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We welcome Frank Shell Jr-Rome Ga as a new member and the renewals of Newt McLeod-Fred Van Voorhees-Peter Clarius-George Hotton-Harold Wagner. Thanks a lot to all of you and may the coming season bring plenty of new catches. Also a MERRY CHRISTMAS & HAPPY NEW YEAR to ALL.

DX CALENDAR

DATE	CALL	LOCATION	KCS	CLUB	TIME ALL EST
DEC 29	WATN	Watertown N Y	1240	N R C	2:00 - 2:30 AM
29	WAZL	Hazelton Penn	1450	N R C	5:00 - 6:00 AM
JAN 4	KTSW	Emporia Kansas	1400	N R C	4:00 - 5:00 AM
5	KOTA	Rapid City S.D.	1380	ALL CLUBS	1:07 - 5:00 AM
6	HOK	Colon Panama	640	N R C	4 to 5 or 5 to 6
10	WHIT	New Bern N.C.	1450	DXERS	4:00 - 4:30 AM
12	WXLS	Greenland-APO 858-PM NY	850	N R C	4:00 - 5:00 AM
20	KCOK	Tulare Calif	1240	N R C	3:00 - 4:00 AM
24	WBIM	Fitchburg Mass	1340	ALL DXERS	3:00 - 5:00 AM
23	CKFI	Ft Frances Ont	1340	NZDXC	4:00 - 6:00 AM
29	WASK	Lafayette Ind	1450	ALL DXERS	2:00 - 4:00 AM
FEB 2	WXLS	Greenland-APO 858-PM NY	850	N R C	4:00 - 5:00 AM

As no mail has been received from Your CPC Chairman Lefty Cooper, your editor will pinch hit for this issue. No doubt the slowness of mail is cause

WATN-WATERTOWN N Y Again we are indebted to Mr Righter for an interesting test and dedication to the NRC. No doubt most of you have reported WATN, but you certainly miss a swell half hour of entertainment if you don't tune on the 29th. Be sure to hear S/SGT Al Maley again be taken over the coals by Mr Righter, as our "Long Hair" member again requested one of the high class selections it is understood. Then to top off "Long HAIRS" request, your Editor has requested the playing of "Rum and Coco Cola". This should be good and bring forth many comments, so be sure to tune WATN.

WAZL-HAZELTON PA Here is a station that I am sure is needed by a good many DXers, especially our newer members. Even though WWDC will be on it is believed that most of us here in the east will be able to hear WAZL without much trouble. Those in the west should have no trouble as WAZL should be heard as good if not better than WWDC, the power is the same and let us hope that conditions are favorable. With no info from Lefty as to whom the reports should be sent, it will be requested to the station to make such an announcement during their DX Program. Anyway thanks to WAZL and let us all be in there gunning for this station. Arr by Al Bartholomew.

NORM MAGUIRE-STAMFORD CONN Veries rec CHLT on DX-KSAI-WKVF-VOWN-WHBL-CHUM-WMRN-CJSO on DX-CJEM-CKFI on DXes-WOCB-WORL-WOOD-WPIK and WISR-CKCH-CFGP on DXes, also Radio Saipan on 800 kcs. Where were all of you on CFGP? See where Grant was only other Easterner to get them and with a fine pro they put on. CFGP rec in Stamford too. Still looking for my 1st TA verie, but have several rpts out so have hopes of getting one soon. For LEFTY there is no listed AFRS station on 990 kcs, but CMHT has been on very often of late with fine broadcasts. Best wishes to all NRC Members for a MERRY CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR. (Just too much noise here on CFGP Norm-Pop)

Everything included in this bulletin that arrived Thursday Dec 20th.....

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 FREQUENCY FROLICS

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KCS	CALL	REMARKS
560	CJKL	Kirkland Lake, Ont sked is 6 to 12:05 AM (Johanns)
	WIS	Columbia, S C verie signed by Wm Benns, C.E. (Batson)
590	KGMB	Honolulu, Haw very loud and clear 4:30AM on 12/11 (Wilkinson)
620	WKAQ	San Jaun P R tested 12/14 12:55-1:02 AM (Johanns)
660	KFAR	Fairbanks Alaska very strong at 3:30 on 12/11 (Wilkinson)
730	WPIK	Alexandria Va, Potomac Brdg Co started reg sked 12/10 at 7:15 AM and according to verie from Pres, Howard B Hayes, reports for veries address to Miss Dorothy Ballou. (Johanns)
760	KGU	Honolulu, Haw excellent at 3:20 AM 12/11 (Wilkinson)
790	YV5RB	Caracas, Venezuela fair at s/on at 5:30 AM on 11/28 (Wilkinson)
800	CJAD	Montreal. Que barely audible in back of CKLW early eve (D Cooper)
870	JOAK2	Fair at 4:42 AM on 12/10. English lesson program (Wilkinson)
1010	KSAI	Saipan s/on at 4:28 with powerful signals (Dick Cooper)
	KSAI	Saipan with super volumn at 5AM on 12/11 (Winkinson)
1090	XERB	Bob Duggan who is your verie signer for this one??? (Batson)
1160	YV5RL	Caracas, Venezuela signs on 5:30AM on Sundays (Wilkinson)
1230	CFDC	Dawson City, Yukon Ter. 250 watts by FCC (Nichols)
1250	????	A. Jap (call?) hrd with plenty of volumn at 5:10 AM on 12/10. Man & woman in conversation, want locate Jap on here (Wilkinson)
1340	WMBO	Auburn N Y-Metcalf Bldg- F/C 2nd MON 4:05-4:20 and sked 8AM to 11:15 PM ex Sat & Sun s/off 11PM. Frederick L Keese, Gen Manager. (Johanns)
1450	WDAD	Indiana, Pa continue to check daily 2-2:15 AM (D Cooper)
	CFOR	Orillia, Ont trying to keep 250 watt xmtr going till 5/1/46 when new 1 KW expects to be complete. Don McBride, C.E. (Johanns)
	CFAB	Windsor, N S s/on 5:55 AM, A M Bishop, Sta Manager and all CBS contacts held up by Dept of Transport for time being (Johanns)

NEW STATIONS by Dick Cooper & Phil Nichols.

730	....	Shelby N C Western Carolina Radio Corp, 250 watts days
800	....	Dillon S.C. The Borders Broadcasting Co 1 KW days only
1110	KPAS	Pasadena will change call to KXLA.
1230	....	Pulaski, Va Southwest Broadcasting Co
	....	Waco, Texas Beauford H Jester.
1240	....	Ellensburg, Wash. Central Washington Broadcasters Inc.
	....	Florence, Ala Tri-Cities Broadcasting Co.
	....	Elizabethton, Tenn. Elizabethton Broadcasting Co.
1300	....	Auston, Texas Austin Broadcasting Co. 1 KW D-N
	....	Brawley, Calif. Broadcasting Corp of America. 1 KW D 500w N
1340	....	Silver City, N M Dorrance D Roderick
	....	Florence, Ala Florence Broadcasting Co
1400	....	Maryville, Tenn Gateway Broadcasting Co
	....	Brainerd, Minn Brainerd Broadcasting Co
	....	McAlester, Okla McAlester Broadcasting Co
	....	Ellensburg, Wash Kittitas Valley Broadcasting Station.
	....	Greenville, Texas: Truett Kimzey (How many have KFPM verified?)
	....	Ontario, Ore Inland Radio Inc
1450	....	Camden, Ark Camden Radio Inc
	....	Fayetteville, Ark Fayetteville Broadcasting Co.
	....	Cartersville, Ga W R Frier
	....	Athens, Penn Athens Broadcasting Co.
	....	Concord, N.H. Charles M Dale
	....	No. Little Rock, Ark Arkansas Airways Inc.
	KDNT	Denton, Texas to increase from 100 to 250 watts
1460	....	Waco, Texas Frontier Broadcasting Co 1KW dir Ant nights.
1490	....	Marietta, Ohio Marietta Broadcasting Co
	Brawley, Calif Mrs Lois Daniela.
	Bainbridge, Ga S Murvin Griffin. Cont on Page 3.

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NEW STATIONS etc by D Cooper & P Nichols
 1490 Frankfort, Ky Frankfort Broadcasting Co
 Glasgow, Ky Glasgow Broadcasting Co.
 Athens, Tenn Middle Tennessee Broadcasting Co.
 Worland, Wyo Joseph P Ernst.

FREQ CHANGE KCOR San Antonio Tex will use 1350 kcs rather than 1350 kcs.
 CALL CHANGE KXLA Pasadena, Calif from KPAS.

RALPH JOHANNES-BUFFALO N Y Where DXers are pretty restricted due to work and shoveling snow, took me 2 days to get car out and to mail box thru 3 ft of snow. Veries rec from KFBC-Sheldon P Brown, eng; CFAB by A M Bishop, Mgr; CFOR by Don McBride; CJKL by Jan Kirkpatrick; WPIK by Howard B Hayes, Pres. WMBO with card by Fred L. Keesee, Gen Man; KRIS for 8/26 hurricane rpt, also informs me that KEEW became KVAL on 11/27 (Hello Joe Dehosa); Govt card from WATW for 12/5 test by Hine Dahlbacka, C.E., nice Xmas present from WGTM in form of box of Safty Matches. To all a VERY MERRY CHRISTMAS and a VERY HARPY NEW YEAR and also a lot of good DX the coming year.

ERIC BRISTOW-CHICAGO ILL Tried to seperate WIZL-WRHI with others but no soap/ Got CFNB ON also snagged WSAP on test. Slipped and hurt my back and off last 5 days, will go back Wed. 12/14 CFCY 3:15-3:45 no go. See that I am not only one with no verie from WTAX, need WKRO and WJBC to complete state. Will try next month, last 2 not heard yet. For contest got veries from WISR-CFAC-CJKL-CKBI-CKFI-CKOV on DXes and CJGX on reg. 2 rpts to KWKH one was 45 min on 1/1 and abt 3 months later said they never rec it. 2 rpts to KTBS and verie said other didnt get there. Some eng toss em in basket I think, Got letter tho from another fellow saying CE said he could ans.

SID STEELE-LOUISVILLE KY WPDQ in clear at 6AM s/on. Verie in from CBJ to make 1058. Just counted and found I have 171 calls verified that are now delete. Wish they would stabilize F/C. Would like a dependable list as they are hit and miss now, mostly miss.

ALFRED E BRUCE-PHILA PA Rec verie from WPIK on 730 kc, they came in 100% and sked is from 7:15AM-4:45PM daily, say they have large coverage and have been heard from Canada to Florida.

S/SGT AL MALEY-HIGHLAND FALLS N Y The whole band seemed flat the last 2 AMs but Mexicans were terrific today (SUN) XEBS on 1410 terrific. On ~~1370~~ 1370 one faded from h-9 plus to h-0 in 10 seconds. Mentioned Caracas but FCC list shows nothing there. XEBS kept repeating "Allaya" after each number. FCC showed Chili with slogan "Ellea" and I was hepped up for a while until announcement. No veries since CFAB. Rpts-Algiers 941; Rennes-Lille XEBS and XEOY.

DR JOHN KIRK-PT PLEASANT W VA Whats the matter guys? My CJEM in less than 8 days, have em verified 5 times. Current hold outs are KFRU-KCKN-CHLT-KOTA-XERB-KADA. All rest are either fairly recent or else veries are in. Well Merry CHRISTMAS to all of you and will try to write all whom I owe letters to as soon as I can. Reception not as good as when antennas were atop church steeples. Might get a good one up at my new location.

AFRS Stations Pacific Area 12/1 by Major Clifford A Frink, Chief AFRS.
 660 WKLD Saipan, Mariannas 1 KW 1045 WVUR Espiritu Santo, New Heb 1KW
 690 WVUQ Guadacanal 1 KW 1270 WYVW Tutuila, Samoan Is 50 watts
 800 KMTH Midway, Island 5 watts 1320 WXLK Eniwetok 50 watts
 905 WXLF Canton Island 5 watts 1340 WVTW Peleliu 300 watts
 975 WVUS Noumea, New Caledonia 1 KW 1390 WVTV Johnson Island 15 watts
 980 WXLI Guam 1 KW 1440 WXLG Kwajalein 1 KW
 990 WVUT Nandi, Fiji Islands 50 watts 1480 WVUU Christmas Is 50 watts.
 The above list thru the courtesy of Phil Nichols, BCB Editor NNRC.

Mail slow, no printing this THURS PM so you will get it before XMAS.
 Everything received here including THURSDAY is in this bulletin. POP.

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MEL OLIVER-HOUSTON TEX For some unknown reason the electrical noise cleared up here so I gave a listen. 12/12 WKVM testing 3:30 till after 4; WRHI testing equipment 4:02; WCLO F/C 4:30; KVAL ex KEEW testing 4:48; KFDM F/C at 5 and KSAI relaying KHRO Honolulu. Couldn't hear CFNB until KFDM S/off at 5:15 but got a nice report from them until 5:30 when another carrier came on and all but ruined his sig. 12/13 WAIR at 4:45 F/C; KWOS at 4:58; KGHF at 5 starting F/C; WHIT at 5:15 on 2nd TUES F/C, thought I hrd a station announce "Pasadena, Calif" in WHIT's background, but I fail to find one listed there; KHBG concluding F/C at 5:25; WKVM coming on with National Anthem at 5:28; 12/14 Alarm didn't wake me; 12/15 Clear and cold but heavy static. Logged KG CX on NNRC DX but they came in rather poorly here. Rpted. Hope conditions continue good so I can get a few reports out, and I see where Buffalo has a lot of snow again this year. In low 30s here.

FRED R BORCHERDT-MILWAUKEE WISC A short turn across the bands and we have myself home for good once more. I want to sincerely thank all the NRC for sending me the bulletin during the past few years. I realize that I've lost contact with most of my old friends and with the printing of this I hope to hear from some of the same. Not much DXing to date though I have warmed up the old Sky Champ and tuned som across the bands and 10 meters. May the coming holidays find most of you back home and may this Christmas be the happiest ever. QRA 5103 N Sherman Blvd Milwaukee 12, Wisc.

PHIL NICHOLS-EAST HARTFORD CONN About time to catch up with the gang. Ver-ies now total 1257 with the following in since last rpt-WMAJ green ink-WLEE swell letter-head-WDAD-VOCM-WISR card & letter-KMED-CFOR-KHSL-KVOP-WPIK. Have sent out the following 11/25 KSAI; 11/27 VOWN on about 846 and s/on at 4:30 PM; 12/1 CS2ZA Parede Portugal s/on 2AM on abt 1065 kc and DEFINITELY IDENTIFIED with National Anthem, good sometimes to 3AM. 12/3 CFBR on DX swell pro; 12/5 WPIK on test with excellent sig 1-3AM back already, Lindberg, CE has been in hospital, just out, WDAK on 5:45 S/on; 12/6 AFN-Stuttgart on 1249 kc 1:15-2 and later announced they were using the Munich studios with Stuttgart Xmtr, excellent volume, hrd several times since; SBV(SCC now according to Van)Falun, Sweden on 1086 hrd just once with swell sig 2-2:30, were on earlier; KVOP on F/C, back already; WVOQ-Guadacanal hrd weakly 4:15-5:05 with bad slop over from WLW on 690 and YV5RB Caracas s/on excellent sig at 5:30AM daily; 12/7 KBUR on F/C and YVLRK Maracaibo on at 5:30 on 1250 kcs; 12/10 CFAB-1450 at s/on at 5:55; 12/11 CJAD from 2:45-3:10 PM with CKLW in background, this station opened up at 7PM on 12/8 and hoped to be with CBS but turned down by Dept of Transport until further study; 12/14 WCBI on F/C. Have also sent out dups to several Specials such as St Pierre-CKWS-CFNB-CFCY and dups to WGKV-CHSJ for contest. A verie this AM that I am proud of is from WVTF in Hollandia, New Guinea. DX has been spotty lately. The AM of 12/16 was the best for reception from west-east-south for years. TAs hrd up to as late as 5AM. The AMs of 12/12-13 were also good for TAs altho noisy. 12/14-15 has a blanket over every direction but the south. Was with difficulty that I rpted the NNRC special from KG CX for dup. However AFN-1249 kcs was hrd weakly so we have hopes the weekend will be better. Wish to extend hearty Xmas Greetings to all the boys and may the coming year be full of all the good things in life for you and all have plenty of good DX thrown in.

SGT FRANCIS J GMEINER-35053285 Have applied for amateur license and operate on 10-20-40 meters. British Hams HQ Btry 5th F A Bn
AP0 1 % Postmaster NYC. in British Zone of Germany use prefix of GB-4; BCB note-British Forces Network in Germany operates on 635 kc and 1100 kc. 635 kc used to be Cologne and uses about 50 KW. AFN Munich-Stuttgart 1249 kc-50KW similtaneously. QRA APO 403; AFN-Frankfurt-1411 kcs 50 KW, QRA APO 757; P.M.S.(Pioneer Mustang Station) 1380 kcs-60 KW and operated by the 9th Air Force. (OK F an rec change and sent bul that way)

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PETER A CLARIUS-STATEN ISLAND N Y Well since my last report I logged the following stations-WXLQ-WDAD-KPRO-WMLT-FQN. This brings my log to 946 with 833 verified. Veries are coming in very very slow. Well I want to take this opportunity to wish each and every one a very MERRY CHRISTMAS and a very HAPPY NEW YEAR. In this weeks Broadcasting I saw where a new bcb station has been OKed for Bermuda, so this will be another new station-Hi. I would like to know how many DXers read Broadcasting?? Lets know in rpts.

GEORGE HOTTON-MILWAUKEE WISC KSAI is best here from 4:30-5 AM EST. An English announcement is made at 5AM and KHR0 their SW station is also mentioned. Also hrd an unidentified Jap on 920 or 930 kcs at 4 AM EST. May have been KHJ with foreign language program but I doubt it. (According to FCC JOCK on 920 kcs with 500w and JOAG on 930 with same power. CKWS heard and rpted despite CW interference. CFNB not hrd account WIND is practically a local here. Unidentified Mexican on around 1540 or 1550 kc nightly at around 3:30. It cant be XEMC cause he's lower. (XEQN--1540-Hermosillo, Mex 5KW and XEML-Mexico City-10KW and XEBG-Tijuana both on 1550, latter 5KW) XEQR hrd & rpted; WISR verified with a neat card, outside of that, nothing new. Sure hope that loose leaf log book goes thru as it is sure needed by all I believe. Stevensons isnt so good because it lists foreign stations seperately. Wish you all a Very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

JOE ENZ-BROOKLYN N Y No FQN here on 11.28 only a carrier. WXL5 definitely on under heavy noise level 4:13-4:45 on 12/1. WXLQ very poor on 12/2. On 12/5 WPDQ s/on 6 also WAKR same AM 6:30; 12/12 WGKV on 1490 kcs test at 4AM also WRHI on 1340 at 4:30-CFNB on NRC very good 5:30. Tuned Kirks W0BU someone on, not at 4:15 but 4:30 playing Hawaiian selections, no call or s/off 4:45 back again at 5:15, just selections, no announcements. Reports out to XERB-XESM-WVUR-WXLS-WXLQ-WPDQ-WAKR-WRHI-WGKV. Veries in from WISR-CJEM. CBA R-8 4:30PM here, also WMMN-WJJD-XHSJ-WWVA-ZNS all good 6PM and WBZ all day and KDKA at 6:30 PN. My Hallicrafers takes 4 to 5 weeks to get same, maybe by Xmas I hope, but I doubt it.

MRS JACK WACHTEL-CEDAR RAPIDS IA Well the Flu had put a stop to me early morning DX. Since 12/6 CKWS was my last special and sent report to them, am able to be up and around now but thats all, am going yo try for CFCY providing I feel well enough. Received my verie from CKCH today and signed by Max Gebhardt, CE which was a govt post card, also list of reporters. Rec both letter and card verie from WISR, letter by Mr Snyder informing me that my report was the most complete and detailed received so far. (Hope you are feeling OK again and swell on the WISR compliment)

DICK COOPER-KETTANNING PA Veries since last rpt include letters from WPIK-KMED-KGB-CKCH-CKOV-KUOM. All new except Canucks who were on NRC DXes. It leaves CHKL & CJKL unanswered and I am wondering what is the matter with the birds at CHLT. They have rec 4 rpts from me and only answered 1, that is over a period of years. CFNB good on DX but CFCY was almost washed out by high noise level. Did manage a bit on him. Tnks to Maley for dope on YVLRK. Congratulations to the Brauners---MERRY CHRISTMAS to All.

TED SALING-ESTACADA ORE 12/6 Logged KSLM on reg sked 3-4AM but not hrd this last hour since 12/6 logged KWAL 3:20-4AM on special test; 12/8 Veries in from CFGP on DX and both letter & card from WISR on DX. Sent tnx card to WAAT. Didnt hear of this DX in time. CJSO sent list of reporters and Phil and Dick. All others were NRCers, whats the matter you 2 guys?

DON MEYER-BOSTON N.Y. Recent veries from KFBB-KWSC-KANS-WHCV-CJSO-its a grand one-CHUM-CFAC-CKBI on reg sked and WISR for their DX. Still waiting for KARM-KGIR-WJLD-CJEM with the others. Have been busy as usual, havent got any DX since WISR, tried for ones not on or didnt wake up, mostly latter. No snow yet this year to speak of, very happy about that. (OK Don why dont you come to Buffalo and we will give you plenty of it and how.-Pop)

REMEMBER GET YOUR HRD-VERIE STANDINGS TO F WHEELER BY DEC 29th-DO IT NOW.

HILDING GUSTAFSON-ROCKFORD ILL KSAI and Espiriti Santo are still coming thru good here in the AMS and a few TAs are breaking thru. Sent a report to BLA-1 Hamburg, Germans but the rpt got as far as New York and ret marked "Service Suspended". Wonder how I can get a report to him for a verie??? Also sent rpts to BBC for reception of stations on 1474 and 1050 and all I got was a thank you for them and it wasnt even a good acknowledgement. Am hearing a mysters TA on 1095 in AMS. Have hrd him on 2 AMS. (Might be BLA-2 as he is listed on 1095 kcs by FCC as being a British Forces Sta) Hrd about a dozen TAs on AM of 12/4. WKLS Greenland was poor here due to the interference from 2CY; The 2 stations were about equal in strenght. Trying to sepearate them was just like combing gum out of ones hair. Merry CHRISTMAS and HAPPY NEW YEAR to all of you.

HANK WILKINSON-BERBANK CALIF? Rec verie from KTKN-930 for rpt of 11/26. His time is 4 hours behind EST and should ne heard OK MON AMS as he stays on longer. Copied him from 4:02-4:29 AM EST. Signer Murry M Durham, C.E. Rec verie in good time, mailed 11/28 and back 12/11. Raleigh Biss of Banning Calif was here over the week end but DX not too good, due to the funny actions of the moon. The moon was responsible Bot the hugh tital wave on the west coast a week ago. An eclipse is due on 18th. Raleighs veries are now over the 1000 mark and he is becomming one of the better DXers in this area es well as other areas. Waiting patiently for all night DX sessions on Xmas AM for there will be SAs and CAs. They can be heard here very well as I hrd YV5RB s.on at 5:30 and held them till 5:44 PST on 11.28 on 790. no sign of AFRS in Canal Zone.

HAROLD WAGNER-NO GIRARD PA Not much to report part because my receiver is not working properly and am using a Howard 7 tube now. Only 1 evening with TA reception and that on 12/4. Hrd BBC on 804 & 1013 and man speaking French on 1185; Hrd lots of powerful hetrodynes but couldnt bring them in. 12/5 No TAs hrd but VOCM on 1006 was coming in around 7PM. Hrd 2 stations on 12/10 at 4:30 AM think now they are Aussies, Mi God. Only other item is WHEB 750 kc coming in at 5:10PM on 12/13 and KMMJ same freq and same night at 6PM. KRRV 910 kcs s/ogg at 1AM on 12/16. No veries in as no reports sent out. Dont seem to be able to get up at right time.

ELWOOD DELBERT-WALNUTPORT PA Rec veries from WAAT on DX 12/7-WTMA who rubber stamped my report-WDBO-KFEL-WFLA-WKWF. Say how many DXers caught WEGO on 12/14 on a DX for NZRDXC at 3AM, sigs here h-9. Hrd equiptment test of WRHI on 12/14 3:45-4QAM. WHAT puts in h-9 sigs; WGH s/on 6AM; WSPD at 6; WDAD put on test 12/15 till 2:15; TGW h-9 12/14 10PM; CMHQ h-9 12/14 at 11PM; WMGB s/on 6:30AM and too much QRM for CFCY and KGCX.

BOB DUGGAN-MACON GA Rpts out to WJAS-KBUR-WCLO-YV5RB-WPIK-WBRW-KSAM-WOMT-WEEI-XEU-KGHL-WILM-KVWC-KFPW-WBBZ-WBBB-WOI. Thought maybe I hrd CKLN on DX but as it was not on it was undoubtly KCOK. Veries in XEMO-XERB-WFIM-WHKK-WBYN-CKEY-WLAT-WATN-WTMA-WENY-WRAW-WKBZ. To VOORHEES-WKBZ not WKBV was testing 1490 at 3AM 12/1 (Bob maybe it was my error in typing-Pop) Already verified; WRAW R A Gaul, mgr; WBYN Peter Sestan, C.E. WKBZ Geo Kinitzky, C.E.; At noon 12/6 & 7 logged KXOK-WMAQ-WGN-WBBM-WMC-WBAP-FAA-WENR-WLS-KLRA-CMX-WHO-WWVA etc, very good DX weather. MERRY CHRISTMAS to all. Oh yes KEWS F/C 2nd THURS. 5:05-5:20 and see if they use KVAL call.

TOM MORRISON-CAMP ROBERTS CALIF The bulletins are coming thru OK and got veries from ZNS-XEW both delinquent. Got hold of radio and hrd XERB-XELO-XEMO-XEW-CBR-KIRO-KMPC-KDYL-KSL-WMAQ-KTAR and other Calif stations. Went to KVEC and had talk with announcer and had a good time talking over radio a couple hours. Told me KVEC will move to 920 kcs and increase power to 1 KW and owner of KVEC then will establish a new station in Paso Robbes a town of abt 10,000 which is 30 miles north of San Luis Obispo. The new station will fill in the 1240 spot vacated by KVEC and use old KVEC equipt. (OK Tom and lots of good luck, thanks for this info on KVEC.-Pop)

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JOE BRAUNER-WILLIAMSVILLE N Y DX has been below par since the snow storms, noisy and generally weak signals. Nothing new to report except the logging of the new allnight Mexican on 1030 kcs and KSAI hrd on 12/12. Came in very well at times with the 5AM announcement heard nearly perfectly. On same date CJAD was logged at 6:30 PM coming thru CKLW fairly well at times.

JOE BECKER-HAMILTON O 12/12 anyone know who was on 1340 at 3:34 AM and mentioned 1-2-3-4 quite often and again at 3:36, at 3:40 lady sang America. She sang it again at 3:43 and 3:46 and at 3:50 WRHI came on. Sounded like KFBW and it could not have been KPKW, any help on this one? Finally verified XESM on rtp sent in 3/44, also hrd WEXL-WHAT-WSAJ-WLBC-WEBR-WRHI & unknown on 1340. KVAN a nice letter verie and folder from WRRF. No reply yet from 3 rpts to KOTA (You will get them Joe as announced 12/8 DX-Pop) Kall no reply either. Veries coming very slow.

GRANT BATSON-WESTFIELD N Y Only a few rpts out. 12/12 CFNB was swell and QRMed by WGRs carrier at 5:40; 12/14 CFCY was really hard to copy they were on but reception about lowest ebb. 12/15 KGCX fairly well copied but the static was heavy. Veries a bunch of dandies, WIS-WAAT DX-KLZ-CJEM-CKCH (yup) WMEX-CKOV for DX and KLZ is a beauty, one of best I have ever seen. 12/15 Evening reception was terrific, anyone wanting Spicks could have then on any spot on the dial. 650-660-670-770-830, any place one of our 50 KW was crowded off, so far nothing could be heard but Spicks. On 640 ZNS s/off at 10PM and TGW and HOK had an even battle. This zero weather and snow (Hi Pop) doesnt seem to contribute to much added DX here.

STAN MORSS-BRADFORD MASS 12/10 hpts to CJAD-WMEX-WQAN for new ones and to WDEV for contest; WQAN hrd thru CBO-WRNL ontop & WABI. Also a couple I couldnt get calls from. Verie from WFCI; 12/11 KICD weak at 2:05 on test and WDAD test till 2:15 h-7; WLBj 2:30-3 testing; WMFJ test 3:10- R 7-8. KELD at 3:15-WJMC at 3:25-WJNO at 3:30; WDNC at 3:45, rpts to last 2. Veries from KJBS-WMAL. Another chance for Bermuda, a new one for Hamilton on 1260 supposed to start Mar 1st; 9 more grants for BCB in USA. Local Haverhill Gazette got its application for an FM granted, dont know how they will support it as its losing population at 250-300 a year steadily for last 20 years. All shoe & Western Elec, no other industry. 12/12 WKVM hrd testing 3:50-4 over WCPO-WITH was on top. KRIS at 4:18 weak; CFNB very good here R-8, they seemed to think it was cold at Fredericton at 9 above, we were 8 ~~xxxx~~ lower than they. hpts also to WTMA-WGH- Veries from CKCH-KEX; On 12/13 Rpts to Munich-XEDN-Netherlands on 995; FBIS says its at Lopik. KROY R-6 at s/off 2:59 AM. Verie from KFAC. 12/14 WEGO hrd on NZDXC DX; KVIC on f/c on top of 1340 kc; CFCY h-8 on DX. Verie from WAAT DX. 12/15 Static bad, nothing new, WLAY-WORD hrd on test, veries from WAIM-CJCH-WQAN.

AL BARTHOLOMEW-CORNING N Y No TAs hrd from 12/6 to 12/12-13 when good as on 6th, some louder others not so good. CS2ZA at 2AM s/on the 12th, held solid till 2:45; Next AM Sottens on 677 with hardly no QRM from WMAQ. Must be on earlier than 1:15AM as I hrd then 1:13-1:35 almost solid for rpt. Those only 2 new ones for me but plenty of TAs readavle including BLA-1. AFN-1249 the BBC etc. Sottens gives me another new country. CJCH caught on 12th for a fairly decent rpt and next AM added CFAB at s.on thru WWDC. Fri thru Mon rotten DX weak signals KFi only h-1. No sign of CFOR thru buzz. CFNB logged on DX and rpted by card; CFCY rather weak but fading notvtoo deep and copied easily for rpt. SUN AM having nothing better copied easily Maleys CMCQ never verified years ago. Also XEJP for rpt finally. Used Spick letter on both. Veries from CJEM also CKCH swell letter, card verie enclosed & list of rpters. Swell letter head verie from CKOV on DX, have em with 100 watts Maley in error as to WPIK, I hrd em on 4th and verie states it was their 1st test, not on 5th. On reg sked the 10th. Rply back from Legation of Sweden, "I have rec your interesting letter of 12/17 and have forwarded it to Swedish Brdg Co in Stockholm with request that they thru Legation give a confirmation as to broadcast from Falun on Dec 4th! They are on 1086 kc.