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DX CALENDAR

DATE	CALL	LOCATION	KCS	CLUB	ALL TIME	EWT
NOV 17	KVNU	Logan	Utah 1230	N R C	3:15 -	3:30 AM
18	CKPC	Brantford	Ont 1380	N R C	5:00 -	6:00 AM
21	KBWD	Brownwood	Texas 1380	N R C	4:00 -	4:15 AM
21	CHEX	Peterborough	Ont 1430	N R C	5:00 -	6:00 AM
24	WHOP	Hopkinsville	Ky 1230	N R C	3:30 -	4:00 AM
25	CKWS	Kingston	Ont 960	N R C	5:00 -	6:00 AM
26	WINN	Louisville	Ky 1240	N R C	2:30 -	3:00 AM
27	CJRL	Kenora	Ont 1220	N R C	3:00 -	5:00 AM
27	CKRN	Rouyn	Que 1400	N R C	4:30 -	5:30 AM
28 or 29	WAJR	Morgantown	W Va 1230	N R C	4:00 -	4:30 AM
28	CKVD	Val d'Or	Que 1230	N R C	4:30 -	5:00 AM
29	WATN	Watertown	N Y 1240	N R C	2:00 -	2:15 AM
DEC 2	WMOH	Hamilton	Ohio 1450	N R C	3:45 -	4:15 AM
5	KVCV	Redding	Calif 1230	N R C	4:00 -	5:00 AM
11	CFRN	Edmonton	Alta 1260	N R C	3:45 -	4:45 AM
11	KGBS	Harlingen	Texas 1240	N R C	4:15 -	4:25 AM
12	KSJB	Jamestown	N.D. 600	N R C	2:00 -	3:00 AM
13	KTRB	Modesto	Calif 860	N R C	3:00 -	4:00 AM
13	WKNE	Keene	N.H. 1290	N R C	4:00 -	5:00 AM

KVNU-LOGAN, UTAH This program will probably not get through to the East but in the west it will have a clear channel, for KGFJ will be silent. So westerners tune for this program. They have been asked to play band music in hope they might get through to the East behind WITH & WCOL. This program is made possible by the co-operation of Mr. Carroll Secrist, C.E. and S/SGT Al Maley who arranged this dedication.

CKPC-BRANTFORD, ONT This is the first DX program ever from this station, and it should be popular with the members, for CKPC is needed in many of our logs. With this fine program, our old friend Bill Stone, back in Canada after fighting for that great country for nearly 4 years, makes his return to the CPC. He has our sincerest wishes for a speedy and complete recovery. We thank Mrs. J.D. Buchanan, manager for agreeing to this fine program, one of this seasons highlights.

KBWD-BROWNWOOD TEXAS This is another freq check to be dedicated to our Club. It is hoped that you will support these last few remaining check dedications with reports for they were arranged in good faith and these stations are hoping for reports. It is believed that you will tune in and report. We thank Mr. A W Stewart, C.E. for this dedication and also Phil Nichols who arranged it.

CHEX-PETERBOROUGH, ONT Mr. Bert Crump, of this station has again agreed to broadcast a special DX for the NRC for which we are very thankful. We have a real friend at CHEX in Mr Crump and Mr Don Insley. Let us make certain they get a great many reports. Every one be sure to tune in this second of Bill Stone's "Parade Across Canada" programs. There should be no interference to CHEX all across the nation, so lets all be in there tuning. Thanks a lot to Bill Stone and thanks Bert.

1230 kc KCHO hrd testing 11/1 from 3-3:15AM what new one is this??

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KCS	CALL	REMARKS
601	Rabat, Morocco on until 3:15 AM on 11/1. Excellent volume and no static (Hank Wilkinson-Baltimore, Md)
648	Lyons, France on at 1:30 AM. Sig was good. Both man & woman announcers. Exercise pro 2:15-2:30. Hrd 11/4 (Wilkinson) Lyons, France hrd loud at 1:28 AM playing "Marsellaise" (Phil Nichols-E Hartford Conn)
658	T.A., unidentified, used French language. Heard from 11/1, not a steady signal (Wilkinson) (3 Germans listed here-Ray)
668	BBC station hrd both 11/1 and 4th at excellent volume at 2 AM News in English and exercise program hrd (Wilkinson)
758	TA hrd on 11/4 but hrd before. Program hrd was all in English and woman announcer same as one on German SW. Sending messages to USA from American prisoners of war. The program sounded like a rebroadcast. (Wilkinson) (Rotterdam listed here-Ray) that is the xmtr but really is Bremen"-Ray) German or German controlled station here with programs in English. Dance music 2:30-2:45. Religious program then till 3 AM (This is a hot one coming from a Nazi station-Newt McLeod-W Peru Me)
804	...	BBC station hrd 1st time on this freq at 2:32 AM on 11/4. Hrd to use Xtal. all alniter on 800 kc (RMed (Wilkinson) (The one listed here is for "European Service"-Ray)
850	A German speaking TA, unidentified. No other language used. Excellent volume. Hrd 11/4. Exact freq (Wilkinson)
877	BBC station very good on both 11/4 and 1st. At 3AM hrd them sending messages in English. Every word spelled out (Wilkinson)
895	French sta hrd 11/1 at 2:30 AM. Announced as "Radio Paris" at 3AM by woman. Excellent volume. Played dance music (Wilkinson) Same sta hrd with setting up exercises or something done with counting 1-2-3 to music (McLeod)
913	French sta hrd 11/1, sigs was weaker than others (Wilkinson) (Listed as "Radio Toulouse"-Ray)
977	BBC sta hrd both 11/1 & 4. Excellent reception (Wilkinson)
980	CMCK	Was on till 1:28 AM Sunday 11/5. (Nichols)
995	"United Nations Radio" at Algiers hrd 11/1 sending messages from G.I.s to USA. Hrd 11/4 but weak (Wilkinson) Another German or German controlled station. P.O.W. messages to England from British soldiers at 3AM (McLeod) According to FCC station listed here is Calais, France but Xmtr located in Hilversum Netherlands-Ede) (Wilkinson)
1013	BBC station hrd both 11/1 & 4. Volume not as good as others.
1050	Some programs hrd here as on 1122 kcs station and often covers XEG. Hrd Nov 2nd. as were all TAs I hrd (McLeod)
1077	TA hrd here believed to be Bordeaux, France, seems to have reduced power from last winter. as they were consistent (McLeod)
1122	This must be the "ABSIE" sta as they use "Yankee Doodle" as a means of identification instead of the drum beating off ... as BBC stations use (Wilkinson"
1149	This BBC station can be hrd at excellent volume almost any AM from 2-2:30AM. on 11/1 were hrd till 4:15 AM (Wilkinson)
1150	WDEL	Wilmington, Del R-9 and in clear at 8AM on Sunday here in W. N.Y.-for H. Howard & others needing Delaware (Brauner-Wmsville NY)
1290	WHLB	Niagara Falls NY testing till 1:22AM on 11/5 (Nichols)
1410	WHTD	Hartford, Conn. Guess the fellow I talked to last week didnt want it known ahead of time. Started using this call Sunday Nov 5th, Sunday instead of WHBC. (Nichols)

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The October 28th issue was marked Vol 12 No 5, please make it No 6-Ray.

DR JOHN W KIRK-PT PLEASANT W VA Not much to report this time. WWCY seems to be pleased with the results of their test DX and say that they will send list of all reporting. So far all have been from NRC Members. ON KWBU DX this AM, sorry that they did not use song titles. Made it tough to try to recognize those one does not know and I do hate to have to be bothered checking time every 3 minutes to get that straight. Also, who noted 3 stations causing interference to KWBU this AM? One of them was the Pittsburgh, Pa Radio Range which was definitely off freq as well as radiating a harmonic. One other was hrd only during bad fade of KWBU at 3:35 AM. Last one hrd almost constantly. How many of you fellows heard and indentified the one during fade at 3:35? Here he was hrd, but not identified. Have no idea who or where he was. I wish to 2nd the 1st class postage idea. Here before sending 1st class postage not getting bulletin till Wed or Thurs, if then. Now 1st class comes Fri evening or Sat AM. Some difference. It really helps a lot, more than worth the little extra money involved.

PAT REILLEY-JAMESTOWN N Y Not much DX here because of a bad cold and aging bones. The new aerial works pretty good but not satisfied yet as the mast sways too much. 11/2 picked up CFCF after supper for a new one. 11/3 XEMX on 1380 was good -KWAT checked at 3:05 on 1240 kc; KWK at 3:06 testing-who was on top of XESM 3:30-3:46, no talk at all; 11/5 copied KTYW at s/off at 3. XEJP on 1150 was the 2nd new one to me (try and get verie) 11/6 slept thru KWBU and got up at 4:10, but sent thank you letter and a follow up letter of an older report but never verified-WRNL tested at 4:40 on 910 kc-WMMN and WABC came on at 5AM; 11/7 WSLB reported, very noisy and too much QRM in them to enjoy it-XEW on 900 kc till 3:30 and KLRA was begging for reports as they want to stay on all night, BUT THEY GOT NO LETTER FROM ME. The coasters were good, CBR giving WNEW a tussel before 3AM.

BILL GABRIEL JR-LAKEWOOD O Not much DX here-weather too warm the last week. Have sent some evening reports to WFBL-CBJ-KLCN and reports still out to WLBC-KGNC-WIBW and XESM. Veries are in from WDSU-WHOT-WDNC-WMRC-WBNS and KLCN who sent a very nice letter from c.e. who was surprised KLCN could be hrd so early in the evening (6:30PM) thru CHML. Hrd KWBU this AM with r-9 sigs but didnt like that lady announcer for some reason. Letters from KDON and WCBM both use excuse of lack of manpower in putting on a DX. So we can probably count on em after the war. To FRED VAN VOORHEES--Dont know your QRA but would appreciate any more old call letter meanings you might know like WKBW's. KGFL and few others hold meanings of former owners, but cant find em because I do not have any old logs. QRA here is 1471 Arthur Ave., Cleveland 7, Ohio.

LEFTY COOPER-BROOKLYN N Y Very little to report, since I have done scant little DXing. However I was in place for the KWBU program, which really rolled in here, with YL announcer. Our tips were read and program was good and KWBU sounded almost like WINS, our local on 1010 kc. I want every member to save the morning of December 2 from 3:45-4:15 AM, for then you will hear from our President. It has been moved up 15 minutes so it can have the chance of being heard on the coast, after KSAN goes off. The dedication of the WATW check was arranged by Al Meley before I decided to cancel these check programs, so it will go on for us on Nov 29th. How about those photo's boys?? Remember Dec 2nd to hear our president Joe Becker, talking to us all over WMOH on the DX Program.

Come on boys, the mail is coming a little late, getting here on THURSDAYS. Sure you are mailing it on time so it will arrive on Wednesdays???????

JOE BRAUNER-WILLIAMSVILLE N Y WWNY-WMRF and KWBW all hrd very well here, WMRF had less QRM from WJBK than last years DX. No new catches, WNBC hrd still using old call. KWBW checked on 11/3 between 5-5:30, still using band music and getting out like a typical Iowa station. Verie, letters from WWNY-WRLD and WMOH. WMOH hrd on 11/4 with usual r-8 signals from 3:40 to 4:15 AM. Announced that Joe Becker would be at the mike next month. C.E. Bruck verified my last report with a fine letter, believe you will all get your now, for he was waiting for Q&L cards, but now says they will not be available for some time, so is verifying by letter. Regarding those Buffalo calls. Neither WEBR or WKBW were adopted to fit owners trademark. WKBW was part of a block of WKB calls assigned at the time it was built. There were nearly a full set, from WKBA to WKBZ (who has looged the most?) The Churchill Tabernacle fitted the slogan to the call and it was "Well Known Bible Witness". WEBR also fitted such a saying to their call and used it for a time, it being "We Extend Buffalo's Regards". But neither call was specially requested, so Ray is right. WBNY and WBRN are the only two locals with specially assigned calls.

HAROLD HOWARD-WAPAKONETA O (Sorry I misled your report last week) Well I didnt do a whole lot of DXing the past week, but managed to get out a few reports. Decided to start. (About to stop as I did get it in-Ray)

NEWT McLEOD-WEST PERU ME Well my spirits are up again. Reception is improving but I could use a static trap, or something for the noise. Day-time reception especially seems to be good. 10/30 I listened to CKNB for about an hour right after dinner and yesterday (11/2) I logged VONF and WSM at noon, also WPTF under WLAW and WMAQ-WGN and WSL all coming in with good signals. While this may not be unusual reception it is better than I have been able to get previously. Biggest kick I think was getting the ABSIE station on 1122 kcs at 5:45-6PM last night. They were really loud for awhile but by 7 KMOX was too strong for them. Also hrd a station between WHCU and WABC playing Strawberry Blond at 6:55PM. Thinks it may have been BBC. Lots of other howls on TA freq but my set wont seperate them. To finish the day I listened to CKY for 1 1/2 hours as WBIG seemed to be off. I tried the Maley-Cooper screwdriver method on my set and after logging VONF at noon I'm not sure I want to send it to the shop. Still looking and hoping for a TP, big or little.

TED SALING-ESTACADA ORE Havent had too good luck to date on the specials, but here is what happened. Received Dick Coopers card too late for CJRL and the DX NEWS too late for WSLB. WATW came in fine and sent a report to Mr Wicks. Hrd Phil Nichols name mentioned twice. Tried for WLOG but KOOS on with check 3:30-3:45 and KGFJ too strong for WISE and WLOG later. I didnt know KODY was to be on but ran across them anyway. Hrd Ernie Coopers name mentioned so knew I had something. Very weak but I got off a report. I worked thru KORN and WCBI. KRSC s/off at 3:30 AM on 16th but couldnt get WJBO. I couldnt get a whisper out of WWNY as 4YA bothered some but 1st 1/2 hour nearly free. I didnt try for WMRF. I needed sleep and not feeling so hot. Veries in from WATW and KODY. Thats all to date. I cant help much on West Coast alnites. KXL and KTBI are no longer on late. Off before 3:30 AM. KSAN-KGER and KYA and maybe KOL s-off at 4AM. KPRO on till 4AM but may sign at 4:05. KPAS on alnite; KOIN off WED AM and some for KIRO; KFBK off SAT AM, s/off time not known on these stations. KRSC s/off at 3:30 AM MON. I wont be able to check all till the middle of NOV. Wont be much help then but working nights now so out of the question. (OK Ted and thanks for the dope and lets have a report from you often as possible.-Ray)

Remember we have NRC Report Forms at .75¢ per 100 postpaid and also a few hundred NRC Letter-heads for .65¢ per 100 postpaid.

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1440	XELZ	Mexico City on till 2 AM Sun 11/5 (Nichols)
1450	KGLU	Safford, Ariz checks EVERY OTHER MONTH on 2nd MON 7:05-7:20 AM EWT. Next check will be DEC 11th. Paul Merrill, Mgr. (Nichols)
1480	KIEM	Eureka, Calif covers CJVI until 2AM when they s/off (Nichols)
1490	WHOT	South Bend, Ind tested 11/4 2:10-2:25 AM (Nichols)

HAROLD WAGNER-NO GIRARD PA Heard the Armed Forces Radio station on S.W. They announce that the program was being broadcast from Algiers on 255 meters which is 1176 kcs. Later announcements included stations in Europe on 307 and 267 meters. No locations given. Figures out as 977 and 1113 kcs. Maybe, Belfast and Radio Normandie. This was at 8:15 PM. So Algiers on 1176 should come thru soon if they stay on that late. Also listened for WUMS on 2004 kcs since Nov 2nd but all I can get is some sort of interference which peaks on 1970 to 1980 kcs with another peak on 1880 kcs and the whole thing spreads for over 100 kcs. It covers 2004 kc like a blanket. Sounds like a motor boat running. I have had it checked in No. Girard-Erie and Findlay Lake, N.Y. and it is R-9 all the way. Would it be possible to have the members check it to determine if it is centered in this section or whether it is country wide. Could we have the FCC get into it? Should imagine something with a wave band that wide would come under them. Any info on this will be appreciated, QRA is, Culbertson Drive-RD 1 North Girard, Penn.

F C C NEWS by Bill Gabriel Jr.

NEW STATIONS Salt Lake City, Utah- 910 kcs 1KW unlt'd (2nd one to Salt Lake) License Changes-WCOL to The Pixleys from WCOL Inc.

WSAR to Fall River Brdstg Co., from Doughty-Welch Electrical Co.

KRNT-WNAX-WOL-WHOM-WCOP all to Cowles Brdstg Co., from old licensees.

KASA to Southwest Brdstg Co., from E.M. Woody.

KGY to Thomas Olsen from KGY Inc.,

CALL LETTER CHANGE;- WHTD, Hartford, Conn from WNBC.

KOTA Rapid City, S.D. from KOBH

WHKK Akron, Ohio from WCLE, Cleveland, (will take place in Mid-winter)

APPLICATIONS FOR NEW STATIONS;-

Ventura, Calif	1450 kc	250 w	Johnstown, Penn	1490 kc	250 w
Tallegade, Ala	1230 kc	250 w	Peoria, Ill	1290 kc	1 Kw
Topeka, Kan	1400 kc	250 w	Coeur d'Alene, Idaho	960 kc	1 KW
Mobile, Ala	1490 kc	250 w	Massena, N.Y.	1340 kc	250 w
Little Rock Ark	1400 kc	250 w	San Diego, Calif	1130 kc	1 KW

HEARD		and		VERIFIED			
D Thomas	2000	F Wheeler	1071	D Thomas	2000	F Susoreny	636
J Becker	1512	D Deneker	900	J Becker	1499	S Morss	620
R Botzum	1460	F Susoreny	861	R Botzum	1360	F Wheeler	535
J Reilley	1367	R Edge	837	J Reilley	1298	Van Voorhees	500
P Nichols	1138	W Gabriel	810	P Nichols	1138	E Bristow	462
R Cooper	1360	L Kruse	780	K Page	1131	L Kruse	425
E Allen	1173	S Morss	730	R Gorsuch	1099	R Brown	397
R Gorsuch	1155	E Wyman	680	R Cooper	1026	N Kernodle	385
J Lippincott	1150	J Carraig	562	Lippincott	876	W Gabriel	325
K Page	1131	Van Voorhees	500	R Edge	837	M Blanchard	232
R Brown	1125	N Kernodle	470	D Deneker	804	E Allen	213
S Steele	1079	M Blanchard	462	N Maguire	785	E Wyman	181
G Batson	799	E Bristow	462	G Batson	740	J Carraig	124

Have your up to date listing in to Frank Wheeler c/o T J Schwartz, RD 7 Erie, Penn not later than December 2 so they can be published in the Dec 9th bulletin. Come on boys lets see you climb in this list.

JOHN D LONG-DALTON GA KWAT in Watertown hrd yesterday morning on its reg monthly check at 2AM, very poor signal. WGTC hrd 11/4 at 1:30 AM with a very good signal, on 1490 kcs. What station was checking this AM 11/4 behind WHBQ asking for reports, West Point was mentioned several times but WRLD in on 1490 kcs. Veries in yesterday from WWNY-WLOG. WMOH was hrd also this AM on their reg check with a fine signal. They said that they would be on the air the 1st Sat in Dec for all DXers. I have asked them to dedicate it to our club (Thats what it will be 'ohn) Glad to see a good number of Canadians and Calif on the DX Calendar 'as I need most of

HANK WILKINSON-BALTIMORE MD I thought I'd write in reference to my DX with those TA's which in my opinion are coming in much earlier and with more voluam than probably for many years back. I dont know who had any luck as of the AM of Nov 1st but conditions were about perfect. You run into conditions like this so very few times, its sticks in your memory a long time. There was so little static, no matter where you tuned, no fading to speak of regardless of distance and the voluam on all stations over 1000 or more miles seemed to be 100% better. Perhaps other reports will show how good reception was on the evening of Oct 31st and the AM of Nov 1st. However I again tuned for TA's on the AM of Nov 4th and even though conditions were not as good as on the 1st I still brought in quite a few and 3 new ones. On AM of the 1st you could get the west and East stations as well as each other but on the AM of the 4th the mid-west and west were very much weaker than the East (TA's) I wonder if some of the fellows who tune for TA's do as I. This is the manner I use. I tune from 540 kcs to 1500 kcs, of course, I dont jump all over the dial. After all when these TA's are coming in, it is the starting time of their Mtrs and would be from 6-7 AM, this is near sunrise and therefore they start to fade out when there is too much daylight. As winter comes in there will be more darkness and of course they can be heard longer. However when tuning you will find it better to tune the lower side of the band and go slowly along as these come in earlier and fade out earlier. As time goes by you continue to tune further up the dial and hear all of them good enough to copy. By the time you get up to 1150 to 1200 kcs at 2:45 or 3AM you will find these coming in fine while back at 600 to 700 kcs they will almost be out. That is of now and the staying time of each station will be longer until the end of December when they are the best and then start going back down the other side. I find that by tuning this way you miss less stations due to bad fading or just too weak to bring in. I use to jump around to favorite freq and never get the real thrill of hearing them at excellent voluam, and by tuning this way even though it seems to be too slow, you really improve reception of TA's. In all the lower the freq the quicker the station will fade when daylight starts in. That is on the BCB.

FRANK WHEELER-ERIE PA New stations received by me this season are WSON-WMVA. New veries are WRRL-WJHP. Right after I heard WJHP on 10/19 their blew down in the hurricane that AM. Have reports out to (that havent answered yet) WJMC-WSON-WBHP-VEED-WMVA-WKEU-WMRF-KLRA-KICD and KPRO. I received veries this season thus far from WHBQ-WDSU-KHMO-WATW-WRAL-WPAY-WISE-WMFR-WCLO-WEAO-KORN-WJLB-WJHP-WAJR-WWNY. DXing has been crippled by WCOL-WEXL-WHBQ being on most of the night.

LARRY YARNES-SAN CARLOS CALIF Hrd C_has Boehnke "Chinee" on 1450 kcs at 10:30PM PWT last night. Have hrd them before. Station hes hearing is KSAN broadcasting a program for San Fran Chinatown. Its too bad to have to disillusion him but XGOA on 1450 kcs at 10:30PM is too good to be true as it would be 12:30 noon in Chungking. Best catch of late is RW-54 on 540 kcs hrd at 2:50AM 10/22. Xmtr evidently in parallel with SW Xmtr. Alternate talk by a man and woman in Russian. Hearing Japs on 750-800-875-900-1000 10/25 has the best in parallel with one on 1000 kcs.