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### A BOOST FROM BUFFALO

"I don't know where I would be without the "DX NEWS" and the Special Station tests."  
-Karl Mehnert, 171 Southside Parkway, Buffalo 20, N.Y.

### DX CALENDAR

| Date   | Calls   | Freq. | Location                        | Power  | E.S.T         | Station Time |
|--------|---------|-------|---------------------------------|--------|---------------|--------------|
| Oct. 9 | C M H W | 810   | Santa Clara, Cuba               | 1,000  | 9:30-10:00 PM | 9:30 EST     |
| 22     | K O R D | 910   | Pasco, Washington               | 500    | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 1:00 PST     |
| 22     | K P L K | 1460  | Dallas, Oregon                  | 500    | 3:00-3:30 AM  | 12:01 PST    |
| 26     | W C B G | 1590  | Chambersburg, Pennsylvania      | 1,000  | 4:00-6:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |
| 27     | W P C F | 1430  | Panama City, Florida            | 5,000  | 2:30-5:00 AM  | 2:30 EST     |
| 28     | H O X O | 760   | Panama City, Panama             | 500    | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 3:00 EST     |
| 29     | W P K O | 1380  | Waverly, Ohio                   | 500    | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 3:00 EST     |
| Nov. 5 | K S L R | 1320  | Oceanside, California           | 500    | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 1:00 PST     |
| 7      | K L E N | 1050  | Killeen, Texas                  | 250    | 3:00-3:30 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 12     | C K B I | 900   | Prince Albert, Saskatchewan     | 5,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 12     | C K C L | 600   | Truro, Nova Scotia              | 1,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 5:00 AST     |
| 12     | C F O S | 1470  | Owen Sound, Ontario             | 1,000  | 4:30-5:30 AM  | 4:30 EST     |
| 19     | C J R L | 1220  | Kenora, Ontario                 | 1,000  | 3:00-3:00 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 19     | C K S B | 1250  | Saint Boniface, Manitoba        | 1,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 19     | C H S J | 1150  | Saint John, New Brunswick       | 5,000  | 3:30-4:30 AM  | 4:30 AST     |
| 19     | C K L Y | 910   | Lindsay, Ontario                | 1,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |
| 19     | C J E T | 1070  | Smiths Falls, Ontario (TEST)    | 250    | 4:30-5:30 AM  | 4:30 EST     |
| 23     | C F O B | 800   | Fort Frances, Ontario           | 500    | 3:30-4:30 AM  | 2:30 CST     |
| 23     | C J B R | 900   | Rimouski, Quebec                | 10,000 | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |
| 24     | C J O N | 930   | Saint Johns, Newfoundland       | 5,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 5:00 AST     |
| 26     | C F D A | 1380  | Victoriaville, Quebec           | 1,000  | 4:30-5:30 AM  | 4:30 EST     |
| Dec. 3 | C K N X | 920   | Wingham, Ontario                | 1,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |
| 3      | C B O   | 910   | Ottawa, Ontario                 | 1,000  | 4:30-5:30 AM  | 4:30 EST     |
| 4      | C K M R | 790   | Newcastle, New Brunswick        | 1,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 5:00 AST     |
| 8      | C J C A | 930   | Edmonton, Alberta               | 5,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 1:00 MST     |
| 10     | C F N S | 1170  | Saskatoon, Saskatchewan         | 1,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 10     | C K P G | 550   | Prince Rupert, British Columbia | 250    | 3:30-4:30 AM  | 12:30 PST    |
| 10     | C J E M | 570   | Edmondston, New Brunswick       | 1,600  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 5:00 AST     |
| 17     | C J N B | 1460  | North Battleford, Saskatchewan  | 1,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 1:00 MST     |
| 18     | C B V   | 980   | Quebec, Quebec                  | 1,000  | 4:00-5:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |
| 19     | C K D M | 1050  | Dauphin, Manitoba               | 250    | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 2:00 CST     |
| 24     | C B I   | 1140  | Sydney, Nova Scotia             | 1,000  | 3:00-4:00 AM  | 4:00 EST     |

### HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

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|------|-----------|---------------------|-----|------|---------|-------------------|-----|
| 730  | W D O S   | Ex-1400 kc/s.       | FCC | 1450 | W N K Y | Neon, Kentucky    | NRC |
| 870  | K A I M   | Honolulu, Hawaii    | FCC | 1480 | W B L U | Salem, Virginia   | FCC |
| 970  | K B E E   | Ex-KBOX             | FCC |      | K L E C | Jonesville, La.   | NRC |
| 1390 | K L O Q   | Ex-KYAK             | NRC | 1570 | K M R S | Morris, Minnesota | NRC |
| 1400 | K W Y N   | Wynee, Arkansas     | NRC | 1580 | W T U C | Union City, Tenn. | NRC |
| 1440 | K O K Y   | Little Rock Ark.    | NRC | 1590 | K T I X | Seattle, Wash.    | NRC |
|      | W C H A B | Inkster, Mich.      | NRC | 1600 | W O N G | Oneida, New York  | NRC |
|      | K P O K   | Scottsdale, Arizona | NRC |      |         |                   |     |

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|------|-----------|--|--------|------|----------|-------------------------|------|
| 550  | K O A C   | J. M. Morris, PM                           | H      | 1380 | W P K O  | Arthur Layne, SM        | H    |
| 560  | K M O N   | Oscar Hendrickson, TS                      | K      | 1390 | K D Q N  | Earl W. McCauley, M     | J    |
| 610  | W C K R   | Gene Rider, E                              | E      |      | W HcP B  | Henry O. McDonald, EDir | J    |
| 620  | W R O L   | Wayne Hudson, PD                           | L      | 1400 | K W Y N  | Onalee Brawner, TrFM    | JL   |
| 690  | W E L D   | Kimberley Johnson, GM                      | I      |      | K A R T  | Herbert Everitt, GM     | K    |
| 710  | K M P Y R | J. E. Finch, E                             | G      |      | K S uD A | Mary Crowley, S to GM   | K    |
| 740  | W G S M   | William Maramore, CE                       | L      |      | W I E L  | Dee Huddleston, M       | L    |
| 790  | W G R C   | W. J. Morrison, CE                         | L      |      | K C O W  | Bernard Budenbänder     | L    |
| 800  | W D U X   | T. M. Karavakis, M                         | HJ     |      | W H M P  | Daniel Maruzcaik, CE    | M    |
| 810  | K C M O   | Karl Froeglen, TD                          | K      | 1420 | W E pW B | Max M. Blakemore, CE    | J    |
| 850  | W A F B A | F. Bonnet Velez, GM                        | N      | 1430 | W P C F  | E. L. Dukate, GM        | H    |
| 860  | W M A G   | Barbara Goodwin, S                         | D      |      | K G A Y  | Herbert Johnston        | K    |
| 890  | W qH NuC  | James H. Mayo, CE                          | I      |      | K P O K  | Dick Gilbert, P         | HIJN |
| 900  | CuH LuT   | A. Gauthier, M                             | I      | 1450 | W F P G  | Blair K. Thron, CE      | C    |
|      | W K X V   | Robert L. Goodman, CE                      | I      |      | W MuO H  | C. V. Rector, DoE       | I    |
| 910  | K A L L   | W. D'Orre Cozens, CE                       | G      |      | W N K Y  | J. Fleming, CE          | J    |
|      | K O R D   | (Wallace Neiskog, O<br>(Wallace Reid, Co-O | K<br>H |      | K X rL L | P. M. Goodover, M       | K    |
| 920  | K D H L   | J. E. Hyde, CE                             | H      | 1460 | K O R E  | Floyd W. Viken, CE      | K    |
|      | W M E G   | R. Whiteley, CE                            | J      |      | W P V L  | Carl R. Lee, M          | J    |
| 930  | K I pU P  | R. E. O'Brien                              | G      |      | W F V G  | Walter M. Pearson, Jr.  | K    |
|      | W T A D   | R. Moore PromMerchDir                      | I      |      | K P L K  | George W. Morrison      | H    |
| 950  | K O Z E   | Jack Wilbur, CE                            | D      | 1470 | W M M H  | Robert Dean, ACE        | N    |
| 960  | W R F C   | L. D. Drewry, CE                           | I      | 1480 | K S P R  | Marcus R. Nichols, AM   | G    |
| 970  | K R E M   | Hommer Mead, CE                            | G      |      | K A N S  | Richard Croft, CE       | G    |
|      | W T A M   | Henry W. Lanham, ExecVP                    | J      |      | W L O K  | B. E. Jones, CE         | J    |
|      | W TcB F   | Joseph W. Gilchrist, CE                    | LN     |      | K GqC X  | Dale C. Wilson, CE      | K    |
| 980  | K O F I   | Leslie Sterling                            | L      | 1490 | K R I V  | D. R. Nelson, PD        | K    |
| 990  | K T U T   | D. Ray Gardner, CE                         | H      |      | C MnO X  | Norman Diaz DirGenAdmin | I    |
| 1010 | W O R M   | Eddy T. Sharpe, M                          | J      |      | W S Y L  | E. H. Bass, CE          | J    |
|      | W JuV B   | James B Sloan, E                           | L      | 1570 | W A Z L  | Elwood Tito, E          | M    |
| 1050 | K L E N   | Alton W. Stewart, GM                       | H      | 1580 | W P L A  | James L. Derrick, CE    | J    |
| 1060 | W C pM W  | W. H. Waichter, CE                         | A      |      | W T U C  | William E. Davis, CE    | N    |
| 1070 | W K O W   | Robert Wickhem, CE                         | I      |      | W G L C  | Henry A. Ash, DJ        | H    |
| 1100 | W H L I   | Frank E. Knaack, CE                        | M      | 1590 | W Z K Y  | Jake T. Presson, M      | J    |
| 1150 | W I M A   | William E. Harrison, CE                    | E      |      | W T V B  | Virgil Royer, CE        | I    |
|      | W S N W   | Herbert J. Hosea, CE                       | E      |      | W C B G  | Harold D. Kuhns, CE     | H    |
|      | W L O C   | Glenn C. Frogge, CE                        | J      | 1580 | W V N A  | J. Hall, SM             | F    |
|      | K C C T   | Miguel H. Ferdin, M                        | H      |      | X E D M  | M. Rodriguez            | G    |
|      | K F J I   | Robert Bartlett, M                         | H      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1220 | W G M Y   | Clarence M. Pulling, CE                    | M      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1230 | K V O C   | Duane Simons, CE                           | D      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | W C O M   | William E. Collins, CE                     | I      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K L V T   | Gene Clay, CE                              | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K W T C   | Harry White, M                             | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K F J B   | H. G. Johnson, CE                          | H      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | W H C O   | James D. Collins, CE                       | L      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1260 | W P H B   | Gilbert H. Wogen, CE                       | G      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1270 | K Z U N   | Denise Breen                               | K      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1280 | K E R G   | L. W. Trommlitz, M                         | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K TuL N   | Norman Peterson, CE                        | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K N A K   | William E. Wright, M                       | G      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1320 | K S L R   | Alva E. Wilt, CE                           | H      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K X Y Z   | Norman N. Sartain, EDir                    | L      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1340 | W U F S J | Thomas Cerarolo, CE                        | I      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K B T K   | William J. St/rothman, GM                  | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K D E N   | Walter Wilson, CE                          | K      |      |          |                         |      |
| 1360 | W P P A   | A. V. Tidmore, O                           | F      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K M O D   | H. Freedman, CE                            | K      |      |          |                         |      |
|      | K RuT V   | George E. Hopkins, OM                      | K      |      |          |                         |      |

C R E D I T S

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| A - J. Howard Harding   | H - Franc. Mittler  |
| B - Barry Foote         | I - Bart Brown      |
| C - G. Harley DeLeurere | J - Bill Prater     |
| D - Francis Nittler     | K - Roy Hillar      |
| E - Hal Williams        | L - Maurice Mittler |
| F - Dick Reidler        | M - A. Lagatutta    |
| G - Jack Hathaway       | N - Lefty Cooper    |

We ask you all to send in your NEW v/s as you send in a report. We'd prefer if you'd use a separate sheet of paper for them for otherwise we might miss some as we toss completed reports into a storage box and if v/s are on them they might never be unearthed. We do the v/s list toward the end of the week rather than when the rest of "DX NEWS" is being cut. Also please put your name on this other slip of paper so we can give you credit for the names you send in. Thank you.

Marie (Mrs. Elbert) Twell - 231 South Lake Street - Carey, Ohio

Another wonderful Convention has gone down in history, but the memories shall linger on for years. Who was it that asked, "Am I the way that you pictured me?" "Good gracious, no." was the usual answer and I'll have to admit I too belong in this group. Glad to meet all you wonderful fellows and enjoy your hobby with you. One thing I don't see yet is why more of the wives aren't interested in their hubby's hobby. As one DXer said, "she should be glad I'm in my den and not out." We all had a good time anyway thanks to the hosts! They are a grand bunch of fellows. I'll admit we did have trouble staying on schedule and women don't ever let the men tell you we are the slowest. Oh no we aren't, the men are just as bad if not worse. I'm sure some of the ladies present in Harrisburg will agree with me. Eh? Really these guys can hold out longer than us ladies. Or is it because they are used to DXing half of the night? I know we do have to say a lot in a very short time. We enjoyed ~~bringing~~ Ben Patch back to Ohio with us. Until we meet in Ponca City, good DXing, fellows. (Thank you very much, Marie -Ed.)

Stan Morss - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

9/8- WWRI AN with hillbilly music. WIEM a close second at 3 a.m. 9/11- CKSL and CMCQ AN shows reported, also noted WEST 1400 AN with "Night Beat" on top of channel. No sign of WKBR or WPMX AN shows. For those who need WESX and are not too far away, they sign off Sunday at 8:02 p.m. Weekday s/on 6:30 a.m. 9/12- WMID back on AN, said off AN during remodeling of "Beachcomber." WKBR also back AN again. 9/13- First DX Special of season from CKJL 900 at St. Jerome easily heard to 3 EST. No WWRI this AM. WIEM dominated 1450 at 3:30 EST. 9/17- WTAC AN 600 and WICC, both on this Monday AM. WEDC only station heard on 1240. KSTT s/off test 3:15 EST. TT 3:15 on 1240, no station break. 9/19- CPPL 980 test 2:37. KGNO 1370 special show AN 2:53. 9/22- WEAB 800 Breer S.C. testing 2:06 a.m. WONG Oneida, N.Y. 1600 doing a good job against WWRL at 2:21 EST on ET. WMMH 1460 at Marshall, N.C. on ET 2:45 a.m. Cuban on 1420 still AN and seems to be seven days a week.

Anthony Lagatutta - 371 Eighth Avenue - New York, New York

I surely hope I am in time to get this report in for the September 22 "DX NEWS." If not, then print it in the October 6 issue. I got the Sept. 10 issue on Sept. 17. When I read it around 7 p.m. I found the next issue's deadline to be the 18th, hi! Since my last issue I have logged WGNV-1220, WHMP-1400, WNBT-1490, and WJMJ-1540. I have 21 250 watters logged and eight verified. I haven't gotten that "exclusive" verie from WCEM yet. I hope to have WNBT, Wellsboro, Pa. verified by next report, also WGNV WJMJ and especially WHMP. White's Radio Log lists WNBT as 280 watts on 1570. I heard it on 1490 and I am quite sure it is still 250 watts. (They moved to 1490 shortly after opening on 1570 -Ed.) I used to hear WCTC-1450 over WNAB all day. Now it's WNAB over WCTC. Too bad! I liked to listen to WCTC a lot. New York City (where I live) is no good for DX. I get too much interference from locals here and QHI, QRN and often a lot of QNDX (meaning simply "no DX" hi. I like WJRC's programs too. A nice little station. I hear them any time here. My S-52-A is good for selectivity as it has two I.F. stages, but image rejection is very poor since it has no R.F. stage ahead of the mixer. I am, and have been, trying for some time now to get WOND WNAS and WDLG, but no luck yet. What 1490 station signs off at 10 p.m. with "National Anthem?" I heard it several times but could not get any clue to its identity. It's not WNLC. This one's s/off is 12 p.m. Maybe WDLG? But who knows? I hope to hear WDLG soon. I'll s/off myself now till next report. Best of DX, health, and 73s to all members.

Dick Reidler - 1335 West Market Street - Pottsville, Pennsylvania

Just time to dash off a line so that DXers still know I exist. I am currently living on the campus of Albright College in Reading, Pennsylvania, and for that reason DXing is Verboten! To the DXer from New Jersey whom I met at the Convention (pardon me, but I never could remember names), the verie signer for WJNA in Tusculum, Ala. is Jim Hall, the Station manager. To Bart Brown of Princeton: I took your letter asking verification of WPPA to Mr. A.V. Tidmore, the owner of the station who apologized for not verifying earlier. He said the secretary was in charge of the veries and promised an immediate verification. I hope you received the verie. I checked your report with a tape I made of the DXcast and it was perfect. Well, homework calls, so good DXing to all. 73s.

Bill Prater - Grimsley, Tennessee

Wish I could have made the Harrisburg Convention this year but there were too many obstacles blocking my chances. Maybe I can get out to Ponca City in '57. I sure hope so. Very glad to see the verie signers list in the good old "DX NEWS." Very convenient, and plenty useful. DX has been slow about all summer, adding a new one every once in a while. The verie total here has climbed to 3,017 with the following in since July ;: WDUX KBOM WNKY KPOK KWYN WSYL WTAM WORM KZEE KDQN WZKY (who also sent a two pound sack of meal) WGHN KLGA KIML WLOK WLOC WEMB WFBS KHEN KLAJ (thanks to our good member, Francis Nittler) WYZE WTVV WBF and WAMM. Recent report out to: 9/9- WSNT 1490 7 a.m. s/on. 9/12- WTUC 1580 2:27 ET. 9/13- WFVL 1220, Camden, Tenn. ET-TP 2:50. 9/13- KOLJ 1150 f/c-TP to 6:15 s/off. 9/15- WSGA 1400 f/c-TP 1:35-1:45 s/off. 9/16- CKJL-900 DX, static too rough. Hope they try again. 9/18- KVNA 690 to 2:05 s/off. KHIL 800 f/c-TP as listed in "DX NEWS." 9/22- WMMH 1460 ET to 3:37 s/off. KLEC 1480 ET 3:33. 9/23- WANB 1580 s/on 6:00 quickly blocked by WAMY. WBBN 980 6:56 RS. 73.

Bart Brown - 68 Hawthorne Avenue - Glen Ridge, New Jersey

The dates for the last two issues were by before I knew it, so here is what probably will be my last report for quite a while, as it's back to Princeton on the 22nd. Gdss I'll go back a way, to 7/19, when I caught WKOP 1360 on AN fund show and CTOB 800 until 2:07. He sends poor card, but I was glad to get this one after missing last winter's DX. Sunday 7/22 brought WARL 780 and WCHA 800 on RS. 7/23, caught the end of ET from WELD 690 in Fisher, WVa. 7/30- brought KLRA 1010 and WTAC 800 on RS AN. Latter hasn't verified, despite DX of last winter. 8/4 brought CFPL 980 on AN (still no verie), KLAJ on r/c, and WCBY 1240 on f/c 3:13 to 3:26 (and later, I guess.) 8/2, caught WEAN 790 on 6:57 s/on; WPHB 1260 on 7:06 s/on, and WJMJ 1540 on s/on. 9/19, WTRA 1480, Latrobe, Pa. on 6:29 s/on, followed by WJMO 1540 on 7:00 s/on. 8/20 brought late ball game on WTAD 930 and f/c from WABA 850 per list. 8/25, heard WHBC 1480 on until 2:12 and ET from WFLR 1570 up in New York. 9/2, WCOM 1230 on RS until 1:17, f/c from WPRS 1440 till 1:43, and CMOX 1490 from 2:00 until 3:00 for another try. Next morning was also very good for southern reception, with WRFC 960 on AN, CIBL 860 on AN, and unidentified Latins on 1080, 980, and others. Especially anxious to know who it was on 980 from 2:55 until 3:33. Any ideas? 9/4, f/c per list from WIRO 1230, along with ET from KPOK, Scottsdale, Ariz. on 1440. 9/6, f/c from WUSJ 1340. 9/12 brought WBAY 1360, WJPG 1440, and WKOW 1070 on Wisconsin ER, as well as KGLU 1480 on f/c and KLEE 1480 on ET ending 3:21. 9/13, another try at f/c from WKXV 900, 3:30 to 3:45. Finally, was glad to log first NRC DX of season from CKJL 900 who was on from 2 to 4 EDT not EST. Was best on last 45 minutes, with reception CX about the same as they have been most of the last few months - not so hot. I think that first part of summer was much better. Totals now at 1,106 and 969. One of best veries of summer was for CKVL on 980 after many years. Leo Shelly, get my stamp order? 73 to all.

John Bryant - P.O. Box 364 - Stillwater, Oklahoma

Well, after sending in my second year's dues, I decided to sent in a report. Bus Boatman and I are having a "cold war" and it's all over the number of veries we each have. I'll concede he has three more than I at the present, and he'll probably stay ahead because I am planning to only BCB DX to catch this year, the Specials. The reason for all this being that sun spot cycle 19 will probably make this the worst year for BCB DX yet. Most of my time will be spent on the 10-15-20 meter ham bands. This summer DX has really been slow! I've logged only 29 stations since the first of June, and none in September. Comparitively, last year, I logged 153 stations, and in September of '55 I logged 19. Veries have been just as slow, only 26, the best of those being two prepared cards, returned from WKJB and WPAB. I got my prettiest BCB QSL this summer, KROX, Crookston, Minn. Say, does anybody know some one who would like to buy a SW-54 that's only been used 20 hours? I won it in the "Boy's Life" radio contest, and it's of no use to me, as I have an SX-99. The radio man in Tulsa said it was worth \$40, but he couldn't take it because he already had two on hand. I'm only asking \$30 for it because I need the money. Well, don't have much else to say, 'cept y'all had better bring your own spirits (the liquid variety) to Ponca in '57, 'cause Oklahoma is a dry (as the Ocean) state. 73 for now, and I'll try to report more often! (Thanks John and we all hope so! -Ed.)

NEXT ISSUE IN TWO WEEKS. LET'S HAVE A REPORT FROM YOU, WITH BROOKLYN DEADLINE 10/16

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 16, Oklahoma

Another DX season about to unroll here. Sure sorry that it didn't unroll with the CKJL test. Tried, throughout but all here was CKBI and CJVI. CKBI got out of the way, but not CJVI. Wish CKJL would repeat later in the season. Sure hated missing it. Very little to report on DX. Thanks, Hal Wagner, for the card on CKJL! Latest loggings here are: 9/18- Thanks to Francis Nittler's tip in "DX Down the Dial" KHIL Fort Lupton, Col. 800 on f/c-TT. WBLR 1430 s/on at 5 a.m., WEMB 1420 s/on at 4 a.m. WSRU 1410 s/on at 5 a.m. too but no logging attempted. A holdout from last season here. 9/25- KOKY 1440 Little Rock, Ark. new one making modulation tests with KPRO AN QRM. Veries: KHAM and KWYN. Latest verie count: 2,221 by calls, 2,378 by frequency. Would be happy with 100 more this season or wouldn't we all? Hi! Anyone with a recent CJDC verie? Happy hunting!

Hedley Simmonds - 148 Fairfield Avenue North - Hamilton, Ontario

I do not get to hear the fine number of stations that go on the air from time to time nor to try for the many stations that put on DX programs for the NRC and NNRC, due to the fact that I am still on a straight night shift and to make matters worse, and now working a six night week which leaves only Sunday morning free. When I see all those DXes coming up (listed in this week's bulletin) that mentions KVIN CKLY CJET etc. and all the other stations testing, it is rather frustrating to say the least to realize that as many of them are scheduled for Monday mornings and other mornings but nothing for Sunday morning! You other members who can turn the dial from morning to morning are indeed fortunate and we are more or less envious of you! Since my writing last December, I have had some new stations "trickle down the sky wire" during the nights I have had free and they include many that you other fellows had heard and although this letter is late in coming to HQ, it was no use sending in before as there has been little to report from time to time and I have not the time to spare to do so anyway. Going back to November 1955, I find that I have logged and verified the following: KUMA 1370, KAMD 1390, KLAD 900, KAPB 1370, WKLE 1370, WJEM 1150, KMDO 1660, KAWL 1370, KRSL 990, WHCO 1230, WCEM 1240, WPIM 1390, WJAE 1050 (?) WMAX 1480, WBFC 1490, WRCV 1060, KYW 1100, KBLA 1580, KXOL 1360, WKMC 1370, WYZE 1420, WQOK 1440, KJAN 1220, WCBY 1240, WKSB 930, KJLT 970, KLAQ 1580, verification through Francis Nittler - thanks a lot, Francis!) KLEA 630, CFPS 1560, CKSL 1290. Other heard and still awaiting replies are: WCOR 900, WAMM 1420 3/10/56; WHAB 1260 3/11/56, WLSV on DX for NRC 4/1/56 (what happened to our promised verifications?) WYCL 1580 4/3/56 and the latest one, CKJL 900, 9/10/56. A total of 2,707 heard stations with 2,600 verified, to date. Wishing all the best of DXing for the coming season and, while not able to participate in DXing for the many stations that we know will be on for us, we will be looking forward to receiving our "DX NEWS" from week to week. (Wish we could hear from you, Hedley, from time to time! -Ed.)

G. Harley DeLeurere - 1 East Eighth Street - Mounted Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

Loggings since my last report have been picking up a little bit. CKJL-900, Saint Jerome, Que. was heard for a brief period from 2:07-2:12 on 9/16. LSYL-970, Alexandria, La. was ETing from 1:00-1:15 on 9/18. KPLC-1470, Lake Charles, La. was heard on their r/c on 9/18 from 1:00-1:15. WWDC-1260, Washington 6, D.C. was logged on 9/20 from 3:00-3:05. KATZ-1600, Saint Louis 1, Mo. was heard from 6:30-6:40 a.m. on 9/22. KERP-920, El Paso, Tex. was logged on 9/24 from 2:00-2:05. WVMI-570, Biloxi, Miss. was heard on 9/24 from 2:30-3:30 with emergency information and news about Hurricane Flossy. WOZK-900, Ozark, Ala. was heard having an emergency service broadcast about Hurricane Flossy from 1:55-2:09 on 9/25. WBOC-960, Salisbury, Md. was received on 9/26 from 4:43-4:57. Reports were sent to CKJL-900, KSYL-970, KATZ-1600 KMOX-1120, KRNT-1350, KERP-920, WVMI-570, WOZK-900, WBOC-960, and WERH-970. Confirmation was received from a few more stations. WRRR-1330, Rockford, Ill. sent a letter. Other letters were from KCHR-1350, Charleston, Mo.; WMBD-1470, Peoria 2, Ill.; WVDA-1260, Boston, Mass.; and WWDC-1260, Washington 6, D.C. with a fifteenth anniversary seal. 73.

John Hoogerheide - 615 North Henry Street - Madison 6, Wisconsin

Well, surprise of all surprises. Look who didn't die over the past summer. Yes, I'm still alive and still active in the DX field. However, I'm having all kinds of trouble with my HX radio. Coils burned out, bum condensers, squeaks, squeals, etc. so bad that I can hardly listen to it any more. So I brought it to (con'd on P. 6)

(John Hoogerheide, con'd from P. 5) a radio shop and there it has to stay for two weeks - more horrors. Only DX since January was last Monday amidst the squeals but did manage to log three new ones. Hurricane Flossie brought long desired WMI 570 on AN as well as at 1:40 WSFT 1220 testing and a station I've never heard of - KYNX in Yankton, S.D. off RS at 1:20. Any help on this new one? (KYNT-1450 Yankton S.D. has been on for two years or so -Ed.) Next logical question - where was I all year? Well, my marriage is off and I'm still in the ranks of the bachelors, but I went to The Netherlands all summer to visit my parents who now live in The Hague. Really had a wonderful time, and what DX! "Radio Luxembourg" even at noon; "Radio Prague" evenings. Would I ever like to log those out here in the Midwest! I'm due to graduate in February and I'll be going with DuPont as an explosives engineer. I'll be working down in Sid's country, New Martinsburg, W.Va. for a few months so maybe I'll be able to get together with some West Virginia DXers. Well, all for now. I'll be reporting regularly from now on. OK? (OK is right, John - thanks! -Ed.)

Maurice W. Nittler - Box 94 - Geneva, Nebraska

It's been a long time since I've reported in. Guess the last one was last spring some time. Have had quite a few good loggings and have added 57 veries since June 1. Among better veries are: WMFC-1220, WJPG-1440, WTIV-dx-1290, WKLX-1440, WTOE-dx91470 KFTV-1250, KMLL-1580, WJPG-1440, WPEN-950, WGSB-1440, KDQN-1390, WOKW-1260, WHCO-1230, WKY-1380, WJVB-dx-1010 after two f/ups, KOFI-980, WTEF-970, WMIC-560, WOKJ-1590, KVET-1310, KWYN-1400, WBLR-1430, WIEL-1400, and WROL-620. I won't go back to old loggings but will start with 9/8. KWYN-1400 on ET and KVET-1310 running late with BB game. 9/11- KTKM-1370 on RS, WIEL-1400 s/on at 6:30, WBLR-1430, s/on at 5:00 and WMAG-860 s/on at 6:00, the last two from tip from Francis after talking to him on the phone. Monday morning, 9/24, was a big morning here with "Hurricane Flossy" running loose. Logged 12 stations for reports, five of them new ones. The new ones: KHAM-1580 on ETs, and for the hurricane, WMI-570, WJBW-1230, WLCS-910, and WBSR-1450. Others heard with the storm news: WWL WNOE WTIK WSMB WJXN WTPS WWEZ WDSU KNAL WEAR WABB WALA KCIL. Went to bed at 4:00 or could have got something else probably. Have entered both DX contests. Looks like there are going to be some good contests this year. Well, with the DX season upon us, I will try to get in a report every issue. 73. PS - You asked for comments on the Spanish Report Forms. They sound great to me as I couldn't write a word of Spanish if I tried. Would sure like to have some if they are published.

Francis H. Nittler - 1335 Grant Street, Apartment 22 - Denver 3, Colorado

Not too much to report from here in the way of DX. The WX remains unusually warm for this late in the season. I had my set in the shop for repairs all last week. I have managed to add five new stations to my log though. On 9/22 KYW (1100) was heard on their AN show and KLEC (1480) Jonesville, La. was heard on ETs at 3:29. On 9/23 I heard all of the following stations on with "Flossy" warnings: WWEZ (690), WSMB (1350) WJBW (1230) WWL WNOE WTIK WDSU all New Orleans and WALA and WABB, both Mobile. WWEZ and WJBW were both new catches for me. Other new addition on 9/23 was WJPS (1330) Evansville, Ind. on RS at 5:46. Veries are in from KWYN (1400) WBLR (1430) KFJB (1230) KEMS (680) KXYZ (1320) KFJI (1150) WDUK (800) KCRC (1390) KPOK (1440) and KDHL (920). I sent in my two bits for the contest and it sure sounds like to will be an interesting one this year. I am now busy compiling the f/c list for the NRC so anyone having f/cs not on last year's list, please forward them to me as soon as possible. Notice I skipped one verie received this week. Received nice letter from WGLC (1580). 73s.

Steve Johnson - Havre de Grace, Maryland

Have managed to do a little DXing. WX is gradually becoming OK for DX, hardly any static now. Splits are sure alive all over dial, though haven't checked too many of them very carefully. Did notice a new station coming through on 745 kc/s. in Nicaragua, but no call or slogan recognized as yet. Would like to get this one as I still need this country. Costa Rica on 765, probably TIW. TAs made their first appearance on Sept. 19, though only those on coast, apparently. 944 Toulouse was good as was 1376 Rille and 674 Rennes. Rennes better than in previous years. Most stations on low end are quite weak here. Hope maybe to get an indoor long wire up this fall - am still using an old FM turnstile (crossed dipoles). Norden-1295 was also heard 9/18 but weak with several weak hetrodynes on French frequencies. CKJL was heard OK but not too strong, report sent out. Several new ANs noticed, CMBL on 860, WCAO on 600, etc. Sure had an enjoyable time at the Convention! (forwarded by Hal)

Gene Cameron - W. 5407 Princeton Place - Spokane 14, Washington

Hello to you all and please note the change of address above. I'll explain the circumstances for the move. Last February 3rd, the work was really ganging up on me again, so I had to stop DXing as of that date. I decided that I was going to have to work hard and I might as well have something to show for it, so we bought a Lincoln Capri Hardtop (Bright red, too, Lefty). This summer, a home builder made an offer of my trading the Lincoln and my little louse for a large three bedroom of his, and I wasn't about to turn him down. So, I'm in a home now that has a "rec" and radio room that is 15' x 22'. A big disadvantage is that I lost my location for my 180' high wire, and I have no antenna up at all at the new place, and anything I can put up will be far less that I had before. I do have a 40' pine tree in the back yard, and I will probably experiment with some type of vertical polarization in this tree. I sure do not intend to miss this season as this is to be the greatest activity year of sun spots since 1830, and although it is not as critical on the longer waves, it nevertheless has its effect. My veries stand at about 750 and my heard log is about 888, but as I have said, I have been able to do nothing since February 3rd. I am now on a basic five day week, but in those five days, I am still averaging about 55 hours per week, but that is far better than 70. I should have more spare time this winter and hope to do my share in all activities again. Best wishes to all.

Roy H. Millar - Route 2 - Box 6704 - Issaquah, Washington

First, to Stan S. - You were correct on my 720 kc/s. station being "Radio Jamaica", so two thirds of my 720 kc/s. "mystery" of 1/1/56 is now verified - ZQI at 6 a.m.; 4QA at 7 a.m., leaving only the Oriental heard from 7:30 a.m. on unverified. I sent a report to JOTR, but no answer to date. Good going, Stan, on the 629, 647 and 1034 kc/s. veries! Also, congratulations to Hank T. on such veries as KBYR, "SABC" and KMTH - what DX! Not much heard here since my last report, but here 'tis: 9/10- KTIK 1590, Seattle, Wash. heard for first time on RS. September s/off at 9:30 p.m., October probably 8:30. 9/22- KLOQ (ex-KYAK)-1390 Yakima, Wash., logged 8-8:30 p.m.; KGAY (ex-KGAE) 1430 Salem, Ore. logged 8:30-9 p.m.; 9/23- KMAC-630 San Antonio, Tex. s/on 7 a.m. in clear on a Sunday morning. 9/24- KHBC-970 Hilo, Hawaii topping KBIS at 4 a.m. s/off for a brief report to my only unverified Hawaiian (not counting KAI's CP). 9/28- KIEV-870 Glendale, Cal. s/on at 8 a.m. for a long wanted logging. Now, to new veries since my last report: KCHA-1580 Charles City, Iowa (250 watts); WBAP-320, KORE-1450, KOSA-1230, Odessa, Tex., KPRO-1440, KEMT-1230 Lebanon, Mo.; KDLK-1230 Del Rio, Tex.; KGAY-1430, and KMOD-1360. The NRC Report Forms in Spanish sound real OK to me; the sooner available the better! Seems to be about it for this time. Watch front sheet of "DX NEWS" for new Seattle member of NRC - welcome, F.B.! Let's see some real competition for these "Sunny California" DXers! Me, I like to DX when it rains. That's when CX seem to have a tendency to become "hot". 73.

Anthony Lagatutta Jr. - 371 Eighth Avenue - New York, New York

Sept. 29 - Ten new stations were logged here during the month of September. WNBT, Wellsboro, Pa. is now on 1490 with 250 watts. Also WCDL moved from 1230 250 watts to 1440 with 5000 watts in Carbondale, Pa. Is there a WPOJ in Knoxville, Pa.? My friend says he heard this call around 1376 kc/s. (How about WPPA-1360, Pottsville, Pa.? -Ed.) Occasionally I heard WTOP and WKBW with good signal strength around 8 in the morning! Is this unusual? Since last report, veries have come in from: WHIP WGSW WAZL KYW WGNV WADK and WHLI. I like 1230, 1240, 1340, 1400, 1450 and 1490 best. I listen to these frequencies most. I still say N.Y.C. is totten for DX, hi! It is full of static, QRM and QCM. In a verie call from WGNV, the CE of that station is also a ham, W2ERF. I listen most for 250 watt stations. That is my favorite phase of BCB DX. A new addition to my Listening Pose since last report is a small BCB Loop Antenna which is 18" high by 18" wide and can be rotated. It has 36' of wire and is constructed on Balsa wood. It works very well! Last logging here was WPAZ, Pottstown, Pa. on 1370 kc/s. Somehow or another, I seem to have a lot of luck with Pennsylvania stations, hi! Number of 250 watters logged here is 23, still. I am very anxious to hear WERI WQVA WNAS WDEC and WCRV. WCRV is the new station in Washington, N.J. Another report of mine might appear in the October 6 "DX NEWS" as it did not get to Lefty in time for the Sept. 22 "DX NEWS."

AFTER THE NEXT ISSUE, OCTOBER 20, WE WILL ONCE MORE RESUME OUR WEEKLY ISSUES OF "DX NEWS". AGAIN WE URGE AND BEG YOU TO SEND IN YOUR REPORTS TO US SO THAT WE MIGHT COME OUT EVERY WEEK WITH A BANNER ISSUE. IT'S UP TO EACH AND EVERY ONE OF US!

John D. Hathaway - 2516 Alexander Highway - Colorado Springs, Colorado

I hope to DX more often this year, unless I start on my Master's Degree! KENO, 1460; KANS, 1480; KWSO, 1380, signed off with "Lord's Prayer" at 1:05 Wednesday; WBAP, 820, new, sent report; KBLP, 920; KWIZ, 1480, new; KFJZ, 1270; KTFI, 1270; KGKO, 1480, new; KMYR 710, sent prepared card with third report; KEMI 1400, new; KOBE, 1450, heard testing at 3:13, new, XESM, 1470, KRIO 910, KOLQ 920, new, sent report; KGHI 1250, new, sent report; KOPO 1450, new, KFEL 970, new, sent report; ~~KKRM~~ KVOL, 1350, new; KRUX, 1340, I surely have had luck on the Conventions. Last year I was planning on going with Hal Schrock who lived close to me in Illinois but I had to report out here September 1 so couldn't make it. This year it was too far away for me to make on the weekend. I had sorta planned to go to Ponca City next year with Francis Nitler but now I have been informed I have been selected to go on an Air Force mission reporting to Tegucigalpa, Honduras in September next year. I'll be there three years so it will be at least four years before I have another chance, hi! Surely would like to meet some of you other fellows in person. Best DX and 73s.

Barry Foote - 6 Oakland Street - Natick, Massachusetts

A bit under the weather today so didn't go to work. The new WLIS 1420, Old Saybrook Conn. is now on RS, having just recently come on. Received here rather weakly and QRM from WLNA. Let me know if you hear them. WMOO 1490, Milford, Mass. has been on and off today (9/25) with an OC and has played one tune. No voice IDs as yet. Today was the first I've seen of them. Thank you for putting the note in about WKOO. I got mixed up on the deadline so I will report in for the next issue. Lefty, what is your phone number and when are you home, just in case I have a hot tip that the boys can use? (Ulster 6 - 0907 - Tuesday nights, stencil-typing night, is ideal -Ed.) Stan Morss and I plan to contact most of the New England stations you mentioned. DX CX sort of poor. Been having lots of thunder storms so no CKJL DX. QRM was a steady 25 db. over S9! 73s.

J. Warren Routzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania

Just a shortie this time as it's raining to keep me inside. The rains no longer come on Saturday only in York! Got up for the first Special of the year and not any too early as I just got the last 15 minutes. Expected them on another hour. Noisy, but not bad to copy. Up 9/25 for WCHB but found 1440 occupied by KOKY to 2:13, then KPRO so I guess I'm too late for WCHB. KGHI-1250 good at 1:50 and also several TTs. Back to bed - don't want to start off with too big a rush. Thanks to Hank Holbrook's tip in last "DX NEWS" I just logged WELD-690 4:45-5 p.m. Starting Monday they will s/off at 4:45. Verie came from WMGR. That's all the DX here. Pirates sure trying to scuttle Lefty and I bet he doesn't even like cigars that have "Phillies" on them. Never give up, boy!

James E. Hill - 70 Close Avenue - Toronto 3, Ontario

Thanks very much for the card re: CKJL. I did make note of this one at Harrisburg, but thanks just the same. Sure hope Lefty gets released in time to pick this one out of the air, hi. Wife and I had a swell time in Harrisburg. Everything was tops. Enjoyed the old friends and it was a pleasure to meet new ones. Our trip down and back was also a delight. I am enclosing a clipping re CHUM from our local paper. This should be a good bit of news for those members who need this one. CFRS-1560 and CKSL-1290 heard here all day, not verified yet. I will leave this letter open until tomorrow and let you know if I am lucky enough to pull in CKJL. Sorry to say wife and I went to Saturday night dance, so no CKJL. (forwarded by Hal Wagner)

Ores Wilson - 226 North 4 Street - Reading, Pennsylvania

Thank you - hope I can join each year now. Am still DXing - at it since 1930, with 1,136 AM veries. Just got five veries this summer: CKVL KYW WRUN WMIL WTAB. I see Bob Botzum now and then, and he is way up top on the list! Using new S-38-D with 12' indoor antenna. Just missed CKJL, the first DX program, as the bulletin just arrived. Good DX. (Welcome back to NRC, Ores, and we'd like to hear from you - and ~~in the future~~ - for these alumni! -Ed.) (Forwarded by Hal Wagner)

Walter Goldy - 518 Jackson Avenue - River Forest, Illinois

Tried my darndest to get CKJL Sunday morning after hearing about it via your postal, but a very bad hum on 900 prevented anything being heard from St. Jerome. Sorry I couldn't get to the Convention this year, but I know you all must have had a wonderful time. Best to you all. (forwarded by Hal Wagner)

DID YOU HAVE A REPORT IN THIS ISSUE? IF NOT, BE SURE TO BE REPRESENTED IN THE NEXT.



Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX has picked up somewhat with 18 reports sent out so far this month. Veries are somewhat scarce though but should pick up as most of my reports are old ones, except the 18 in September. The first DX of the season was heard weakly but hope for enough to get their verie. I understand that ~~was~~ our very good member from Toronto is really getting a swell bunch of DXes lined up and hope all will listen and report whether needed or not. Don't forget that thank-you card. The contests both sound interesting and I'll be in both this year, but don't expect to get far. Well, to my DX, on the 16th CKJL DX weak. Off at 3 EST. KTSA-550 now AN. 9/17- I caught KGLO-1300 on RS on 1570; an ETer believed to be WTUC off frequency on 1572 kc/s. so my friend Bill S. said. Cycle tone on 1550 1330 1590 900 710 and 610. Syre is a mess of them now mornings. WABA-850 was heard on their r/c with code. 9/19- WKBJ 1600, Milton, Tenn. was on f/c, don't know if regular. KGNO 1370 AN for car dealer. 9/21 - KVOL-1330 also on for car dealer marathon. WTUC, by the way, is in Union City Tenn., not WIES as scheduled. Back to the 21st. WEMB-1420 Erwin, Tenn. s/on 4:00. On 9/22 XENIA was copied for Foreign DX Contest. On 9/24, a good morning with Hurricane Flossie on the rampage. Many heard but most not needed here. Some needed were WSMB-1350, WALA-1410, KHAM-1580 Albuquerque, N.M. was on for test asking for reports. WLBR-1270 Lebanon, Pa. s/on at 4:00 in the clear. WSB-1480 Hurricane Flossy. 9/26 I found WAOK-1380 Atlanta, Ga. signing off at 1:35. WDWD-990 Dawson, Ga. test for frequency only and only for frequency. That's what the man said. WCPC-1320 on r/c. 9/26- KDEX-1590 Dexter, Mo. for third report. WAFB-1460 r/c. KROX-1280 r/c. They have a very nice QSL card, and finally, WSAW-1470 Allentown Pa. behind Flint, Mich. Don't know if test or AN. Well, to my veries. This month, just seven compared to 17 last September. They are from WJPF-1340, picture postal of their studios. WLCS-910. The engineer says they are making up some QSLs for us DXers. KIMS-1480, KGLO-1300, KBNZ-1400, WBLV-1600 and KGNO-1370. WBLV is a very nice letterhead all should be glad to have. All for now, 73s and good DX.

Elbert Tewell - 228 South Lake Street - Carey, Ohio

Well, the 1956 DX season has now started, but sure hope that the results of the DX from CKJL will not hold true for the rest of the DX season. We were having a severe thunder storm during the time they were on so about all I heard was static. I am not sure of anything that was heard during the time. As for other DX, WFVW-1220 in Camden, Tenn. was heard testing on 9/23 and on other mornings since then. Hurricane Flossie sure had the stations down in the Deep South on. Some heard were WML-570, WSMB-1350 and also heard by freak reception on 1210 with the signal just about as strong as on 1350. This conditions lasted for about a half hour, then they no longer could be heard on 1210. WABB-1480 also was on, as well as many others which I did not need. KHAM-1580 was testing the morning of 9/24. They also conducted regular monthly frequency check with Kansas City from 2:45 to 3:00 using tone. The past few weeks have been very busy ones here so haven't done too much DXing. I had a nice visit with an old time DXer on 9/25 in the person of Lloyd Hahn from Baltimore. Time to get this in the mail so will say so long till next time. Good DX, everyone.

J. Howard Harding - 498 Sunset View Drive South - Akron 20, Ohio

DX here since last report: CMCA (1150) fpr #12 from Havana, CMBL (860) #13 from Havana. 9/16- WITH (1230), WNCR (1230) (finally), 9/22- KGH (1250). 9/22- WOV (590) CMCI (1260). Thanks, B. Duffy, for help on CMBZ (830) which makes it 15 from Havana and 503 loggings heard altogether. Two veries received since last issue: WGAR (1220) and WNDB (1150). Also two veries out; WAKR and WMGM which should be back by now as they were mailed 9/21, 9/22 respectively. DX has fallen off here this last week. The few times I've tried have netted precisely nothing. This weekend, tonight in fact, I plan to try for some more and sure hope to get something. DX Calendar sure shows some fine catches. Hope I can do better this year than I did last. I would like to thank Hal Wagner for his very fine article on receivers. Will try his suggestions soon. Attention Don Roller. Tom Johnson, a fellow NRC member and good friend of mine is now attending Purdue. Maybe you can get him back at DXing some time this year. Speaking of Tom, he said that at orientation, one of the speakers didn't like to be referred to as an EXPERT because he said an EX is a has-been and a expert was a drip under pressure. Fits some experts I know perfectly. No reference to any NRC member is inferred above, but if a certain Akron member has a guilty conscience, it isn't my fault! Well that is all from this den. Say Hal Wagner, I am very much interested in those Report Forms in Spanish. How soon will they be available?

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

I'm sorry to report that the first NRC DX of this new DX season, scheduled on Sept. 16, from Station CKJL (900) St. Jerome, Que. was not heard, and the reason was due to the thunderstorms in the area on that morning. A thank you was written the station and asking if another DX could be scheduled later on this winter when CX would be much better. Ten new loggings were added to my DX Log since my last report. On 9/18 KHIL (800) Fort Lupton, Col. was heard on third Tuesday f/c from 2:45-3 a.m., thanks to Fran Nittler for this tip. Also on 9/18 KWYN (1400) Wynne, Ark. was heard on an ET from 3:17-4 a.m. topping that frequency at this den. During the early evening of 9/21, the signals from the North were good, and consequently, heard two new Minnesota stations with their final programs on their daytime schedules, namely WAVN (1220) Stillwater, and KMRS (1570) Morris. On 9/22 Station WONG (1600) Oneida, N.Y. was heard on ETs from 2:07-2:20 a.m., well over AN WWRL on that frequency. The RS Sunday s/on at 6:07 a.m. on 9/23, Station WSAC (1470) Radcliff, Ky. was heard for the first time. Then on 9/24 XEFB (630) Monterrey, N.K. was heard with a test at 2 a.m. and about the same time a f/c-TT was heard from KDEF (1150) Albuquerque, N.M. from 2:00-2:15 a.m. The brand new KOKY (1440) Little Rock, Ark. was heard on an ET from 2:29-2:40 a.m. on 9/25. And the final logging was on 9/28 when the new WFWL (1220) Camden, Tenn. was heard on an ET from 2:03-2:16 a.m. I have passed the 2900 mark in verifications just a few days ago. In fact, the official count as of this writing is 2,902. Latest letters came from: KEVE WAVN KMRS WTUC KHIL KWYN and a prepared card from WTIV from their DX of last season.

Pat Reilly - 223 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries are WPCO KMRS WCLB WDMV WDRF WLLY WTUC. 9/7- WLRP, 1570, test at 1:31. KJAN 1220, f/c at 2:05. WKYW, 900, test at 2:36. 9/9- WMAB, 1400, Munising, Mich. ET at 2:13. WYVN, 900, test at 2:44, both new ones for me. 9/10- WATC, 900, f/c at 1:35. 9/11- KMRS, 1570, on ET, a new one. WIRJ, 740, f/c at 2:44. 9/12- WTUC, 1580, ET at 2:02 for new one. 9/14- WNDL, 1150, test at 2:06. KFJB, 1230, f/c at 2:16. 9/15- CKJL DX hard to pick up through the noise. Had visit from Dick Cooper last night. He was up for big fire prevention parade. Showed him the NRC Convention film. WCLB, 1220, has f/c first Wednesday, 2:15-2:30 per verie. 9/18- WLFA, 1590, test at 1:40. Who is unknown 250 watter on 1580 behind XEDM who signed off at 2? WTCR, 1420, f/c for Atlanta at 2:12. Unknown Illinois station on f/c on 1570 behind XERF 2:20 to 2:35, 250 watter. WJPS, 1330, f/c at 2:56. California good today. 9/19- Some unknown on 1580 daily to 2:00 behind mess and tone. WKBJ, 1600, f/c at 2:13. WKYV, 900, test at 2:15. CFPL, 980, with KFWB QRM. WKMI, 1360, f/c at 2:39. 9/20- KGYO, 1370, on 72-hour selling marathon. 9/21- WKRS, 1220, ET at 2:07. KCMO, 810, atop WGY at 2:20. 9/22- Unknown behind WWRL on 1600 at 2:23 to 2:33, sounded like KRLG call. WMMH, 1460, ET at 3:15. WEAB, 800, test at 1:44 for two new ones. WEAB never verified DX of Jan. 27, 1952. Walt Swanson over tonight to see Convention pictures and talk about DX. 9/23- WAVY, 1350, test at 2:07. 9/24- KUBU, 1600, signed off at 1:13. XEFB, 630, test at 1:57. CMCK, 9200, at 2:13. Is WSAN, 1470, a new AN? (Yes -Ed.) Several Flossie Hurricane station on - KHAM, 1580, test at 3:07. My last report was returned because of no definite address. 9/25- WOZK, 900, WSEV, 930, WDXE, 1370, with hurricane news. 9/27- CKBI, 900, good at 1:35. WLOK, 1480, f/c 2:07-2:15. WTRB, 1570, f/c 2:19 to 2:30. KNDY, 1570, test at 2:30 for three new ones today. 9/28- KCHA, 1580, f/c at 1:31. WSWW, 1590, and WGTC scrapping at 1:36. Unknown TT behind XERF at 2:37.

Pvt. John A. Callerman - US 56262551 - Co. H - 2nd Infantry - 3d Platoon, Ft. Ord, Cal

Just finished basic training, and am awaiting orders. I'm slated to move to Fort Slocum for T I & E school. How close to you is Slocum? (It's somewhere around here, hi -Ed.) After Slocum, I go to Germany with 10th Infantry Division. No chance for DXing during basic, but while I'm waiting orders I may have a chance as one of the fellows here is buying a Zenith Transoceanic. Have received several good veries since coming in, though, including very welcome 2CN-1540, a 2 kw. job in Canberra. Also QSLing on the foreign side were JOIR-1210 and JOLF-1370. KBYR arill has not verified. Domestic veries recently include KIBS KRGI and KBBS all three after considerable time and with apologies for delay. Should write a few f/ups but here no opportunity yet as my records are at home. Folks address has changed, and mail to home will reach me at 1805 Seventh Avenue, Canyon, Texas. I feel that (con'd, P. 11)

(John Callerman, con'd from P. 10) that since Service addresses continually change, I'd be best off receiving mail at my home address. All cards and letters will be answered anyhow. Hope to do a lot of DXing overseas, and hope to see you, Lefty, and all the East Coast gang when I'm stationed at Slocum. 73.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

Latest veries here are a printed card from CFOB, Fort Frances, and letters from CJOY Guelph, WTKO Ithaca, WEHH Elmira WFLR Dundee, WWRI West Warwick, WCBG Chambersburg, WMIC Monroe, Mich., WTIK New Orleans, KGHM Brookfield and KLRS Mountain Grove. Off-season DXing was thusly: 8/11, WHBG 1360 caught s/on atop WNNJ at 5:30 a.m. 8/24, WSAC 1470 s/on under WBIG at 5:02 a.m. WTKO fair under WSAW at 6:45 p.m. that day. 8/27, WEPG 910 caught testing at 2:00 a.m. A weak tester on 1220 at 2:10 - KZEE? WFLR 1570 Eting atop XERF at 2:20 a.m. CJOY 1450 caught s/on at 4:45 a.m. without much QRM - seems Monday would be the best AM to get them. 9/2, CKSL 1290 heard at 9:15 p.m. atop WJAS, and next to local WHBI. 9/4- WWRI 1450 atop QRM at 3:00 a.m. 9/7, CFOB 800 heard very faintly at 2:00 a.m. s/off, thanks to Lefty's tip. 9/17, CKJL 900 DX came in fine at 1:20 on. 9/26- WKLX 1440 Paris, Ky. caught with a r/c at 1:00 a.m. 9/29- WPHB 1260 caught s/on, atop WNDR at 5:15 a.m. WHBG and WPHB are the results of tips from local fellow DXer, Pete Clarius.

Don Reynolds - 630 Figueroa Drive - Altadena, California

The season is going great guns out here in sunny (and smoggy) Southern California. Foreign DX seems very good on the mornings and nights when static is low. Here's a run-down on latest DX: 9/19- YVKS (750) S-7 at 10:10 p.m. YSS (655) S-8 at 10:20, TILS (855) S-7 at 11:40. Then on 9/21 came YVMH (700) "Radio Popular" fair at 9:30 p.m., CMCU (660) S-8 at 10, TIW (755) S-8 at 10:15, TGJ (880) very good at 10:40, and a new one here was YSDR (820) "Ondas Tropicales" at 10:30 behind WFAA. On Sunday AM 9/23 five new ones were logged - 24ZB (1040) and 3YC (960) both heard about 4:30 (only S 5-6), XEBU S-9 at 6:45, XEQ (1490) fighting with XEDR at 7:45, and KOWH (660) at s/on. VOA (1180) Okinawa was S-8 at 7:30. Then in the PM of 9/23 YVKS TIW HJKC were all heard between 10 and 10:30 plus HJAT (1080) "Radio Reloj" S-6 behind KRLD for a new one and the mess on 1185 kc/s. turned out to be 250 watt XEFR now on this split frequency. Monday morning 9/24, all Japan cut loose between 4 and 6 a.m. JOKD (1390) S-7, JOLF (1310) S-8, a new one in JOJK (1170) S-6, JOHB (1090) S-7, unidentified 500 watt Jap on 1080 was S-5, JONR (1010) S-7, JOKR (950) S-8, JOHK (890) S-6, mystery on 840 was S-5, JOBB (830) S-6, JOQC (770) S-6, JOIB (750) S-6, JOBK (670) S-6, JOOR (1210) S-7, JOQR (1130) S-7, and VOA (1180) was good as early as 5:30. Logged a new domestic WLOF (950) at 6 a.m. Then in the evening of 9/24 two more new ones in KSLR (1320) and CMCK (1060). Sunday AM 9/30 brought two more new ones in CJIB (940) and JOJB (1370) who was S-7 from 6:45 to 7:15. Other Japs heard were JOKD (1390) cery good at 6:00, JOOR (1210) S-6 at 6:40, and VOA, Okinawa was S-9 at 6:42. Many reports out in September with best being HJKC CMQ TIW HJKA JOKR JOQR JOJB CMCK XEFR XEBX XEBU CMCF CMCU XEOY and XEB. Veries in from TGJ KOA KEX WILD and KOOL. 73.

Hank Ward - 404 North 14th - Ponca City, Oklahoma

10/1 - Entries into the Contest are coming in and it looks like an exciting contest with a lot of contestants to stimulate the action! Good luck to all of you in your area! DX since last report is as follows: 9/24- WJEW 1230 New Orleans, La. on for Hurricane Flossy. 9/28- New WFVL 1220 Camden, Tenn. testing and WHBC, 1480, RS, Canton, O. WFVL also noted on 9/30. 9/30- WEAH 800 Greer, S.C. test; WCHB, 1440, Inkster, Mich. test; WOKO 1460, Albany, N.Y. RS as well as WPAQ 740, Mount Airy, N.C. and WDEH 800, Sweetwater, Tenn. No veries in since return home from Harrisburg Convention, but virtually nothing sent out until above reception. That's about the size of it from here, but don't forget - Ponca City in '57! 73s.

C. M. Stanbury II - Box 218 - Crystal Beach, Ontario

The only recent domestic loggings are CKJL (900) St. Jerome, P.Q. on their DX and WVEZ (690) "The Voice of New Orleans" topping the channel at 8:30 pm. Domestic veries are in from CKOX and WMBI. The DX Calendar really looks good even at this early date. I'm particularly anxious to log CJON. I heard them when they put on a DX program a few years ago but goofed things up and wasn't able to send a report. Now if we could just have a DX from CFCB and another from Prince Edward Island, I'd be in pretty good shape domestic-wise. Keep those tips coming for "DX Down the Dial." 73s.

Harold S. Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

The first "DX NEWS" of Volume 24 was a real good one, although it was full of good reports and some helpful tips and the second issue, while not as large, was still full of good info. If each one would send in SOMETHING at least once a month I am sure every member would be helped in some way. Let's all help keep "DX NEWS" the TOP DX PUBLICATION it has been for several years. My DX loggings are 9/17- WERI-1450 West Warwick, R.I. 1:27-2. They are AN except they s/off 3 Sunday and Monday AMs. 9/25- KBIG-740 long test after 3 a.m. but not needed. WELR-1360 heard with 11/test 3:40-4:03 and as they never answered my 1950 report I am trying again. 9/30- KGBC 1540 announced an "after hours show" in here with an S 3-4 signal 2:20 to 3 s/off. Swell for this 250 watter, 1 kw. daytime. K TSA-550, heard on AN 3:10-4:15, very poor IDs. I mention in 9/22 "DX NEWS" I sent 14 f/ups on 9/13. Here they are: WCPC 1320, WTAL-1270, KBRO-1490 for NRC DX, WNRG-1250, WOHS-730, WSRC-1410, WAHR-1490, WMGR-930, WARE-1490 NRC DX, CKEM-1490 ditto, WBOS-1600, WABV-1590, WESO-970, WLSV-790 NRC DX. In addition I sent PP cards to six stations on 9/21- KABR-1220, WERI-1230, WSLs-610, WITA-1140, WICH-1400 KOSI-1430. Veries in are WOHS-730, QSL card, my f/up card returned with a big rubber stamp "VERIFIED"-WAHR-CE." WAHR, 1490, letter and coverage map WMGR-930, and as they never answered my 1954 reports on 1490 I am sure glad to get this one "in the book." 9/24, a nice letter from KBRO "Sorry to be so late"; 9/27 PP card WERI-1230; WITE-1340 put a big "CONFIRMED" stamp on my report. 9/28- Nice letter from KDHL-920, and finally on 9/29, WSLs-610 sent a nice letter with my PP card enclosed verifying my 11/1/54 f/c report. Veries now total 1,666. What a swell bunch of Canadian DXes Bill Stone has arranged! Seven of those listed in 9/22 "DX NEWS" are needed here. WICC is AN including Monday AMs so I am going to see Mr. Merriman, President of WICC to see if they will kindly consent to a standby from 4-5 that AM, Nov. 12, or at least for part of the DX show. It MIGHT help if several of you from distant points would write to Mr. Merriman. Address him Mr. Philip Merriman, President, Bridgeport Broadcasting Co., Station WICC, Hotel Stratfield, Bridgeport, Conn. 73 and 30.

C. B. Gerstner - 9853 Escanaba Avenue - Chicago 17, Illinois

Only verie received lately was KGNO, with several more out yet. Following are some of the latest loggings. 9/17 - 1410, KWYO on monthly f/c at 2:10; 2:25-2:30 TT on 1340 along with WRIT and company, 3:03-3:15 s/off KSTT Davenport, Iowa, 1170, on f/c. 9/19- 2:15-2:25, WKBJ f/c on 1600 QRMd by WWRL. 9/20- TT on 980 and 1480 most of AM with no announcements. 1:30-2:30, KGNO Dodge City, Kans. on AN with marathon sale on 1370. 9/21- KPMC s/off at 2:02 on 1560, 2:04 WLOW atop mess on 1400, 2:07 KVOL 1330 on AN with marathon sale, 2:12-2:15 WSFC 1240 heard f/cing behind WEDC. 9/24- The much wanted KTOK Oklahoma City heard on s/off at 1:01 a.m. on 1000. A few moments later, the Canadians CKRM 980 and CHAB 800 were noted coming in very well. 2:10-2:15 WNEZ 690 on with Hurricane Flossy, 2:19-2:25 WVMI Biloxi, Miss. on 570 also on for "Flossy," as were WTPS 940, WSMB 1350, WALA 1410. 9/25- 1:39-2:10 WOZK, Ozark, Ala. 960 on for Flossy; 2:12, WSEV 930 on ET, 2:15-2:27 s/off WDXE Lawrenceburg, Tenn. f/c on 1370. A thanks to Pat Reilley for nice card which I'll answer later. Best of DXing to all. PS - I'm all for those Spanish Report Forms.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

Letter veries received from WMMH-1460, KPOK-1440, WTUC-1580, KGHM-1470, WABA-850 and my PP card from WTIV-dx-1290. Looks as though I just did get KGHM in time with now 1470 fouled by W SAN AN, including Mondays, too, by the way. WABA and KGHM and WMMH all sent coverage maps. DX: 9/22 - WMMH-1460 on ET/M 2:36-2:50 and on. On 9:00, at 3:12, a station signed off with the word "Minneapolis" but my roomie got a fit of coughing as they announced so I don't know if it was a f/c for Minneapolis, or KTIS, Minneapolis. Any help? Music in the Latin-American style had been featured. Then as I was about to pull the switch, I happened to land on 1480 where KLEC was testing. I thought at first it was KLEE out in Ottumwa! 9/26- KDEX-1590 for another try on a test ending at 2:00. 9/27- Not-needed but rarely heard WRWB-1220 on f/c with Birmingham 1:50-2:00, TT. Then, WLOK-1480 on f/c-TT 2:00-2:15, unscheduled one. 9/28- Musical tester on 1590 with no voice, 2:16-2:25 and on and on and on. TTer on 1300. 9/30- I hope Anthony Lagatutta was listening when WDLG-1490 was testing at 2:42 behind AN WTXL as well as all others who need them. WCHB-1440, Inkster, Mich. caught just before they signed off at 2:40 on an ET. I'm glad to see so many are for the NRC Spanish Report Forms. Any more interested enough to tell us so?

C.P.C. REGULATIONS, from Chairman SID ROSENBAUM

1. In writing C.P. requests, please ask for five or six weeks' advance notice from date of station's reply. This rule is very important not only for publicity, but it will keep others on the CPC better informed as to dates arranged by fellow CPCers.
2. If possible, mail original letter received from the station to our Editor. Check time carefully and note all information on program, etc. to aid Editor in final write-up of program.
3. Spread letters to prospects on various frequencies that are open only on Monday. Overcrowded Mondays will be our greatest difficulty. As near as possible, try to arrange programs that can be heard only on Monday, for the four thirty minute periods between 3:00-5:00 EST. Programs can exceed thirty minutes, unless on same frequency) but each program should be free of competition for at least 30 minutes.
4. Preference for date and time goes to first program in to Brooklyn.
5. Make wider use of frequencies that are clearest on mornings other than Monday.
6. As most of our members prefer graveyard channels free of club DXes on first and second Mondays, please try for dates on third, fourth or last Monday in each month.
7. Each C.P. request should be informed that N.R.C. members include postage with their reports and that the station is expected to verify all correct reports.
8. Keep informed of dates and times arranged by your fellow CPCers by watching DX Calendar and DX Down the Dial. If your reply from prospect misses deadline in Brooklyn, then try for first listing in DX Down the Dial or Wagner may be able to squeeze date in for you at Lake City.

In a survey made by your CPC Chairman it was found that most favored the above regulations. We must regulate our C.P.C. to fit conditions at the present time. We cannot expect to avoid all the various difficulties that will confront us. Regulation will be flexible and subject to change with conditions over the season. The aim of the C.P.C. this season will be for quality rather than quantity, so let's all pull together for another bang-up season for the good old N.R.C.

Your Editor would like to add he'd prefer write-up details on a separate sheet of paper, and if there are more than one DX program listed by one CPCman in his letter, each on a separate piece if the write-up is not to appear for both or all in the same issue of "DX NEWS." He'd also prefer full details as to program content, and any other interesting facts about the program and station. Be sure always to include ~~always~~ the frequency, power, location, and verie signer of the stations.

CHANGES IN STATION DATANEW STATIONS

|      |                         |           |      |                           |           |
|------|-------------------------|-----------|------|---------------------------|-----------|
| 1010 | Portland, Oregon        | 1,000 D-3 | 1410 | San Saba, Texas           | 500 D-1   |
| 1240 | Fairbanks, Alaska       | 250 U-1   | 1420 | Fry, Arizona              | 1,000 D-1 |
| 1250 | Golden, Colorado        | 1,000 D-3 | 1460 | Colorado Springs, Colo.   | 1,000 D-1 |
| 1310 | Portland, Maine         | 1,000 D-1 | 1490 | Manitou Springs, Colorado | 200 U-1   |
| 1320 | Walla Walla, Washington | 1,000 D-1 | 1590 | Warwick, Rhode Island     | 1,000 D-1 |
| 1380 | Spokane, Washington     | 5,000 D-3 |      |                           |           |

CALL CHANGE

970 K B E E Modesto, Cal., from KBOX

FACILITIES

790 W S I G Mount Jackson, Virginia, to 5,000 D-3, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.  
 1270 W C G C Belmont, North Carolina, to 1,000/500 U-2, from 500 D-1, same channel.  
 1310 K W B R Oakland, California. Remains 1,000 U-1, will not go to 5,000 U2.  
 1330 W O R B Waltham, Massachusetts, to 5,000/1,000 U04, from 1,000 U-4, same ch.  
 1440 W H I S Bluefield, West Virginia, to 5,000/500 U01, from 5,000 U-2, same ch.

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1440 W M K L Dowagiac, Michigan.

Remember, the next issue in two weeks, then weekly. Let's all join the two big DX Contests right now, and get in on the fun. It's better the more we have in the competition, so don't put it off or shrug it off- come on and be a part of it and watch those points mount up. Each contest costs but a quarter!

DX PROGRAMS COMING UP FOR N.R.C.

October 9 - C M H W 810 Santa Clara, Cuba 9:30 - 10:00 p.m., E.S.T.  
 Rather short notice on this one, and of course, you'll note it is in the evening, and on their regular schedule, but none the less this half hour will be dedicated to the National Radio Club. Sr. Rene Romero Lopez, the Administrador of this station volunteered without being asked to put on this program. The N.R.C is very happy with his kind offer. The channel of course will not be clear but many of us especially in the East will be able to hear CMHW. The program will be in English. Reports should go to Sr. Lopez at the following address: La Voz de Las Villas, Apartado 376, Santa Clara, L.V. Cuba  
 Arranged through Stan Stanbury.

October 22 - K P L K 1460 Dallas, Oregon 3:00 - 3:30 a.m., E.S.T.  
 This station has been on the air for approximately one year, and are coming on the air with a special TEST broadcast. It is expected that 1460 will be completely clear for this test, giving everybody a fine chance to log this rare visitor in the DX homes. KPLK is normally on only during the daytime, and this night test will present a wonderful chance of logging them. We do not have any information on just what the program content will be, but familiar music is expected, along with much station identifications. Don't forget, then, this special N.R.C. test.

Arranged by Francis Nittler

October 22 - K O R D 910 Pasko, Washington 4:00 - 5:00 a.m., E.S.T.  
 It is hoped this channel will be clear coast to coast, but with E.D.S.T. still prevailing in some portions of the East, there may be an early sign-on or two to interfere in that part of the country. KORD is a brand new station, and few DXers have heard them as yet, but after this program, many of us will point with pride to the entry "KORD" in our logs. Again we do not know just exactly what sort of program will be transmitted, but we are figuring on familiar music and plenty of announcements. Their 500 watts are non-directional, so let's all be trying for this one.

Arranged by Francis Nittler

A few notes on some of the programs listed in the "DX Calendar" on Page 1.

W C B G. We do not know for certain if this is E.S.T. or E.D.S.T. Try both.

H O X O. WJR in Detroit is being asked to stand by for this one. At this writing, we do not have their decision.

K L E N. This is the morning after Election Day, so the date might be better if changed, for undoubtedly, WMGM will run AN that morning with Election Results, if it is not decided before 3 a.m. EST.

C K C L. WICC's AN program on Mondays may force the cancellation of this one, but Hal Williams is trying to get them to stand by for a portion of this DX. See his report in which he asks you all to help by writing in to WICC.

C J E T. This is NOT a DX Program, but is Strictly a TEST. However, we are including it in our "DX Calendar" and it will also count in the Domestic Contest.

Remember, all C.P.C. men, to check the "DX Calendar" to make sure your programs are listed correctly in every detail. That is another reason why we ask you to ask the stations to give you five to six weeks' notice from the receipt of their reply by you.

Sid Rosenbaum says no two programs are supposed to go on the air at precisely the same time throughout, and that the first one received by your Editor in Brooklyn is the one which stands, and the other must be changed. Accordingly, the one listed first in the listing, should such a conflict occur, will indicate it was the one received in Brooklyn by your Editor ahead of the one listed after it. The Editor will NOT act in any way on changing the dates and times of said programs. It will be up to the CPCman arranging the second one listed to arrange the chance in date and/or time of said program. Swell listing, isn't it? Looks like a great season ahead.

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ALL times are EST

- 580 WIEW Topeka, Kans maybe AN (CG)  
 600 WICC Bridgeport, Ct is AN Mon AM, apparently has no silent period (EC)  
 790 WQXI Atlanta, Ga will DX for NNRC 10/10 0200-0230 (NNRC)  
 800 CFOB Fort Frances, Ont wkday S/off is 0207 (EC)  
 810 CMHW Santa Clara, Cuba has volunteered to DX for the NRC 10/9 2130-2200, see front page for full details, VS is Rene Romero Lopez, Administrador  
 860 CMBL Habana, Cuba is AN apparently 7 days a week, announces as International @ Airport Radio as CMK use to (EC)  
 900 WOZK~~g~~ Ozark, Ala S/on was 0530 (GHD)  
 WCME Brunswick, Me Oct S/on is probably 0545 (JB)  
 920 KELP El Paso, Tex sked is 0800-0205 (GHD)  
 940 WINZ Hollywood, Fla is AN (CG)  
 950 WXLW Indianapolis, Ind Sun S/on is 0600 (JB)  
 970 WAAT~~g~~ Newark, N.J. S/on is 0700 7 days a week (EC) BUT JB says Sun S/on is 0500  
 980 WCAP Lowell, Mass Sun S/on is 0500, in clear in the East (JB)  
 960 WBCC~~g~~ Salisbury, Md S/on is 0443 (GHD)  
 1010 KIRA Little Rock, Ark is AN incldings Mondays (CG) (EC)  
 1100 KYW Cleveland, Ohio is AN again (GMS)  
 1170 KSTT Davenport, Iowa has FC 3rd Mon 0300-0315 (CG)  
 1180 WHAM Rochester, N.Y. is silent We AM (EC)  
 1190 CMK Habana, Cuba has apparently quit ANing (EC)  
 1220 WCLB Camilla, Ga has FC 1st Wed 0215-0230 (PR)  
 1240 WWCO Waterbury, Ct Sun S/on is 0500, they are on standard time (JHH)  
 1240 WEMP Milwaukee, Wis is AN ~~XX~~ 7 days a week (EC)  
 1260 WNDR Syracuse, N.Y. is no longer AN (EC)  
 1270 WLBR~~g~~ Lebanon, Pa S/on is 0400 (EJ)  
 1280 WOV ~~g~~ New York, N.Y. ~~XX~~ S/off Sun AM at 0345 (EC)  
 1290 WHKY Hickory, N.C. S/ON is 0500 (CG)  
 1300 WAVZ New Haven, Ct is now silent Mon AM (EC)  
 1330 WETZ New Martinsville S/on is 0450 (CG)  
 WEAW Evanston, Illinois S/on 0500 7 days a week (CG) (Are they on DST?)  
 1340 KGMJ Palm Springs, Cal is AN, ~~XX~~ Silent Mon 0300-0900 (RB)  
 1350 KCHS Charleston, Mo hrd on FC 0145-0200 9/11 (2nd Tue) (GHD)  
 1360 KDLM Detroit Lakes, Minn has FC 2nd Sat 0300-0315 (CG)  
 1370 KGNO Dodge City, Kans is AN (GA)  
 1400~~X~~ KART Jerome, Idaho 0406-0410 9/19 (3rd Wed) with FC & ET (GA)  
 1420 CMCG Habana, Cuba is AN 7 days a week (EC)  
 WEMB Erwin, Tenn S/on is 0400 (EJ)  
 1450 WWRI~~g~~ West Warwick, R.I. is silent Mon AM 0200-0500 (EC)  
 WHTC Holland, Mich has FC 2nd Mon 0155-0210 (EC)  
 1470 WKLZ Kalamazoo, Mich has FC/T 3rd Tue (or possibly 18th of month) 0100-0115  
 1480 KLMS S/off is 0300 (Lincoln, Neb) (EJ)~~F~~  
 1490 ~~XXXX~~ KAIR Tucson, Ariz plan to go AN (RB)  
 1580 WTUC Union City, Tenn has 1st Thur 0230-0245 (PR) (JB)  
 1600 KATZ~~g~~ St. Louis, Mo. wkday S/on is 0600, Sundays 0700 (GHD)  
 1613 RAB Rabinal, Guatemala (beacon) is AN) GHD)

## HOW THEY WERE HEARD

CKJL Very strong in Connecticut, S/6 and in clear at Brooklyn, Strong with static burst at Lake City. Weak at first in Valier, Pa but nearly 100% readable by final quarter. Fair signal strength with heavy static at Crystal.

## ELECTION

There will be a province wide election in Nova Scotia October 30. There will of course be a chance of logging stations from that area on the morning of October 31 (BS)

## NEW STATIONS

- 920 KDES Palm Springs, Cal expected to be on by Oct 1 but doubt if they were (RB)  
 1440 WCHB Inkster, Mich ETing 9/30 (JWWN)  
 1460 WMMH Marshal, N.C. ETing 9/22 and asking for reports (EC)  
 1480 KLEC Jonesville, La ETing 9/22 (EC)

## NRC EQUIPMENT LIST: PART II

| DXER  | RECEIVER(S)   | ANTENNA(S)  |
|---|---|---|
| Gene Allan<br>Milton C. Bay   | HQ129X<br>SX62  | 20' vertical, a 75' singlewire<br>140' singlewire N/S 40' high<br>60' singlewire E/W 40' high<br>Built in                                     |
| G. Harley DeLeurerer<br>Mike Ferguson<br>Walter L. Goldy<br>J. Howard Harding | Zenith H723Z2<br>HQ 120 X, 1935 Silvertone<br>SX42, Wells-Gardner<br><del>XXX</del> S4OB          | 30' high, 50' N/S & 50' E/W<br>100' singlewire E/W, mesh coil<br>Indoor 12' brass curtain rod &<br>aluminum wire                              |
| Harry J. Hibbard  | HQ140X with Heathkit "Q"<br>multiplier, <del>M</del> S38B   | BCB loop, 140' singlewire NW/SE<br>30' high, <del>80</del> 85' singlewire NE-<br>-SW 35' high   |
| Ev Johnson<br>Frank S. Johnson<br>Anthony Lagatutta<br>Roy H. Millar          | S4OB<br>S53A<br>S53A<br>NC SW54, 6 tube Silvertome  | 100' singlewire SW/NE 40' high<br>Short indoor wire<br>2 inverted Ls 75' high, 300' & <del>100</del><br>160' long                             |
| J. W. Waldron Newman  | 3 tuber homebuilt in 1933,<br>1935 Howard Grand, NC 100 ASD<br>RAK7 (U.S. Navy)                   | 60' inverted L <del>E</del> E/W 30' high,<br>130' inverted L NE/SW 500' high  |
| Sid Rosenbaum   | 1937 Freshman Masterpiece   | 50' inverted L <del>50</del> E/W 40' high.<br>Indoor 25' lead in wire attached<br>to a copper washboiler <del>XXX</del> ; ying<br>in basement |
| Warren Routzahn<br>Scooter Segraves<br>Hal Wagner                             | Patterson PR15 (correction from Part I)<br>Zenith Trans Oceanic<br>Hammarlund SP400X with Select- | Built in loop<br>Singlewires as follows   |
| BC 314 and BC 453 as<br>double conversion too                                 | -O-Ject and Q multiplier<br>23 tube Scott, BC946B (Mil.)<br>////////////////////////////////////  | 1000' due S 12'h, 1100' du W<br>12' high, 240' NNW 10' high &<br>350' & <del>300</del> 330 degrees 10' high                                   |
| Carl E. Parsons Jr.   | NC57M with DB22A preselector/<br>and Millan SB selector<br>ANTENNA Roof drain leader              | (previous one listed as NNW is<br>/340 degrees) Ground is a piece<br>/of pipe driven into a small <del>XXXXX</del><br>/spring                 |

## NOTES

Manufacturers Code; HQ - Hammarlund, S or SX - Hallicrafters, NC - National

Most war surplus receivers have long wave and part or all of the BCB.

## DAYLIGHT TIME

For most parts of the nation this September 30th. However certain areas will remain on DST until the end of October. Included in this list are Wheeling, W. Va., Chicago, Buffalo, N. Y., New York City and other Eastern seaboard communities. Thus during the coming month, there will be an excellent opportunity to log many Eastern and Chicago stations due to their earlier sign ons. (SID ROSENBAUM & CMS)

## LONG WAVE DX

This is a branch of DXing which a great many of us, your editor included, know very little about. But if you hurry, you can still get hold of the October POPULAR ELECTRONICS on sale at many news stands. In it is an article by Tommy Kneitel titled THE COMEBACK TRAIL FOR LONG WAVE DX. It provides an excellent introduction to the band. In addition, it lists a number of beacons between 526 and 532 kc, a range of frequencies which many BCB receivers tune.



## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

Edited by: Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, U.S.A.

We are off, I fear, to our usual slow start for the month of October, but it is encouraging to know that some DX of a foreign nature is slipping through. We are introducing a new feature this week for your comment. Watch for it at the end of the regular DX section, and so on to the happenings of the week.

## NORTH AMERICA

EL SALVADOR\*-The following stations are known to be active at the present time on medium waves: YSO (870) "La Voz de la Democracia", San Salvador; YSDR (820) "Radio Tropical", Santa Ana; YSI (1250) "Radio Imperador", San Salvador; and YSR (1330) "La Voz de El Salvador" San Salvador. Others are also active, but these are known to be by actual reception. (WRH)

PANAMA\*- "Radio Hogar", operating on 670 Kcs. call HOLY, is on the air daily from 0600-2200. Power is 1 Kw. (WRH)

CUBA\*-CMBL (860) appears to be all night. Heard several Mondays when WCBS off 880 Kcs. Identifies in Spanish and English. (LB) CMCF (910) Havana, logged with usual good signal from 0009-0030 on 9/22 with report Number 4 being sent with the usual high hopes of early season. (FV) CMCF had news from 0009-0025, then music.

MEXICO\*-GA reports an unknown Mexican from 0420-0430 on 1430 Kc. Announced as XEMV "Radio Romas" and said he was on 1440, but was on 1430. Mentioned Kansas City, and presumably testing with CML Radio. (Nothing definite here, Gene, except an unlicensed (No call assigned) one in Rosario, Sinaloa. If anyone can help on this, please let us know-FV) XERH (1500) Mexico, on top way over S-9 at 2145 9/23. (HW)

ALASKA\*-A new station has been assigned to Fairbanks, on 1240 Kcs. with 250 watts unlimited time. (FCC)

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC\*- "La Voz de la Reeleccion" at Santiago is on 1175 Kcs. with a powerful evening signal. No sign of TIQ which has probably shifted. (HH)

NICARAGUA\*-Station noted on 745 Kcs. with good signal, often mentioning Nicaragua and Managua. Anyone know who it is? Maybe "Radio Mundial"? (HH)

GUATEMALA\*-TGJ (880) "Radio Nuevo Mundo", heard as S-7-8 level on 9/6 from 2135-2215. Also S7 at 2200 on 9/13. Uses "Woody Woodpecker" interval signal. (HJW)

COSTA RICA\*-TIFC (995) "Faro del Caribe", San Jose, heard quite well once at 2210 on 9/10. The Mexican covers him most of the time. (HJW)

## SOUTH AMERICA

COLOMBIA\*-Stations noted on air all night several nights after Cali explosion included 770, 820, and 840 Kcs. Sounded like news flashes from different cities. QRN too strong for a good log. (BB) HJKC (840) "Nuevo Mundo on Bogota", being heard every evening since 9/6 after 2130. Plays a lot of American records. (HJW)

BRAZIL\*-PRG8 (1210) Bauru, increased power from 500 watts to 1000 watts. (RKU) PRH5 (1160) Pocos de Caldes, being reported on 1350 Kcs. by DW and RKU. Can anyone confirm? ZY08 (1600) Algenas, logged in Sweden with 100 watts. Better add this station to your logs. (RKU) PRJ8 (1530) Barretos, 250 watts, has been verified in Sweden. (RKU)

## EUROPE

SPAIN\*-Add the following three stations to your logbooks: "Radio Intercontinental", Madrid, on 953 Kcs.; "Radio Toledo", Toledo, on 1142 Kcs.; and "Radio Nacional Espana", Barcelona on 1215 Kcs. (RKU) EAJ15 (1124) "Radio Espana en Barcelona", was verified in Sweden. (RKU)

YUGOSLAVIA\*- "Radio Belgrade" now broadcasts in English at 1715-1730 on 917, 1133, and 1268 Kcs. (WRH)

## ASIA

CHINA\*-RKU reports the following Chinese stations and frequencies. Wuhan on 770; Kunming on 840; Chengtu on 980; Peking on 1090; Tsinan on 1240; and Paoting on 1320. These differ from the last issue of INTERNATIONAL LOG.

TAIWAN\*-The Taiwan Police Broadcasting Station (BEC38) Taipei, is now operating on 940 Kcs. with 1 Kw. Schedule is 1 545-1725, 1955-0100, and 0330-1000. (WRH)

JAPAN\*-JQJR (1130) Tokyo, heard S-6-7 from 0445-0505 on 9/16. Woman announced station in English at 0450. This is the only Jap heard. (HJW)

## OCEANIA

HAWAII\*-KAIM (870) Kaimuki, Honolulu, now in operating with new station using 1 Kw., unlimited time. (FGC)

AUSTRALIA\*-4QG (790) Brisbane, heard at S-6 from 0510-0530 on 9/16. Very clear. (HJW) 2NA to move to 1510 Kcs. from 820. New 2GL Glen Innes, NSW, 10 Kw. 820 Kcs. due on air now. New 5PA Penola, SA, 1160 Kcs. 2 Kw., due on now. 2VM (1530) Moree, NSW, has a CP. 5VM (1590) to begin in March, 1957. 2WN (1580) to begin in July, 1957. (KM)

NEW ZEALAND\*-1YC (880) Auckland, was S-405 from 0536-0600 on 9/16. (HJW) 4ZA (820) 1 Kw., to begin with, later 10 Kw., when xatr comes, due on air October first. (KM)

RYUKU ISLANDS (Should be under Asia)\*-VOA (1180) Okinawa, at S-7 steady at 0615 on 9/16, 1st time this season. (HJW)

## MYSTERY

Who was on 980 Kcs. from 0255 until fadeout at 0333 on 9/3? Could it have been PRE8? (BB)(Seems a little early for PRE8, but could be-FV)

Unidentified LA heard almost all night on 1261-1262 Kcs. on 9/23, but too much static to read anything. (HW)

## STATIONS HEARD

This is the new feature of which we were speaking. It will be a listing by frequency of stations actually heard by members in the Continental US and Canada. Only frequency, call and location will be shown. You are to refer to the main listing for other information. If you like this feature, we will try to continue it. Please let me know in your reports, for if there isn't enough response for having it, we won't continue it.

|     |      |                       |    |           |         |                       |   |
|-----|------|-----------------------|----|-----------|---------|-----------------------|---|
| 745 | ---- | Nicaragua             | E  | 910       | CMCF    | Havana, Cuba          | E |
| 770 | HJDK | Medellin, Colombia    | E  | 995       | TIFC    | San Jose, Costa Rica  | P |
| 790 | 4QG  | Brisbane, Australia   | P  | 1130      | JQJR    | Tokyo, Japan          | P |
| 820 | HJED | Cali, Colombia        | E  | 1175      |         | Santiago, Dom. Repub. | E |
| 840 | HJKC | Bogota, Colombia      | EP | 1180      | VOA     | Okinawa, Ryuku Is.    | P |
| 860 | CMBL | Havana, Cuba          | E  | 1430/1440 | XEMV(?) | Unknown Mexico        | P |
| 880 | TGJ  | Guatemala City, Guat. | P  | 1500      | XERH    | Mexico, Mexico        | E |
|     |      | 1YC                   |    |           |         | Auckland, New Zealand | P |

E-Heard in Eastern US or Canada, C for Central, P for Pacific Coast.

## REPORTERS

BB-Bart Brown, 68 Hawthorne Avenue, Glen Ridge, New Jersey.

HW-Hal Wagner, R. D. #1, Lake City, Pennsylvania.

HJW-Hank Wilkinson, 6620 Beeman Ave., North Hollywood, California.

FCC-Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

WRH-World Radio Handbook Bulletin, Hellerup, Denmark.

RKU-ETERSVEP, organ of RadioKlubben Universal, Stuvsta, Sweden.

DW-DX Bulletin of Deutsche Welle, Koln, Germany.

HH-Hank Holbrook, #710 Edgemoor Lane, #203, Bethesda 14, Maryland.

GA-Eugene Allen, 1013 Mariposa Street, Vallejo, California.

KM-Ken Mackey, Divnl Engrs Office, P & T Dept., Dunedin, New Zealand.

FV-Your editor.

## OUR OVERSEAS MAILBAG

From Ken Mackey--\*--Reception here has picked up somewhat and I am looking forward to another bumper season. During the past season I added 91 verifications. Still looking for that elusive state of Maine to complete all states. Now have 138 from California. Well, my loggings of late are DYSR, KGON, JOPK, JOCB, JOGK, JOVR, Peking on ~~xx~~ several freqs., JOPR, Homesteader, KSLR, KTLG, DZMY, Madras, XEH, KEAR. Verifications are in from ~~X~~ KSPT, KBAB, WOPA, 6AL, 5MG, DZMY, KBKR, VQO.

## GENERAL

The last page of the Foreign Section in the last DX NEWS did not get printed, and it should be in this issue somewhere. It contained last time's OVERSEAS MAILBAG, or a portion of it. It also contained a list of Latin American, or rather American station from whom Hank Holbrook has requested DX programs. As we know these stations often come on without telling us that they have OK'd the program, it will be wise for us to watch for these stations on the dates given in this list. Hank further writes as follows: "Radio Programas Continental" Network in Panama has been written for DX program. Requested following frequencies: 580, 660, 960, 1020, 1120 Kcs. Asked for any one or combination of these frequencies. Time requested was Monday morning, November 5, from 3:30-4:30 EST. HCOXO said they would DX on October 28 from 3-4 AM, but list frequency as 760 Kcs. Have asked WJR to stand by. If they won't, will try to cancel program." This was from Hank Holbrook.

We would like to acknowledge a very nice letter from Carleton Lord, P. O. Box 14, Corning, New York. We have known of Carleton and read his material for more years than we like to recall, and it was indeed a pleasure to hear from him. The new feature called "Stations Heard" was suggested by him, and as the idea seemed to have merit, we are trying it. The idea is for all who are trying to increase their logs to check this list first, and if they see stations they would like, then complete information can be found under the country. This is a means of seeing at a glance what is being actually heard and in what part of the country. Let me know if you think it is worthwhile. If you think it is, we'll continue it, if now, it will be dropped. I think we will try it until about the middle of November on a trial basis.

Actually we have not been able to put much time in at the dials yet this season, as is usually the case in early fall, but what has been heard gives a good indication that the best signals this season are coming from the South. We feel that if you need many Cuban or Mexican stations or others from south of us, that you check your dial any evening you have a chance. Try a few frequencies known to have strong Latins on them like 910, 640, 900, 1050, 1570, 1580, and see how strong the Spanish is being spoken. If it is strong, then go looking for some weaker ones on other frequencies. A fellow should be able to find two or three new ones most evenings either on splits or dominating domestic frequencies. XERN on 1500 Kcs. with only a KW or so is a good indicator. If he is on top, then the fishing should be good. Let's try a little of this evening DX, and please report to the DIGEST all the foreign stations you hear, not just the new ones, for the common one to you may be just what the newcomer needs in the way of information to get started in foreign logging. Look at yo edxxx with 20 years of DXing, I'm still trying to get a verie out of CMCF on 910, as reported in this issue. Finally, if anyone has a readable signature on a verie from TIRS, please send it in. Is the one or yours readable, Walter Goldy? And that just about does it for this week. Next week we will have Supremacy Ratings, and don't forget to enter the Foreign Contest, details in previous issues. 73

WCHB, 1440 kc. Inkster, Mich.--Thanks for a lot of good reception reports on WCHB from a lot of good DXers. I was amazed to get them so soon. Dr. Bell, the owner of the station was very pleased with them also. He is going to get a large map of the U.S. and pinpoint each report thereon. This will be on permanent display at the station. For your information, up to, and including Thursday, Oct. 4th, WCHB has been testing with 500 watts, NONdirectional. Starting today, and hereafter, we will operate with 500 watts directional. We will have an effective radiated power of 1500 watts East & West, 250 watts North. Our nulls are toward Pontiac, Mich, Bay City, Mich. and Fostoria, Ohio. I am interested to see what kind of reports we get now. I assume that those who report Non-directional and Directional could receive two veries. We MAY be on again(1-6AM) toward the middle of next week for Audio Proof-of-Performance. If you haven't already received a verie by the time you read this, then please hold on a little longer. I am getting married and putting this station ON THE AIR, and I am very busy. Please believe me, I will VERIFY all correct reports. John D. Haskett, CE, Radio Station WCHB, 32790 Henry Ruff Rd., Wayne, Michigan.

#### HOW TO LISTEN TO THE WORLD

The 1956 edition of this booklet put out by the publishers of "World Radio Handbook" is now available. While dealing primarily with Short Wave listening, it does have an interesting and informative article by Jan Erik Raf on BCB DXing in which he explains the Sunrise-Sunset reception phenomena. If you are a serious Foreign DXer, the 14 page article on 'How To Identify Languages' by Max Mangold of Basel, Switz. will be of special interest. It has a 12 page pronouncing glossary of the commonly used words of most of the world's main languages listed with their English equivalent. The price is 60 cents and is available from Gilfer Associates, P O Box 239, Grand Central Station, New York 17, N.Y.

#### NEW ADDRESS LIST

will be used starting with the next issue--I make mistakes so if you don't get your next issue in the normal time write me pronto so I can do some checking.

#### WEYRICH LOG

Final call, price of complete AM, FM and TV log is \$1.50. AM log only is \$1.25. Order from Carroll Weyrich, 2800 Alden Rd., Baltimore 14, Md.

#### SPANISH REPORT FORMS

seem to be stirring up a lot of interest--but, very few have said how many they would buy--soooo, I still don't know what the demand will be. If you haven't done so, please tell me how many you plan on buying. Also, am temporarily out of English Report Forms, will have more soon.

#### PERMISSION

has been given by the American Radio Relay League to condense and reprint the article 'How To Tune In A.M. Phone' from the December, 1955 issue of QST. It'll be coming soon and its good.

#### HANK WARD WOULD

appreciate anyone writing to Mayor Needham or/and Herb Schall of the Chamber of Commerce in regard to the invitational package they helped Joe, Ken and I put together for the 57 Convention. I'm sure anything like that would be appreciated and indicate the effort put forth(including expense) was worthwhile and appreciated. They plan to give us some additional help later on which will further assure a wonderful Convention here. (So members, looks like if we show a little bit of appreciation now it'll pay off next Labor Day by the Poncans many times over.)

#### ON HAND

but no room is a reply by Stan Stanbury on his 4YZ report(he saw the entire thing before it was printed). If any of you wish to comment on the deal send it to me and I'll put them all together on a page.

From Laurie Boyer---Not much doing out here at present. Have logged KMTH, Midway, WRGA (1470), WMRD (1470), Homestead (1250). Verics are KFJB, KELA, WCEZ. I would like to come to the defence of Ken Mackey. There is such a thing as impossible stations in New Zealand, if not in the states. C. M. Stanbury rushes into print, but he does not know what New Zealand conditions are like, so how can he know what he is talking about. I guarantee every NZ member of the RRC will back me up on that. The DXer who sent that report has a fair set, but a poor location. He doesn't bother to identify a station. He has a habit of picking out what he'd like it to be, not what it is. 1420 is covered here by KSTN who is very loud on a good night, ~~xxxxxxxkxxx~~ 2WL on 1430 is a very strong signal, and is always first. ~~xx~~ In between these two KOLD on 1425 is an impossibility, especially in winter. I feel that unless we do something about these poor reports we will kill our own hobby. One report like C. M. Stanbury's 4YZ report (2 lines on a postcard) would qualify any NZ Radio DX League Member for immediate expulsion. We are verified by stations as a courtesy. They don't have to do it. So surely they are entitled to a decent report. There have been a lot of theories put in of how a station will be heard at such and such a place. To me this is a lot of ballyhoo. You just can't DX to theory. So take it from me that when we say out here it is impossible to be heard in New Zealand, it is just that nobody south of the equator knows DX like Ken Mackey. I think that everyone who wrote in to condemn Ken should either shut up or if they have the gumption, write in and apologize.

## GENERAL

The above letter was written by Laurie Boyer and is printed at his very specific request, as I feel that every member has the right to voice his opinion. However, I do not feel that these pages are correctly used as a debating ground or a place for arguments. From time to time we are pleased to print opinions or brief discussions, but I believe we have had enough material on "impossible" stations for a while. We haven't really changed anyone's opinion, so let's forget the accusations for a while and see if we can't verify a few of those impossible ones. I suggest that anyone who has an answer for Laurie write directly to him at the address given under REPORTERS, and don't send it to me.

Hank Holbrook is working on the CPC this season hoping to get some DX programs from foreign stations. He has contacted the following stations. We print the list, as these stations are known to come on as requested, but never tell us about it. So whether the program is definitely listed later or not, I suggest you save this list, and try on these evenings, just in case!

|                    |      |                        |      |              |     |
|--------------------|------|------------------------|------|--------------|-----|
| Sunday October 21  | QON  | Guatemala City         | 720  | 2-3 AM       | EST |
| Monday October 22  | WVEC | Cap Hatien, Haiti      | 1200 | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Sunday October 28  | WOKO | Panama City            | 769  | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Monday October 29  | YSDR | Santa Ana, El Salvador | 820  | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Monday November 5  | WDTV | Cruz Bay, Virgin Is.   | 1190 | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Monday November 12 | HJAL | Sincelojo, Colombia    | 1460 | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Monday November 19 | YVKA | Caracas, Venezuela     | 630  | 3-4 AM       |     |
| Monday November 26 | XEGH | Tijuana, B. Cts.       | 950  | 3:30-4:30    |     |
| Monday December 3  | FI3T | Ciudad Trujillo        | 620  | 4-5 AM       |     |
|                    | FI6T | Ciudad Trujillo        | 1380 | 4-5 AM       |     |
| Monday December 10 | HOLY | Panama City            | 670  | 3:30-4:30 AM |     |
| Monday December 17 | ZP3  | Asuncion, Paraguay     | 700  | 3-4 AM       |     |

Hank will write others if you suggest them if on a channel clear of AN QRM sometime during week, one that speaks English or can handle correspondence in English, one that has been heard by few, and one that stands a good chance of being heard if it DXes. Write Hank, Now 73.

On the obverse side of this sheet is a report from Laurie Boyer that has given me several sleepless nights in trying to decide whether or not to print. It was decided in the affirmative for the following reasons:

1. To fulfill the specific request of one of our New Zealand members.
2. To show you members how fast a difference of opinion can grow into an active dissension; and the wisdom shown by Fred and Lefty last season in decrying the trends of some of our discussions.

I am half afraid to say anything more about Laurie's report for fear of heaping coals upon the fire, however, I do believe that Laurie has the wrong interpretation on some of the items he mentions, namely:

1. Ken's report appeared in #29, Vol 23. In that very same issue I, Hal Wagner, spoke out bluntly against the scheme that Ken said their NZ Club was adopting (ie, of not counting veries from so-called impossible to receive stations.)

2. Stanbury's comments appeared in the same manner as did Ken's but two issues later in # 31, so he did not rush into print.

3. Stanbury's report to 4YZ was a single line on a NRC report form (I have it in my files, NRC Board Chairman Gorsuch has the postal card report). I condemned both these reports in # 9, Vol.23. The NRC board, very wisely I feel, decided that immediate expulsion in such cases was not the answer and instead a program of education in proper reporting (#25, Vol.23) was initiated and expulsion will be the final step if the DXer will not respond to the educational and persuasive tactics employed. I'm very sure that very few U.S. DXers realized the detail carried in newspaper schedules in NZ, as was also shown in this article, an item which NZ DXers know from the time they can read.

4. It is quite true we do not know DX conditions in NZ, However, the phenomena of the propagation of radio waves, something which is varying from minute to minute, hour by hour, season by season, is worldwide and is not limited alone to the Northern hemisphere.

5. No one was questioning Ken Mackey's ability or integrity. He was not reporting his own opinion but was reporting the action of a NZ DX Club he belonged to. From Ken's reports to the NRC, to the NZ Club and from his standings in the ratings in both clubs, I also believe that Ken for the past several years has been the peer of the NZ DXers. And in that respect I also believe you NZ boys have it way over us. How many of us would scrounge to get dollars or battle with the authorities for money orders as these NZ boys do to belong to the NRC--and then wait 7 to 8 weeks for the bulletins to arrive?

I still condemn such sketchy reports that the station personnel can not positively check their logs. It appears to me, that so many of the stations have been so bombarded by reports, by follow-ups, etc., that many of them have adopted a 'To H--- with it' policy and either throw every report away unanswered, or else verify every report they get, whether correct or not. I have received a verie from CP3 in response to a thank you letter and I'm willing to bet Hank Holbrook will get some veries back from the list of stations he is writing to for programs. I remember reading the case of a DXer(?) sending the same tentative report to Thule AFB, 1425 kc. and to Panama Canal Zone AFRS on 1420 kc. and in due course of time received a verification from both stations- - - - Did he discard both veries? Or did he keep them? No doubt if a person was cheat enough to send entirely fictitious reports to the majority of the world's radio stations he would receive quite a collection of bona-fide veries. If stations will verify as easily as I've shown here it leads to the all important question each one of us should ponder over.

#### OF WHAT VALUE IS A VERIFICATION?

Your opinions and ideas are still wanted in your reports, however we must insist that personalities be left out, we are in this hobby for fun, not fighting. If you feel that you want to write an editorial send it directly to me, do not send it to the editors. In this way I can easily segregate the bulletin to keep pages such as this from going to other than our members.

CONSTRUCTION PERMITS ISSUED BY FCC AS OF OCT. 1, 1956

| <u>Call</u> | <u>Location</u>         | <u>Owner</u>                    | <u>Freq.</u> | <u>Power</u> |
|-------------|-------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------|--------------|
| KPOO        | San Francisco, Calif    | Grant H. Wrathall               | 1010         | 10 KW-D      |
| WDTV        | Cruz Bay, St. John, VI  | West Indies-Caribbean Radio     | 1190         | 500          |
| WBOP        | Pensacola, Fla          | R. H. Gunckle, Jr               | 980          | 500 D        |
| KURA        | Moab, Utah              | Moab Bdcstg & TV Corp           | 1450         | 250          |
| WPWR        | Laurel, Miss            | American Southern Bdcstrs       | 1430         | 1000 D       |
| WCBQ        | Sarasota, Fla           | The Tradewinds Bdcstg Co        | 1220         | 250 D        |
| WMYN        | Mayodan, NC             | Mayo Bdcstg Corp                | 1420         | 500 D        |
| WDBM        | Statesville, NC         | Iradell Bdcstg Co               | 550          | 500 D        |
| WCLE        | Cleveland, Tenn         | Southern Enterprises            | 1570         | 1000 D       |
| KDLS        | The Dalles, Oreg        | The Dalles Bdcstg Co            | 930          | 1000         |
| WBFY        | Charlottesville, Va     | Lawrence Lee Kennedy            | 1010         | 1000 D       |
| WARC        | Milton, Pa              | Williamsport Radio Bdcstg Inc   | 1380         | 1000 D       |
| KAGT        | Anacortes, Wash         | Skagit Bdcstg Co                | 1340         | 250          |
| KEOR        | Enterprise, Oreg        | Eastern Oreg Radio Co           | 1340         | 250          |
| WCHK        | Canton, Ga              | Christian & McClure             | 1290         | 1000 D       |
| KADM        | Othello, Wash           | Othello Radio                   | 1450         | 100          |
| WPGA        | West Point, Ga          | Confederate Radio Co            | 910          | 500 D        |
| WRMF        | Titusville, Fla         | Melbourne on the Air, Inc       | 1050         | 500 D        |
| WWCC        | Bremen, Ga              | West Georgia Bdcstg Co          | 1440         | 500 D        |
| WKTF        | Warrenton, Va           | WKTF, Inc                       | 1420         | 5000 D       |
| KGAC        | St. Peter, Minn         | Gustave Adolphus College        | 1310         | 1000 D       |
| WBRB        | Mount Clemens, Mich     | WBRB, Inc                       | 1430         | 500 D        |
|             | Indianapolis, Ind       | Rollins Bdcstg Inc              | 1590         | 5000 D       |
| KMOS        | Tyler, Texas            | Tyler Bdcstg Corp               | 690          | 250 D        |
| KONK        | Shelton, Wash           | Mason County Bdcstg Co          | 920          | 500 D        |
| KHOT        | Madera, Calif           | Glomor Music Bdcstrs Inc        | 1250         | 500 D        |
| WXLI        | Hazelhurst, Ga          | A. M. Thomas                    | 1450         | 250          |
| WHRT        | Hartselle, Ala          | Dorsey E. Newman                | 860          | 250 D        |
| WCHB        | Inkster, Mich           | Bell Bdcstg Co hrd 9/29 HW      | 1440         | 500 D        |
| KITN        | Olympia, Wash           | KITN, Inc                       | 1440         | 500 D        |
| WLEO        | Ponce, PR               | Ponce Bdcstg Corp               | 1170         | 250          |
| WIVV        | Island of Vieques, PR   | Calvary Baptist Mission of PR   | 1370         | 1000         |
| WMLF        | Pineville, Ky           | States Bdcstg System, Inc       | 1230         | 250          |
| KYNG        | Coos Bay, Oreg          | Coos County Bdcstrs             | 1420         | 1000 D       |
| KBBC        | Centerville, Utah       | Bountiful Bdcstg Co             | 1600         | 1000 D       |
| WGCS        | Green Cove Springs, Fla | Rev. William F. Askew           | 1220         | 250 D        |
| WLBA        | Gainesville, Ga         | Hall County Bdcstg Co           | 1580         | 5000 D       |
| KLUV        | Haynesville, La         | Charles Edward Ray              | 1580         | 250 D        |
| KLVI        | Vivian, La              | Joel Ellis Wharton              | 1600         | 500 D        |
| KBHM        | Branson, Mo             | Shepherd of the Hills Bdcstg Co | 1220         | 250 D        |
| WWXL        | Manchester, Ky          | The Wilderness Road Bdcstg Co   | 1580         | 250 D        |
| WLIV        | Livingston, Tenn        | Audio Bdcstrs                   | 920          | 1000 D       |
| WICO        | Salisbury, Md           | Elizabeth & W. Courtney Evans   | 1320         | 500 D        |
| WMPY        | Salisbury, Md           | Hoyt C. Murphy                  | 1470         | 5000 D       |
| KGRO        | Gresham, Oreg           | Gresham Bdcstg Co               | 1230         | 100          |
| WALY        | Herkimer, NY            | WALY, Inc                       | 1420         | 1000 D       |
| KLLA        | Leesville, La           | Leesville Bdcstg Co             | 1570         | 250 D        |
| KBMO        | Benson, Minn            | West Central Minn Bdcstg Co     | 1290         | 500 D        |
| WYSR        | Franklin, Va            | S. L. Goodman                   | 1570         | 250 D        |
| KALV        | Alva, Okla              | Aubrey D. Conrow                | 1430         | 500          |

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| WMAB        | Munising, Mich       | Munising-Alger Bdcstg Co                       | 1400         | 250          |
| WONY        | Owego, NY            | Erdman Bdcstg Co                               | 1330         | 1000 D       |
| WLIS        | Old Saybrook, Conn   | Long Island Radio Corp                         | 1420         | 500 D        |
| WRAM        | Monmouth, Ill        | Prairieland Bdcstrs                            | 1330         | 1000 D       |
| WKLM        | Wilmington, NC       | East Coast Radio Co                            | 790          | 500 D        |
| WOOO        | DeLand, Fla          | DeLand Bdcstrs, Inc                            | 1310         | 1000 D       |
| WPCC        | Clinton, SC          | Clinton Bdcstg Co                              | 1410         | 500 D        |
| KAIR        | Tucson, Ariz         | Pima Bdcstg Co                                 | 1490         | 250          |
| WTWB        | Auburndale, Fla      | R. E. Hughes                                   | 1570         | 1000 D       |
| KDAN        | Eureka, Calif        | W. H. Hansen                                   | 790          | 5000 D       |
| KDES        | Palm Springs, Calif  | George E. Cameron, Jr.                         | 920          | 500 D        |
| WMOO        | Milford, Mass        | James W. Miller                                | 1490         | 100          |
| WJGD        | Columbia, Tenn       | Columbia-Mt. Pleasant & Spring Hill Radio Corp | 1280         | 1000 D       |
| WTTL        | Madisonville, Ky     | Hopkins County Bdcstrs                         | 1310         | 500 D        |
| KLEC        | Jonesville, La       | Old South Bdcstg Co                            | 1480         | 500 D        |
| KWIC        | Salt Lake City, Utah | Dale R. Curtis                                 | 1570         | 500 D        |
| KUVR        | Holdrege, Nebr       | W. W. Bdcstg Co                                | 1380         | 500 D        |
| KOZI        | Chelan, Wash         | Lake Chelan Bdcstg Corp                        | 1220         | 1000 D       |
| KRCK        | Ridgecrest, Calif    | Indian Wells Radio                             | 1360         | 1000 D       |
| KDOO        | Ridgecrest, Calif    | Ridgecrest-China Lake Bdcstrs                  | 990          | 1000 D       |
| KRKS        | Ridgecrest, Calif    | Ian S. Lansdown                                | 1240         | 250          |
| WWBC        | Bay City, Mich       | Water Wonderland Bdcstg Co                     | 1250         | 1000 D       |
| WMPT        | So. Williamsport, Pa | Jefferson Bdcstg Co                            | 1450         | 250          |
| KHEP        | Phoenix, Ariz        | Bam Ray Bdcstg Co                              | 1280         | 1000 D       |
| WMAF        | Madison, Fla         | Norman O. Protsman                             | 1230         | 250 SH       |
| WSUZ        | Palatka, Fla         | Raymac, Inc                                    | 800          | 1000 D       |
| WJOE        | Ward Ridge, Fla      | Vacationland Bdcstg Co                         | 1570         | 250 D        |
| KFNV        | Ferriday, La         | Miss-Lou Bdcstg Co                             | 1600         | 1000 D       |
| WAMD        | Aberdeen, Md         | Harford County Bdcstg Co                       | 970          | 500 D        |
| WNIL        | Niles, Mich          | Lawrence J. Flynn                              | 1290         | 500 D        |
| WJBL        | Holland, Mich        | Ottawa Bdcstg Co                               | 1260         | 500 D        |
| KLWV        | Lakeview, Oreg       | Pacific Northwest Radio                        | 1230         | 250          |
| WMSR        | Manchester, Tenn     | Manchester Bdcstrs                             | 1580         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Fry, Ariz            | Carleton W. Morris                             | 1420         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Portland, Oreg       | James R. Roberts                               | 1010         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Warwick, RI          | West Shore Bdcstg Co                           | 1590         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Spokane, Wash        | Robert D. & Martha M. Rapp                     | 1380         | 5000 D       |
| .....       | Walla Walla, Wash    | Leader Bdcstg Co                               | 1540         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Casa Grande, Ariz    | ABC Service Co                                 | 1260         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | El Centro, Calif     | Ray Lapica                                     | 1430         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Titusville, Fla      | Titusville Bdcstg Co                           | 1300         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Buford, Ga           | Gwinnett County Bdcstg Co                      | 1460         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Huntington, Ind      | Huntington Valley Bdcstrs                      | 1300         | 500 D        |
| .....       | Clinton, Iowa        | Mississippi Valley Bdcstg Co                   | 1390         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Hazard, Ky           | Perry County Bdcstg Co                         | 1390         | 5000 D       |
| .....       | Mt. Vernon, Ky       | Renfro Valley Bdcstrs, Inc                     | 1460         | 500 D        |
| .....       | Dillon, Mont         | Vigilante Bdcstg Co                            | 800          | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Fallon, Nev          | Lahontan Valley Bdcstg Co                      | 1250         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Wenatchee, Wash      | Queen Bdcstg Co                                | 1410         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Arecibo, PR          | Abacoa Radio Corp                              | 1070         | 500          |
| .....       | Fairbanks, Alaska    | Radio Anchorage, Inc                           | 1240         | 250          |
| .....       | Golden, Colo         | Golden Radio, Inc                              | 1250         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | Portland, Maine      | Casco Bdcstrs Corp                             | 1310         | 1000 D       |
| .....       | San Saba, Texas      | Radio San Saba                                 | 1410         | 500 D        |
| .....       | Sanford, Florida     | Sanford Bdcstg Co                              | 1360         | 500 D        |
| .....       | Odessa, Texas        | Mid-Cities Bdcstg Co                           | 1310         | 500 D        |