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We welcome Henry Wilkinson Jr-3218 Beyonne Ave., Baltimore 14, Md as a new member and the renewals of Alfred E Bruce - Larry E Yarnes and Grant Batson. Thanks a lot boys and lots of good DX.

DX CALENDAR

DATE	CALL	LOCATION	KCS	CLUB	ALL TIME	EWT
OCT 25	WVNY	Watertown N.Y.	790	N R C	4:00 -	5:00 AM
29	WMRF	Lewistown Penn	1490	N R C	6:00 -	7:00 AM
NOV 4	WVBU	Corpus Christi Texas	1010	N R C	3:00 -	4:00 AM
7	WALB	Ogdensburg N.Y.	1400	N R C	2:00 -	2:15 AM
10	WCBI	Columbus Miss	1340	N R C	2:40 -	2:50 AM
10	KORN	Fremont Nebr	1400	N R C	2:00 -	2:30 AM
14	KSJB	Jamestown N.D.	600	N R C	2:00 -	3:00 AM
14	KKXO	El Centro Calif	1230	N R C	3:00 -	4:00 AM
14	WISE	Asheville N.C.	1230	N R C	4:00 -	4:30 AM
21	CHEX	Peterborough Ont	1430	N R C	5:00 -	6:00 AM
27	CJRL	Kenora Ont	1220	N R C	3:00 -	5:00 AM
28 or 29	WAJR	Morgantown W Va.	1230	N R C	4:00 -	4:30 AM
DEC 5	KVCV	Redding Calif	1230	N R C	4:00 -	5:00 AM
11	KGBS	Harlingen Texas	1240	N R C	4:15 -	4:25 AM
13	WKNE	Keene N.H.	1290	N R C	4:00 -	5:00 AM

WVNY-WATERTOWN N.Y. Well this station has agreed to come on again this season, with a DX for your club. How about getting up and tuning in and reporting. Lets show them just how many of us can send a real report that will enable a station to determine how far they are getting out. Your CPC Chairman must have gotten his dates mixed as he failed to send in his usual write ups, so I hope I can fill in, not knowing the Chief Engineers name or the Station Manager. However lets Report to em all.

WMRF-LEWISTOWN PA Well here is Mr. Bopp again and we will be looking forward to tuning in WMRF over the very loud program on WJBK. However in the past we have done it and no doubt we will be able to do it again. The time is as you know from 6-7 AM and that is no reason for anyone to miss this DX. Remember to you who have entered the BCB Contest, these stations count and help boost your total score, when the prizes go out, it might mean that you are just a little higher that if you did not report to all the special DXes.

Again this season we are trying to keep our list of up to date Verie signers in order. So please send your list to Marshall Blanchard, 4035 Prairie Ave., Brookfield, Ill. By doing this you can help yourself to getting those hard to get veries by asking Marsh for the late signer. All you have to do is to write him and enclose a stamp or plain card.

How about entering the 1944-1945 BCB Contest sponsored by your Club? Remember you have until November 1st 1944 to get your entry into the Contest Manager. Do it to-day, create a little more interest in your DXing. Competition helps a lot. Norm Maguire, 609 S Walter, Albuquerque New Mexico.

The N R C congratulates the Newark News Radio Club on its 18th season.

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KCS	CALL	REMARKS
556	Beromunster, Switzerland starting to come thru with R 3-4 sigs at 3AM and on. Good on N. Atlantic. (Van Voorhees-Whitestone NY)
565	....	Athlone, Erie now using 10KW, may come in over here this season Signs on at 3 AM in English. (Van Voorhees)
580	CKEY	CKE onto, Ont s-on with news at 5AM. (Eric Bristow-Chicago Ill)
583	....	Allied Forces Network, London has been coming in here at Whitstone with fair sigs in English. S-on at MDT (Van Voorhees)
600	WKAC	San Juan, P.R. is sometimes confused with CMKV. WKAC has all programs in Spanish. Sked 8AM-10PM. Typ spick (Van Voorhees)
	VOWR	St Johns, Nfld was not hrd all summer altho I tried every time I crossed Nfld which was 8 times (Van Voorhees)
601	CNR	Rabat, Morocco now using 50KW with English & French, (Van Voorhees)
620	....	Brussels No 1, Belgium is back on the air with 15KW and operated by the Belgian Government. (Van Voorhees)
630	CFCY	Charlottetown, P.E.I. sked 6:30A-11:15P (McLeod-W Peru Me)
640	VONF	St Johns, Nfld sked is 8:30AM-10PM EWT (McLeod)
650	....	Radio Nacional a spick hrd recently here. Tnk Radio Nacional may be CX6, Montevideo. Anyone identify it yet? (Van Voorhees)
660	KSKY	Dallas, Tex s/on at 7AM Sun, in clear till WFAF's carrier comes on at 7:15 AM. Hrd 10/15 (Phil Nichols-E Hartford, Conn)
677	....	Bottens, Switzerland with 100 KW is coming in weakly here at Whitestone. Very good in Newfoundland. (Van Voorhees)
695	....	Some discussion as to whether Rennes is on this freq or Paris. A Frenchman is on here with good signal. VHC says Paris and Pan American Airways lists says Rennes (Van Voorhees)
720	????	Spanish sta under WGN as late as 1AM EWT, Fades rapidly. Any one know who it is? (Chas Boehnke-San Francisco, Calif)
722	....	Lisbon, Portugal listed here, is definitely not on. There is no Lisbon station here (Van Voorhees)
749	....	Marseille, France back on air with limited power, expect to return to 100 KW abt Jan 1st. (Van Voorhees)
750	....	A Jap hrd here from 6-7:73 AM, Could be JFAK, Taihaku, Formosa but who knows? (Larry Yarnes-San Carlos, Calif)
776	....	Toulouse, Pyrennes, France hrd all summer operated by the Germans but not hrd Oct 1st and information in French Morocco is that it is off the air. (Van Voorhees)
823	....	Tunis, Tunisia, United Nations Radio hrd here, but uses only low power. Impossible to hear in US. (Van Voorhees)
832	....	Gibraltar station listed, does not exist. (Van Voorhees)
850	VOWN	Corner Brook, Nfld hrd several times this summer while passing over. Sked apparently abt 2-8PM. (Van Voorhees)
868	CNR2	Rabat, Morocco reported by Thomas a couple years ago is non-existent. May be confused with Radio Tunis which is on here carrying local Tunisian Programs in French (Van Voorhees)
890	....	Unknown spick hrd evenings, possibly CX18. (Van Voorhees)
904	....	Hamburg, Germany still with fairly high-power and signs on at 1AM (Van Voorhees)
913	....	Toulouse, France operated by French Provisional Gov carries all programs and is only Toulouse station on in order to conserve power. (Van Voorhees) / (Van Voorhees)
941	....	Radio Algiers with programs in French, on at 2AM. Has abt 20KW
959	....	Poste Parisien back on the air with full power, should be hrd in the US this season. (Van Voorhees)
900	CHML	Hamilton, Ont not heard on alnite this week so far (Pop Edge)
977	American Broadcasting Station in Europe being hrd here sometime paralleling BBC. Must be Belfast Xmtr. (Van Voorhees)
980	WGBG	Greensboro, N.C. definitely checks 17 of month 2-2:15 AM

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/Gabriel Jr-Iskewood 0)

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990	WNOX	Knoxville, Tenn often hrd under XECL at 1AM (Boehnke)
	WPRA	Mayaguez, P.R. checks 3rd WED at 3 AM hrd 10/18. (Nichols)
995	....	Algiers, Algeria, United Nations Radio reported here not hrd.
1000	VOCM	St Johns, Nfld hrd thru the summer. Now has / (VanVoorhees)
	....	500w, increase from 100. Owned by St Johns Even Telegram (Van)
	....	Jap on here nearly every AM. Have hrd this particular Jap ever since the middle of August (Yarnes)
1050	YV5RZ	Maiquetia, Venezuela, location changed from La Guaya (VanVoorhees)
1077	....	Bordeaux, France with good sig, should be coming in this winter. Programs now in French. (Van Voorhees)
1080	....	Casablanca, Morocco with about 2 Kw, has programs in French and occasionally in English) (Van Voorhees)
1122	....	American Broadcasting Station in Europe is apparently the Stagshaw xmtr as a BBC note states that Stagshaw is not being used on 1122 at Present (Van Voorhees)
1150	CHSJ	St John, N.B. now using 1120 kcs according to Jim McNamara of Claremont N.H. (Have asked him to recheck)
	XEJP	Mexico City hrd Sunday AM up to todaylight with popular music 6-6:30 AM good signal. Hrd 10/15. Later checking seems to be on nightly after 3AM. (Nichols)
1167	....	Monte Ceneri, Switzerland now being hrd as far west as Bermuda. Maybe in US (Not hrd at Whitestone) (Van Voorhees)
1185	....	Nice, France now carries United Nations Radio programs (VanVoorhees)
1230	WCOL	Columbus, Ohio silent Oct 12th apparently (E Cooper-Brooklyn)
	WMFR	High Point, N.C. checks 2nd TUES 3:55-4:10AM (E Cooper)
	WBHP	Huntsville, Ala on with check 3rd MON at 3AM 10/16 (Nichols)
1240	KWOB	Jefferson City, Mo checks 2nd THUR 4:45-5 AM (E Cooper)
	WJMC	Rice Lake, Wisc checks 2nd TUES from 3:25-3:40 AM (E Cooper)
	WOMT	Manitowoc, Wisc checks 2nd SAT 4:10-4:25 AM (Bristow)
	WTAX	Springfield, Ill checks 2nd SAT 4:40-4:55 AM (Bristow)
	KOCA	Kilgore, Texas checks 2nd SAT 4:55-5:10 AM (Bristow)
	KVSO	Ardmore, Okla testing 2:35-2:45 or later on 10/10 (McLeod)
	KFBC	Cheyenne, Wyo checks 3rd MON from 7:30-7:45 EWT (Gorsuch) (In AM)
	CFPH	Prince Rupert, B.C. signing off at 3:30 AM (Yarnes)
1258	YLZ	Riga, Latvia hrd with German program last time in Europe (Van)
1270	ZYB5	Natal, Kxix Brazil has 1 KW and a nice studio. One member of the staff speaks English and we might get a DX from them if you fellows think it worth while and if it could be hrd (Van)
1275	HJAT	Barranquilla, Columbia seems to have increased power, as they are about the loudest Columbian hrd. (Van Voorhees)
1290	WFVA	Fredericksburg, Va hrd testing on Sunday 10/15 with reg check 2:20-2:35 AM like a local. (Ores Wilson-Reading, Penn)
1303	ILNA1	Naples, Italy carries United Nations Radio programs part of the day, but s/on with reg Italian programs at 3AM (Van Voorhees)
1320	PRE9	Fortaleza, Ceara, Brazil puts a good signal into Natal and announces 2 KW power. (Van Voorhees)
1340	WHAT	Philadelphia, Pa apparently silent Tuesday AMs (E Cooper)
1342	....	Radio Renascenca, Porto, Portugal increased power to 2KW (Van)
1350	CFGP	Grande Prairie, Alta now s/off at 2 AM instead of 3. G L Sadler, is the chief engineer. (Nichols)
1370	WPAB	Ponce, P.R. checks 3rd WED 3:30-3:40. Hrd 10/18 (Nichols)
	KDTH	Dubuque, Ia checks 2nd TUES 3:30-3:45 AM (E Cooper)
1400	XEP	Juarez, Cosh anyone know if they are on here, or 1420? (Van)
	WPAY	Portsmouth, O checks 2nd TUES 3:30-4 AM (E Cooper)
	WJLB	Detroit, Mich, their new sked is from 6:30-2:30 AM (E Cooper)
	WJAC	Johnstown, Pa s/on at 7:45 AM SUN, hrd 10/15 (Nichols)
1410	WHTD	Hartford, Conn, new call, new owned for WNBC (EC-DC-Gabriel)

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PAT REILLEY-JAMESTOWN N Y I'm still plugging away for the new ones but have been busy. Finally received CJRL after a follow up. CKEY for afternoon reception. Reports to WINK-XEX-KODY. Log reads 1293 verified now. WSLB and WATW veries back from NRC programs and KORN reported to. Missed out on WISE because of burned out tube. KODY not hrd for NRC but received them on test of 10/16 and XEX also caught on 1280 kc at 2:30 AM on 10/16 with English announcements. Not a think hrd from WCBI on 1340 for NRC. Up at 3:30 on 10/16 and missed WJBO. Several times I've noticed that WNOE signs off about 4 AM. Hope they keep it up, (Well Pat they go you one better and sign off at 3AM now-But WRLC now on-Ray) Re;- Joe Hippincotts telling about reply cards...Do you know that you can send OUR Double Post Cards to Canada (plus extra 1¢ stamp on each side) and have it returned to you according to section 37, page 13 of Canadas Official Postal Guide. On 10/17 KAVE was a new one hrd here. To those I owe letters, will answer as soon as possible.

CHUCK BENDER-PITTSBURGH PA I am going into the service tomorrow so that finishes DX for this year. I dont know what branch I will be in, but as soon as I get settled, I will drop you a card. I havent reported any more stations since my last report. Veries have been received from KICD and WBJJ with cards and WJBY with a letter. Outstanding delinquents are WWSR WNBK and WGAC, all out since Sept 11th. (Well Good luck Chuck and lets know of you QRA as soon as you know it.)

EDGAR A KOOP-RODNEY MICH Latest verie received is a nice blue card from XEW, its a printed one. (Well Edgar better send in that Verie signer as I know a lot of boys want XEW's verie-Ray) Reported to XELO also.

JAMES McNAMARA-CLAREMONT N H Veries in from WWSR (Say better send along that verie signer too Jim as that has been a delinquent for many of the boys) Reports out to KMOX-KVOR-KDYL-KPO-WOMT-WFVA-WHBC and WMBG. Tried for WJBO but no soap. (No Jim they were not on so wait until info is received and it will be in the DX NEWS.) Dont see anything from Stearns.

PFC S HENRY FRANKEL-FT MONMOUTH N J Got up for KODY but all I could get was a carrier on 1240. Didnt waste the night as I got enough for a report to WITH. I had just a bit of natural QRM but otherwise they come thru fine. My antenna set up is a horizontal loop of switchboard wire interwoven thru half of my bedspring. But for night use I work in the latrine and use the water pipe. I also have coupled the leads to my RF tube grids and I get fine regeneration making the set hard to adjust but extremely powerful.

HANK WILKINSON-BALTIMORE MD I am a DXer from way back to 1933 but havent been able to keep at this hobby all the time as I traveled too much and it was impossible to do anything whatsoever in certain localities. However in February of this year I moved to a fine spot in a suburb of Baltimore and thats when I got started again. After a lay off since the 38-39 season I was able to purchase a new Hellicrafters SX-28 and have had fine results. Actually my DX days have been so scattered its a wonder I never gave up altogether. But the bug seems to be always with me. At one time I was one of the 6 District Managers for the IDA and a DX LPO for the Radio News.. My interest in DX has always been on the BCB and strictly foreigners. I have DXed on SW but not much interest there. Have hopes of getting some foreign veries this year. My veries are HHK-ZNS-Tr8est(ILTR) Turin(ILTO) Milan(ILMI)-LR8-CX26-Radio Normandie-10-AB-YV1RC-LR5-WKAQ-TGW-LR1-LS2-CP4-Poste Parisien-WPRA-WNEL-HIX-Heilsberg-VE9EK-10BQ-10BP-KFPM-VK4CG-VK4RK-VK3QR and WIAC. This year I've already heard Rabat Morocco-Radio Algiers-several BBC stations at 49 plus and several French stations. I believe the TAs will be in earlier than usual. (OK Hank and this issue of the DX NEWS & freq frolic column should interest you-Ray)

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1420	WSMS	Natal, Brazil "Service Mens Station" is on the air from 6AM until MDT mostly with rebroadcasts and records, 250w (Van)
1440	KGNC	Amarillo, Tex testing 2:45-3:15 on 10/16. This was heard between this time. (Bristow)
1450	KLBM	LaGrande, Ore cannot DX according to manager, the former c.e. Murry Durham is now at KTKN at Ketchikan, Alaska (Nichols)
	WNOE	New Orleans off as early as 3AM. (Nichols) Heard them announce as s/off every AM at 3AM EWT (Edge)
	WRLC	Toccoa, Ga hrd 10/19 at 4:15 and announced as being every AM at this hour with Sterling Hospital Plan as sponsor, well it looks bad, WNOE goes off then WRLC comes on. (Pop Edge)
	WMFY	Daytona Beach, Fla testing at 8:08 on 10/10 (McLeod)
	WGNC	Gastonia, N.C. checks 2nd TUES 4:30-5 AM (E Cooper)
	WTBO	Cumberland, Md checks 2nd MON 5:40-6AM No music (Gabriel)
1460	KTYW	Yakima, Wash evidently on reg sked now. Runs dance music from 2-2:55 AM, news 2:55-3AM when they s/off, signal rather weak behind heavy noise level on 10/18 (Nichols)
	KTYW	Yakima, Wash is definitely on the air (D Cooper)
1470	HISC	Trujillo City, D.R. will be a good one. Hrd him on testing the morning of 10/8 from 4-4:30 AM in Spanish. (Van Voorhees)
1480	VOUF	or VAUF Gonder Lake, Nfld, 500 watts with reg service pro (Van)
1490	EAJ43	Santa Cruz de Tenerife, Canary Islands, 8 KW puts in a grand daytime signal on west coast of Africa. (Van Voorhees)
1500	EAJ50	Las Palmas, Canary Islands now here with 250 watts, fair daytime signal on West coast of Africa (Van Voorhees)
	EAJ59	Cadiz, Spain hrd with what sounds like about 10 KW (Van Voorhees)
	....	Fort de France, Martinique is on the air every day (Van Voorhees)
1550	ZYC2	Caxambu, Brazil recently with CP is now on the air from 4 to 10 PM daily with 100 watts.
	WKEQ	Kindley Field, Bermuda on the air, but do not know freq (Van)
1570	CFPL	London, Ontario hrd at 10PM out here (Yarnes)

Well boys there is your Freq Frolic column, boys Fred Van Voorhees certainly sent in some swell dope for you tuners of foreign stations, now lets see you go out and get them. Good luck and many should be heard and you will have a little better knowledge of what you are hearing. OK Fred.

To PAT;- Hello Pat- It was a swell dream, all off. How about a letter-Bill.

BOB GORSUCH-THREE RIVERS MICH Verified this season are WISH-CKEY-WAJR-WFNC-CJBC-KHMO-WATW-KEXL-CJRL and WOSH. Reports out to WJOB-WMEX-WGGA-WKBB-WHOT (strong here, a daytime station regular only 50 miles away) WINK-WGAC-KCBS-WTOP-KODY-KFBI-KAVE hrd this morning during freq check program with strong signal on 10/17/ XESM strong this AM on 1470 with recorded program. Can, or has anyone verified this station recently (Well Bob I reported but still waiting for Verie, over 6 months-Ray) If any one has a verie, the signer please. Who was the strong Mexican on 1150 this AM? (That was XEJP on every AM-Ray) KFBC was hrd and dope is in the freq folrics, may be good for Western DXers, no good here in East.

BILL STONE-TORONTO ONT. Well it looks as if DX is out for me for some time, at least until I get out of the hospital. Anyway have received these veries;- WHOP-WKLA-WIND-WFCI-WJHO. No kick at all, sent out 20 reports and received 20 veries, thats 100%. Its now 800 hrd and verified.

ERIC BRISTOW-CHICAGO ILL Well it took me just 4 years to get a verie from WBBM. Hrd KODY OK. Friday was a jinx to me, set alarm but clock wasnt running and almost late for work. Working hard as Soldiers mail is really heavy. Working overtime.

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SGT JESSE B STRAWN-37151397
23rd TOW TARGET SQUADRON
APO 832 % POSTMASTER
NEW ORLEANS, LA

Well from way down here in Panama, Hello to all youse guys. Dont get in the bulletin much anymore, but sure enjoy reading all the DX you boys drag in. Just keep up the good work, but watch out for us guys in

the Service when we get back. Will really show you up-Hi. Would enjoy hearing from any of you and I promise to answer. Was swamped for awhile but am all clear now. So how about it? Good luck to you all and good DX.

FRED VAN VOORHEES-WHITESTONE N Y I just got back this week from a 2 week trip to North Africa via the West Indies and South Brazil. I had the pleasure of visiting WSMS and ZYB5 in Natal, Brazil, WVDI in Cocorite, Trinidad, WXLQ in Bermuda (Forgot to ask what freq he is on) and CNR in Rabat, Morocco. That last station is really famous for DXers. He has long been the one African BCB station in the logs of many DXers. Of course I dont have any Africans, but its a good idea. The C.E. there speaks English fluently, in fact was educated in England. He is a swell person, French but really OK. He thinks a lot of his reports from the US and Canada and says he hopes CNR will get across again this winter. Says he had ten reports from across last winter which wasnt so bad. He also does some work down on the Casablanca station. Says the antenna down there is directional toward the US, so maybe we'll hear them on 1080 kc this winter. I have been up a couple times this week with no success. The hurricane blew my antenna down, and I dont like to bother to put it up since we are to leave here by the 15th of next month. I want a good one at the new place.

GRANT BATSON-WESTFIELD N.Y. No DX here since last April but maybe the gang would like to know that I am still around Ox Bow Hill. I have been on a night shift (7 to 7AM) as forman for over a month and may have about another week of it. So will likely be slow in getting back to DX. Just got the electric motor back from being rewound, burned out during an Electric storm Labor Day (Did Edge falling out of bed at Kittanning cause that too??) So my water carrying is over. Still have most of our crops to get in. On 10/12 got home about 7:30AM and tuned the radio for some news and at 7:40 AM still heard KNX on 1070 kcs. Wanted Bernia, Ont but seems Calif is better. Will have to try again.

HEDLEY SIMMONDS-HAMILTON ONT. Have received veries from KODY-KVFD-KTOK-WHOP-KLO-WIAC-KERN-KWBU-WKNY-KRO3-WTOP-WKAT-WLDS-WLOG-WMBS-WAGA-WAOV-WPRA-WHCU-CKEY-WTRY-CJRL (on last DX of Sept 23rd) Had considerable trouble in logging CJRL-terrific static and carrier interference by some unknown station on 1220 kcs who did not send out any music or make any announcements but kept puttingv on their carrier which was plenty strong. here (closing or rather darkening the tuning eye on my set and as soon as they cut their carrier the eye brightened considerably and CJRL came thru stronger) too much static to be enjoyed. Who ever the station was they must have been fairly close to here or they would not have made such a decided change in the color of the tuning eye on the set. Have also logged in past few days the signals of CBV on 980 kcs and WERC who are now on 1230 kc. Am looking forward to hearing from them in near future. Have not had much success with the freq checks so far this season-too much WITH on 1230 and WJBK on 1490 with other 24 hour stations at other points covering the frequencies that I need stations on. Even our local CHML has joined the crazy loons clogging the airways, they have been operating 24 hrs a day for several months and for the life of me I cannot see the good they are doing especially as we have been requested by the powers that be to conserve electricity for the use of war industries and Radio equipment is supposed to be hard to get-(Will Hedley looks as if CHML is off as I havent heard them the last 2 monnings-hoy) (Me to Hadley on your sediments on the allnighters, but WNOE is off at 3AM)

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NEWT MC LEOD-WEST PERU ME Have a beaut of a cold but did get in some listening last week and the first of this. New veries from WATW-WSLB-WAGM on last springs special. They didnt have much luck but they may run another. (Yes Newt Phil has contacted them) TO LARRY YARNES-Tax for dope on KOB. WONF announces return to the air as 10AM to 11:30PM NFLD time which is 8:30AM to 10PM EWT or 5:30AM to 7AM PWT. For this reason I dont think it is VONF that Botzum hears. VONF does rebroadcast BBC news at 9PM EWT but they do not use EWT time. They may have a quiet period during the day but I never heard them before 5:35PM so couldnt tell you. Incidentally I guess I should explain that it is only my mail QRA which has changed, I am still in the same house as last winter and with the same setup except for the aerial. I now have about 100 ft of 7x22 wire strung WNW-ESE about 30 ft high with a 50 ft lead off the west end. That is as close as I could get to "Pops" suggestions and it works fine. It brings in western stations that never caused a whisper on the set last year. (Glad it works so good Ray) I am getting almost nightly reception of CFCY now that WPRO hasnt a good antenna. Maybe some of the others can hear this P.E.I. kilowatt while WPRO is down. Tuesday 10/10 netted a fair sized bunch of TAs, first of the season but they were about all gone by 2:30 AM. BBC on 668 kc-767-804-877-1013 and 1149 kcs. Another station on about 760 kcs which I think may have been Katowise, Poland. It had the usual cherry frau, you hear on SW but wasnt very clear. Several promising howls but couldnt seem to break out in the clear. A very weak station on about 660 kc that I could swear was using English but it disappeared about the time the TAs, so it couldnt have been KFAR. Did catch CJOC s-off at 1:36 under terrific howl but not enough for a report. KICD is one of the new ones I never got before and it came in very well. (They think so too Newt as on their DX 10/17 they announced several times about getting a report on their last DX from 61 miles north of Portland Maine-Ray) However I think conditions are much better this year. Am getting better stuff than at any time last winter, even on the old doublet which is still up. Had planned to make an all-night session but went to sleep about 3:15. What I need is a clock that rings about every 15 minutes.

JAMES McNAMARA-1 PEARL ST-CLAREMONT N.H. First of all note the NEW QRA. Reports out to WMBR-WWSR-CHSJ-KORN-WBLK and WJLB. No veries in as I sent the first report out Wednesday the 11th. Had a hard job to get KORN thru WJLB, though after WJLB went off at 2:30 everything was clear except KVGB once in a while would horn in. Could not hear WCBI at all. Were they on?

STANWOOD R MORSS-BRADFORD MASS Not much time for DX here yet. Veries from CJBC-CKEY and WNAC. Hope to get going soon and report some of the specials. The CPC is sure doing a swell job this year, and to think they are only beginning the season. (OK Stan and lets hope you can get in there soon)

DR JOHN W KIRK-PT PLEASANT W VA The following is a Quote from a letter received from Mr. Jose Carriazo Jr. As regards my mystery Cuban on 540 here is his Quote "There is not any Cuban station on 540 kcs. CMW broadcasts on 550 kc and maybe they have crystal trouble sometimes. I feel more than glad to enclose the complete list of Cuban stations and their addresses and skeds in EWT. About the best way to get a verification of Cubans it is my suggestion to write a short letter in English or Spanish enclosing return postage and a detailed report of items heard. There is no special way of getting a verification card, except on your own luck. You mention that many Cuban stations have ignored your reports and requests for verifications. Guess you are right. Many stations are not able to verify and just imagine I am awaiting for a verie from COK since 3 months ago! End of Quote" (OK Doc I will get the list in either this one or next for sure, however I will omit the phone numbers- Glad to hear from you any time, but during the weekly season dont expect an answer

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JOE ENZ-BROOKLYN N Y Was up at 3AM to try for KODY, if they were on I didnt hear them, all I hrd was a carrier from 3:45-4:15 AM, then gave up. Hope I'll hear KORN this AM. To BOTZUM, your station on 640 kc could be CFCY, Charlottetown, P.E.I. on till late as 10PM. Also would like to let you know that CBK-Watrous, Sask is banging in R-8 from 8PM on 540 kcs. Did try for ZNS but all I hear is CFCY. Sent a US Govt post card, self addressed and report of reception on last March DX from KWSC. It came back signed by R.E. Baird, C.E.

JOHN D. LONG-DALTON GA Just received my CJRL verie yesterday and it certainly was a nice letter from Mr. Sands. Their call in large red letters at the top. Said he was pleased to send me the letter as a verification. Also said he would DX again Monday morning November 27th from 3-5 AM EWT and hoped the signal would be stronger down this way. He s nt best wishes to all the members of the NRC. KORN was hrd the 13th on its DX the first 15 minutes being good then very bad fadeing. They dedicated it to the members of the NRC. Hrd yours and Phil Nichols dedication on it. They had an hours DX instead of 30 min. WCBI very poor, didnt get report to them. Tried for WJBO this AM but they wasnt on. Hope to heard em this AM.

CPL LEONARD KRUSE-FT MONMOUTH N J Among my newest logged stations at this location was Buffalo's WBEN and also WGBI. I'm keeping on the alert for WQAN, Scranton that is on the air less than 1 hour a day. Several days ago I visited with Pvt S Henry Frankel, also of this camp and from his conversation he's out for some big DX. He tried hopelessly for the NRC Special KODY recently. The CPC is really getting some fine specials. I believe , as Ed Schleicter suggested, a complete list of Freq Checks would be appreciated by the members. It was reported to me that the new Yakima station KTYW was testing last week. Am trying to log as many eastern stations as possible, while out here so would greatly appreciate the sign-on and sign-off times of the following stations which are mostly DAYTIME ONLY. Please specify Sundays sked if possible. WHCU-WHLD-WNBZ-WHJB-WEEU-WQAN-WDEV-WFVA. Thanks fellows. Logged completely all stations from Conn. Del-Wash D C-R.I. and New Jersey but from Maine, I need a dl 7, thats bad.

CHARLES BOERNKE-SAN FRANCISCO CALIF Well this is my first report to the NRC. DX around here is very good but I just do not have the time to twirl the dials. Only 3 veries so far this season, CJOC-KFXM and WJR. A report is out to KGU and also to KOB, so you can see I havent done much. Naturally all the 50kw stations in the East are good but I have them all verified. By all I mean babies like WJR-WHO-WBZ-WLAF-KDKA-WCAU-WHAS-WSB-CMX which seemed to be humming in here really swell and is starting up again for the last DX season. Also KGMB who came in, in mid-evening thru all the QRM like a ton of bricks was verified last season. Most of my DXing was done last season but I hope to get in something this season. I heard HJAN a few months ago and because I didnt verify foreign stations at the time I missed out, but I'm gonna work on all the ones I missed and get em this season by cracky. I'm going to try to verify all Alaskans and Hawaiians. Incidentally during the latter part of last season in fact guess it was around May-June I was hearing a Chinese station on 1450 kcs, this while I was in Los Angeles. After informing the general public in VRC I finally found it was XGOA in Chungking, China, 10,000 wetts I'll bet I never get another catch like that in ten thousand life times.

RALPH JOHANNIS-BUFFALO 3 N Y Reported to WDSU and received veries from WATW and WHBC, hes the one that interfered some. Then got a letter from CJRL and complete log for one day and its very interesting, and mentions he will DX again Nov 27th 3-5AM Guess I'll enter the veries contest. OK Ralph, I'll give you a call soon, getting over a lousy cold here and havent done much outside the bulletin. -Ray)

Boys remember send your Verie signers to Marsh Blanchard. keep em up.

DICK COOPER-KITTANNING PA Only new verie is a letter from WINK. Reports out to WMOH and WHOT. The latter hrd testing 10/13 at 2AM, (Correction it was WMOH hrd at that time* Yea Lefty your daffy thats not news. but WNOE has been s/off early. I heard them leave the air at 3AM EWT. KGNC testing on 10/16 until 3:31. Aurora Borealis has been causing considerable interference the past week. Who was testing on 1380 kcs on 10/16 at 3:20? without making any identification. CJRL were pleased with the results of the Sept DX which netted them numerous reports despite the short notice. I have sent Norm Maguire my contest entrance fee and hope a lot more of you fellows have also. I wont be much competition this year since I am nôt planning to re-verify with the exception of the stations running Special DX programs for us and a few of the check dedications. I appreciated Joe Lippincotts tips on tuning the TAs but to be honest about it, I cant get much kick out of foreign DX. The USA and Canada hold most interest for me and you dont have to worry so much about getting veries from them. In addition to the lists of Stations Logged and Verified as compiled by Frank Wheeler, I'd like to see the lists of Stations Needed by our various members who have large logs. How many of the boys have all the USA verified? How many need 10 etc. Maybe one of our boys that likes to compile figures and facts will volunteer to handle this. In addition to being of interest to the members, it would be of benifit to the CPC in that we could tell various stations such as KGFX that 96% of our membership would like to have the chance to tune in their station. Just an idea--lets see someone develope it.

LEFTY COOPER-BROOKLYN NYY Veries in from WSLB-WATW-WKLA and CBJ, the last 2 being new and making my total now 1035. 10/12 Terrible morning for DX and WCOL seemed to be silent. I tried for 31 minutes before KODY finally broke thru the heavy QRN and they then showed thru only in spots but I got a small report on them. KWOS tested 4:45-5AM which is why we advanced KODY to 3:45-4:45; 10/13 KORN had plenty of trouble trying to get thru WJLB and WHBC but they stayed on until at least 3AM and WJLB signed at 2:30 after which KORN was pretty good. WCBI was absolutely impossible. WHAT was coming in like a local and WEXL could hardly be copied behind them. I didnt hear WJBO Sunday or Monday. Monday morning, only a Spick could be heard. I hope Wilbur Golson is going to be with us this season. Fllows please dont let me down on those reports.

"MR UP PAUL KNIGHT REPORTS AGAIN"

After reading that bit of verse by member Carroll Seth, who also poses as a DXer, we couldnt resist reviving our column in the DX NEWS. Perhaps if Ray can appropriate a little space for us, we'll be in each week with a little "off the record" dope just to keep things in order. Now as to this fellow Seth, they tell a story back in his home town something like this.

Neighbor Lady; "My son was such a brilliant lad that he read all of Shakespeare's works before he was ten years old"

Mrs Seth; "Ahah, and thats nothing. My Carroll read them before that age in the Original Greek;

Congratulations are in order for Sid Steel and his newly acquired bride. Sid is a most considerate husband. He advised his bride, Dont make any more of those biscuits, dead. The better half queried, "Why not?" and Sid answered, "Your too light for such heavy work".

Mrs. Nichols; "Its strange your always like this after one of those DX Conventions, Phil."

Phil; "Its the food they give you to drink, dear".

Well boys things are going swell, all except the 3rd class mail, but we'll get it out with it a while. Keep those reports in.

Again this week no write ups, no program occurring until October 25th. (Yea Lefty but this bulletin is October 21st, only 4 days from the 25th) I have something else for you, though, and I refer you to something below in regard to my opinions and here it is;-

DEAR FELLOW MEMBERS;- Mr Johnnie Walker Wicks, of WATW says in letters to Phil Nichols and to your CPC Chairman that he received a GRAND TOTAL of 8 reports from his Frequency Check. Mr Cliff Moore of WSLB got 6. Now I'm asking you fellows, Do you want DX programs this season? If you do, you will have to do better by these stations. WATW, it was expected was to have dedicated to us every month. They have now changed their minds and Mr Wicks is wondering if he didnt do right by us on his program. It isnt that it was difficult to hear, it came in almost as strongly as WHBQ. So this is a final appeal. Please report to every station which DXes for us. If it is impossible, then send along a THANK-YOU CARD. So come on, neither WSLB nor WATW mentioned receiving any of these. Lets save our hobby. I know you want to do this, and to do it we will have to send reports to all stations who are good enough to dedicate to us. Remember IT COSTS THEM MONEY AND TIME-IT COSTS US JUST POSTAGE..

To all, this sheet will be left out of the bulletins that are sent to the 2 stations that are on for us this week, namely WWNY and WMRP as it is felt that they need not see how many reports NOT TO EXPECT. I too feel that many of us are getting lax in reporting to the specials. It is believed that many feel as if they do not want to report and verify stations, they already have in their logs, but it must be remembered that we do have new DXers who do not have these stations and want to hear them. It is up to us older fellows to keep reporting them or sending at least a thank you card, and it is my idea that when sending that card tell them that you did not bother to report as you already have their station verified but believe that they should know that you did enjoy it. It may be a little on the baloney side, but after all it makes the station think that they were not on in vain. However if at all possible send a report. It must also be remembered that no club can exist without new members, and we are no different as if you follow the top page of "DX NEWS" you will note that new members are joining right along. I am going to suggest one thing, I personally believe it would be a good idea to drop WCBI a line asking them to discontinue dedicating their checks to us account of being next to impossible to hear them on 1340. That channel really is a mess, with WEXL-WHAT-WEMP-KCKN all on at once. If you fellows feel the same way drop a card to Lefty Cooper 438 East 21st St., Brooklyn 26, N.Y. telling him so. Your Editor too has been lax so far this season, but I guarantee to change my tune right here and now, how many of you will do the same, report if at all possible and if not then make up your mind to send that THANK YOU CARD. Thanks a lot-Ray;

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KNOE Monroe, La from KJAN (T is is official)

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1450 250w unlt'd Klamath Falls Ore	580 1Kw unlt's Minn-St Paul, Minn
1490 250 unlt'd Salt Lake City Utah	1270 250w Day O Decatur, Ga.
1600 250w unlt'd Lodi, Calif	1170 250w unlt'd San Diego, Calif
880 1Kw Day O Lancaster, Ohio	1490 250w unlt'd Birmingham, Ala
1600 1KW unlt'd Montgomery Ala.	1400 250w unlt'd Deland, Florida
1490 100w unlt'd Petersburg, Va	1340 250w unlt'd Columbia, Tenn
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	1450 250w unlt'd Chattanooga, Ten