them with reports) also informs me that my report was the 1st received from Iowa. Only other verie from KHQ. I second Carroll Seth's motion to have NRC convention eariler than Labor Day, as many of us younger members will be in the armed forces. Hope I can be among you. A number of us wonder what happened to veries lately. I received a good example in a letter from one of the small stations. (I am not printing the contents of the letter received by Len because it is the same as the one received by Bob Brown and is published in his report. The main item in both letters is the shortage of help-Ray) I hope this is OK Len.

GEORGE BURNETT-BUFFALO N.Y. The weather conditions and static have been very bad for DX. On 23 and 24th especially. 2/23 heard 2YA on 850 kes at 4:30 am EWT, others believed to by TPs were heard on 650-830 and 840 kes. Also hrd a Spick on 1310 kes sign off at 2:05 AM EWT, can any one tell who they were? I can only DX 2 nights a week due to working from 12 mid to 8 am 5 nights a week. Am using a Hallicrafters SX 25 with a flat top and vertical antenna. The flat top seems to work best on SW while the vertical seems best on the BCB.

DON BARNES-ST ONGE S. DAK. Not much to report last week so aiant. Feb 14th bulletin not received here until the 20th, first time it has been late. (Guess it was just waylaid some place Don) Only reports out since first of month are WAIT-KUTA-KWFC. However some very troublesome stations verified this month as follows; KUTA signed by Lyole O Wahlquist; KELA by Don C Wheeler; KVIC signed by O A Rasmussen Jr; KTMS by Mary K Hogan and KYMC by Ed Benham Jr.; KUTA say they are still using 250 watts but expect to go on 5kw soon, should be hrd better in the East over KVI. XETU hrd morning of the 19th on 1460 with test program and off at 2:46 AM EWT Letter from KINY signed by W R Nicholas say they relay KIRO news from 3:34-4 AM EWT (They use PST in Alaska) Feb 21st bulletin arrived 2/24. I will check on Idaho stations to see if any are in clear at sign off.

GRANT LATSON-WESTFIELD N Y Congratulations to Fred Van Voorhees. Four veries received past week, card from KJBS, letters from WPRO-CKVD for NRC special and WMAZ by A Williams, pro dir. Reports sent 2/17 to CKVD on 1230 for NRC special Q2-4 R 7-9 (How do you get the verie so fast?) 2/19 2PA2 on SW; 2/20 KRSC on 1150 4:42-5 Ad Q4 R9 also WCRC on XW, on 11830 kes 7:43-8PM. 2/21 WKNY on NRC special 3-4:05 covered ~~xx~~ WJBK and WWSW, only bother was station in Ill testing. CKTB on 1550 4:07-4:48 a Q5 R9; WMAZ verie is pretty peach letterhead on lemon yellow paper. On 1430 kes I was puzzled by what I heard on 1/21 & 1/22. It was 3ZB according to Jim Wedewer, 5am news period and 4-5 am comedy and drama, reached a peak of Q4. R9. How does Lefty sleep thru DX till after 6. I put the cans over my ears and first tune em in. (Take heed Lefty take heed) Well Grant I will have to take back about getting your CKVD verie, mine came this afternoon so all is forgiven-Hi-Ray (Questions & Answers-SW Page 4)

We hope that our new members will send reports often so show the other members how they are doing. Especially Mrs Simpson and her son Frank as from what your editor has heard they have hung up quite a DX record.

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 EDITED by Fred L. Van Voorhees-3061 Fairfield Ave., Cincinnati, Ohio.  
 All Time is EASTERN WAR TIME; Please use that when sending reports.

KCS	CALL	REMARKS	REMARKS
5895	ZNB?	Mafeking, Bechuanaland, This is probably the station in South Africa that is causing confusion to everyone. Hrd with setting up exercises R6 one night at Edt. Also gave talks in a foreign language. BBC news at 1:15AM (J Wedewer-Dyersville Ia)	
5950	XGOY	Chungking, China hrd as late as 10:15 am with R4-5 sig (Wedewer)	
6060	....	*"Radio Centre Moscow" uses this freq now 9:15-9:37 also 7:30-8:55 and from 11:15 PM on. (Norma Maguire-Albuquerque N Mex)	
6110	GSL	London, England, 5:15-12:45am with GSC-9580 kcs and GRH-9825. GRS has been dropped from this xmission to N America. English news at 5:15-6:45-9:00-10:30pm & 12:30 am. French news 7:15 PM. (Fred Borchardt-milwaukee wis.)	
7030	EA--	*Spain station on this freq just below Valencia is believed to be Radio Nacional, Madrid, since they go off at the end of the "Radio Nacional de Espana" program (5:15-5:30) without further announcement. (Roger Legge-Binghanton N.Y.)	
7090	EA9AA	*Believed to be call of the Spanish Morocco station on this freq. This station hrd daily till 6 PM. This one does not relay the Radio Nacional de Espana program. (Legge)	
7095	EA--	*Spain station just above EA9AA still remains unidentified. Signs off about 6:30 PM, uses woman ann frequently. (Legge)	
7280	....	"All India Radio" station signs on at 10 PM with clock striking 7 or 8, probably VUM2 assigned 7270 kcs. Sign on followed by Oriental program. man does announcing throughout. Bad fade 10:30-10:45 PM. (Borchardt) Editors Note-believe this is VUD2 Delhi rather than VUM2, Madras as VUD2 has been reported on 7290 recently.	
7290	DJI	Berlin, Germany to S America 5:50-12:15 am in parallel with DJA-9560; DJW-9650 and DZC-10290; DJI and DJA are hrd very well every <del>xxxxxx</del> evening. (Borchardt)	
8960	TP22	Algiers, Algeria is hrd excellently here 7PM s/off with the La-Marseillaise. (Wedewer)	
9520	....	Vichy, France "La Voix de la France" hrd well at 7PM (Legge) Ed, Note-Does this replace Paris Mondiale on this freq, 2-4:30	
9600	PZX3	*Paramaribo, Surinam gives address as; A.V.R.O.S., Box 150, Paramaribo. Operates 7:40-8:40 PM, Sundays at 8:10 am with religious services. (Legge)	
9630	2R018	Rome, Italy hrd QSA5 R8 with news in English at 10PM (Leo Herz Chicago Ill) Ed Note-IDA reports list this as 2R03 with 2R018 on 9760 kcs.	
9635	XGOY	*Chingking, China hrd R7-8 at 8:40 AM with news in English. This is a new frequency. (Legge)	
9740	CSW7	Lisbon, Portugal hrd excellently here till 10PM s/off. Signs off with clock & anthem (Wedewer) Ed-kept to be on 9735 ex	
10050	....	*French Freedom station with talk in French & musical background from 10-10:30 PM. Hrd QSA5 R7-8 (Herz)	
11710	WLW0	Cincinnati, Ohio signs at exactly 7:45PM with the announcement We will return to the air at 8PM on 9590 kcs. (Borchardt)	
11720	ZPA2	Ascuncion, Paraguay s/off exactly 8:40PM (Borchardt)	
11820	XEBR	Hermosillo, Sonora, Mexico is hrd <del>xxxxxxx</del> all day R6-7 sig very clear-Anyone received their verie as yet. (Wedewer)	
11865	HER5	berne, Switzerland or station believed to be HER5 hrd 8-10PM. Faded out around 10PM with opera program. No English announcements were heard. (Borchardt)	

REMEMBER KEEP YOUR REPORTS COMING IN. YOUR SW SECTION LOOKS SWELL NOW.

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KCS CALL	REMARKS	REMARKS
11880 ....	*Radio Centre Moscow now on this freq 9:15-9:40 in parallel with 15230-6115. (GSL covers the 6115 freq) Also 11:15-11:40 in parallel with 6115 & 9565. English news at 9:25 & 11:25PM (Legge rptd this as Komsomolsk but they ann Moscow(Borcherdt)	
12235 TFJ	heykjavik,Iceland hrd Thursdays 7:15-7:30 PM in contact with NBC for the 7:17 PM broadcast relay. (Herz)	
15105 JLG4	Tokoyo,Japan with English news at 7PM,Chinese news at 8PM & Spanish program 8:30-9 PM. (Borcherdt)	
15170 OQ2AA	Leopoldville,Bengian Congo hrd past couple of days after TGWA s/off at 3PM. Most of program in French-other African(Maguire)	
15230 ....	Radio Centre Moscow hrd nightly 7:15-7:40 PM. Puts in excellent signal.The program consists entirely of English news and commentaries. 9:15-9:40 in parallel with 11880 & 6115. On the 7:15-7:40 transmission a male announcer is used throughout. On other xmissions it is a female announcer(Maguire-Herz &	
15300 2R06	Rome,Italy with English news 6:15PM(Maguire) /Borcherdt)	
15330 KGEI	San Francisco Calif to S America until Ldt,English news at 7:30;8:30;9:30;10:30 & 11:30 PM. (Borcherdt)	
17830 WCBX	Brentwood,N.Y.(NYC) hrd around 1PM.(Maguire)	

Let's discuss them by countries a little-We will start with N America. USA-Our US reports this week come from Norm Maguire and Fred Borcherdt on KGEI, San Francisco-15330 is reported under freq. KGEI also using 9670 7000-6486, in its own right as well as some of the Bolinas xmitters. Other American xmitters reported were WCBX, Brentwood NY-17830 and WLWO Cincinnati-11710. The latter signing off on this freq at 7:45 PM. MEXICO-From here this week we hear of a very good reception in Iowa from XEBB-11820 in Hermosillo. We have no knowledge on its verifying policy to help Jim out but we wish him luck.

SOUTH AMERICA

PARAGUAY-Strangely enough, the only country represented in S America this week. ZPA-2-11720 in Asuncion, Paraguay's xapitol city is the station reported. It signs off at 8:40 PM. (Borcherdt)

AFRICA

ALGERIA-From Algeria we have reports of TPZ-2-8960 and TPZ-12120 both in Algiers. They use a single gong as identification. Stations both close down at 7PM. (Wedewer-Maguire-IDA)

BECHUANALAND-We have the reports of these station on 5895, that might be ZND, heard with setting up exercises around LAMEN T. This Mafeking station is also heard in the afternoons. (Wedewer)

BELGIAN CONGO-OQ2AA in Leopoldville is being reported on at 3PM on 15170 Heard after TGWA signs off. (Maguire)

SPANISH MORROCCO-EA9AA on 7090 is the station from this country reported this week. Roger Legge furnishes the information that it signs off at 6 PM. He still isnt positive of the call, however so how about checking it?

EUROPE

ENGLAND-From England we have reported this week the N American xmissions 7:15-12:45AM being carried by the following, London stations; GSL-6110; GSC-9580; GRH-9825. GRS has been dropped from this xmission(Borcherdt)

FRANCE-Roger Legge reports VICHY now on 9250. IDA shows PARIS MONDIALE and Y both on this freq also. L Herz is reporting a Freedom Station on 10050 with talks in French.

GERMANY-Fred Borcherdt reports the following stations being used on the S American xmissions 5:50-12:15 AM; DJI-7290; DJA-9560; DJW-9560 and DZC-10290. He says DJI & DJA are the best.

ICELAND-TFJ-12235 rptd by L Herz on relay to NBC at 7:15 PM. wonder if there is any chance of getting this station verified these days.

## EUROPE cont

ITALY-Norma Maguire & Leo Herz both reported Italian stations, the former 2R06-15300 and the latter 2R018-9630. For information your editor offers the note that IDA shows 2R018 on 9760 and has 2R03 listed for 9630 kcs

PORTUGAL-CSW7 is reported as one of the better European stations heard in the middle west. It is on 9740 and reported by Jim Wedower.

SPAIN-More has been done by Roger Legge this week in straightening up the tangle on 7 megs. He has reason to believe the station on 7030 is Radio Nacional, Madrid, but still is in doubt about station on 7095 kcs.

SWITZERLAND-Reported this week by Fred Borchardt, HKK5, he says is being heard 9-10PM. It is located in Bern & operates on 11865 kcs.

USSR-This country is providing the real puzzles for all of us. This week Leo Herz, Norma Maguire and Fred Borchardt all reported various frequencies and programs. Apparently the missions 9:15-9:40 PM is heard over 11880-15230-6115 kcs. On the 10:15-10:40 PM missions they seem to be heard on 11880-6115 and 9565 kcs. Also reported 7-8:55 pm on 15239 kcs Norma also reports hearing all 3 of the evening missions on a freq of about 6060 kcs. This is a previously unreported frequency.

## ASIA

CHINA-Chingking is reported on 2 freq this week. Roger Legge reports it on 9635 and Jim Wedower on 5950. Apparently both freq are operated in parallel as the time of reception on both coincide.

INDIA-Fred Borchardt reports a station on 7280 which he believed to be VUM2 in Madras. We at Short Wave HQ differ in believing it to be VUD2 in Delhi. Sked is 10PM to 12:30 AM. They sign on with clock striking 7-8

JAPAN-The only Japanese station this week is from Fred Borchardt who reports JLGA in Tokyo on 15105 and gives a sked of news broadcasts.

## FROM THE EDITORS DESK

Thanks to some of you fellows who are reporting for the first time. We hope to see and hear from you again very soon. Remember it is our hope to make the Short Wave section of the NRC bulletins something really worthwhile. You are the ones who can do it. To Norma Maguire, the column is written on Tuesday night or early Wednesday morning, so the Wednesday morning mail is the very latest for reports to arrive in Cincinnati.

## VERIFICATIONS

From Roger Legge we have the following QSB's received, OPL-EPJ-GRC-VLQ9-PRE9-CUZ-CU12-HJCA-HJCU.

## THE NEW SHORT WAVE CONTEST RULES

The Chairman of the Board of Directors announces that the new 1942 contest has been approved by the Board. Here are the rules;

- 1-Veries will be counted for reception between Jan 1 1942 and Dec 31-42
- 2-Veries may be entered from any and all stations received on frequencies between 1600 and 3000,000 kcs. They must be positive veries.
- 3-Points will be counted as follows;- North America (Mex-US-Can-NF-etc) 1 point; Central America and West Indies 2 points; South America 3 points; Europe 4 points; Asia-Oceania & Africa 5 points; and Antarctica or North Polar regions 6 points. Any ship veries will be counted as the point of land nearest which they are located if such is stated in the verie. If this is not known, they will be counted as the country in which they are registered.
- 4-Prizes will be determined later.
- 5-Judges to be the Short Wave Editor, Jim Wedower, Jack Siringer and the Chairman of the board, with their consent. (Note here that all Judges have not notified chairman of consent-if any change club to be notified)
- 6-As in the present contest, you will have until June 1 1943 to have your final list of veries in to the Judges. (Entrance date may be named, that is a final date to enter except for new veries)



## HERES YOUR SWL SWAP COLUMN

Leo Herz-723 California Ter. Chgo Ill. Jack Wendell-45 Cedar St-Elyria O.  
 Ray Groebe-338 Ellora Av-Elizabeth NJ. Wa Houk-822 Walnut St-Dayton O.  
 Harold Hennix-1588 Tremont St-Cin O. Paul Jones-29711 Electric Dr-  
 Frank Verdig, 2009 Franklin st N.E. Wash D.C. Bay Village O.  
 Harold Pfitzer, 1636 Sutton St-Cin O. Walter Brewer-105 Atlantic Av-  
 Bob Murphy-4771 Willetette Blvd-Port Ore. Providence R I  
 Joe Becker-415 S 11th St-Hamilton O. Art Slopner-1069 Full St-San Fran-  
 Robert Sutherland-9 Audrey St-Balgowlah NSW-Aust. cisco Calif  
 Dick Owen-910 S 67th St-Omaha Neb. Bob Chase-231 Henry st-N Y C NY  
 Jim Wedewer-904 E Victoria Av-Dyersville Ia. Bill Caito-St Paul IND.  
 Victor Felton-1119 S Michigan Av-Wellston O.  
 Verne Farley-475 S 11th St-Marion O. Art Ritchie-27 Coombs Ave-Orange Mass  
 Chas Hoffman-1244 McKeone Ave-Cin O. Frank Kelley-Cunnery School- Wash-  
 John Varga-4758 West End Av-Chgo Ill. ington, Conn  
 W L Johnson-PO Box 546-Carmichaels Pa. Ed Genz-412 Hagel Ave-Linden N.J.

## QUESTIONS and ANSWERS

Wedewer-wants to know the MEX under KNX 1/23 at 1:40 AM; Also who is the  
 MEX on 1310 sometimes, Geo Burnett also wants the dope on this MEX-1310  
 Jack Quintrell-wants dope on verie signers of KBWD-KJR-WKHO-CMAC;  
 Lefty Cooper-wants info on the MEXs on 830-1500-1365-1550 kcs;  
 To Grant Batson-My KILO verie signed by Dalton Lemasurier-agr but here  
 is a later one by Harvey Kees c.c.;  
 To Len Kruse-I got bookpets from WBOG-WBUI-WFMD but the last 2 were  
 several years ago.  
 To Warren-WSLs tests 2nd WED from 2:50-3:05 not 2nd Thur.  
 To Mel Oliver-Is XETB the MEX on about 1365?  
 To Geo Burnett-XEG is on 1050,50,000 watts; The San Jose sta is KQW on  
 740 kcs; 960 is XEU; 980 is CMCK; 1140 is KENT; 1380 is CMHK but it may  
 be WDNX as they have a spanish program every night at 11PM.  
 To F Borchardt-KGVO I believe tests on 4th Tues 3-3:15; and to  
 Ed Wyman-KTSA signs at 1AM.  
 From Don Barnes-The station signing off at 3:13 on 900 kcs was probably  
 CKBI as they are on late irregularly.  
 From Grant-Does WINC had freq ck or when can I get them, also says KQW  
 verifies by letter and EKKO stamp; To anyone needing a New Jersey sta-  
 tion, WAAT is on all night using 970 kcs.  
 From F Borchardt-Data on XEMO-Hrd 10/26/41 with recorded dance program  
 signed off at 2AM EST with station identification in English with the  
 playing of La Goida Drina, QSL rec Dec 1th same as Grants.  
 To Grant-Complete data on KGEI is including relays-7000-7250-9670-10420  
 13780-15330 and 18040 kcs; At present using 15330 and 7250 kcs.  
 To Jim Wedewer-When did you hear CKX, would like their sked. F Borchardt  
 To Don Meyer-Your station on 900 kcs might have been CKBI; Don also wants  
 info on a K station signing off at 3:30 AM under WBYR on 570 kcs.  
 From Joe Becker-who was on 1450 kc on Sun 2/22 at 4:57 AM EWT, male vocal  
 singing I WAS ONLY TEASTIN YOU, then ann said this broadcast is coming  
 to you from----- Then male vocal and voices, then ann mentioned Tippic-  
 canoe-250 watts by the FCC, Bill Stewart speaking, Good morning and then  
 the Star Spangled Banner. any help will be appreciated. (WASK-Joe)

Your Editor is looking forward to a visit from Steve Mann who will  
 spend a couple days at home. Steve also tells of his week end visit to  
 Roger Legge in Binghamton, N.Y. A very swell time was had from the re-  
 marks in Steve's letter. Great things these unexpected visits.

REMEMBER-KEEP THESE REPORTS COMING IN. THIS IS YOUR BULLETIN, MAKE IT GOOD.