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OUT WEST - IT'S THE BEST

"Enclosed find money order for my third year's membership in the finest organization on this earth. I have enjoyed the past two years immensely and plan to enjoy many years. I don't have time to send too many verifications, but this verification to N.R.C. is a must once every year." -Leonard Lockwood, Route 10, Box 792, Olympia, Wash.

N R C D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. EST.	StationTime
Wed. 12/11	WMNS	1360	Olean, New York	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 EST
Sat. 12/14	KITN	1440	Olympia, Washington	500	3:00 - 3:30	12:01 PST
	WZYX	1440	Cowan, Tennessee	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	3:30 EST
Mon. 12/16	KSPI	780	Stillwater, Oklahoma	250	4:00 - 4:30	3:00 CST
	WBHC	1270	Hampton, South Carolina	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	3:00 EST
	WGMA	1320	Hollywood, Florida	500	3:30 - 4:00	3:30 EST
	WIOD	1360	Sanford, Florida	500	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 EST
	WTLB	1310	Utica, New York	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 EST
	WSTL	1600	Eminence, Kentucky	500	4:00 - 4:30	3:00 CST
	KOMB	1400	Cottage Grove, Oregon	250	4:00 - 4:30	1:00 PST
----- WMTN/	WEWO	1080	Laurinburg, North Car.	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	4:00 EST
Wed. 12/18	WCCN	1370	Neillsville, Wisconsin	1,000	2:30 - 3:00	1:30 CST
Fri. 12/20	KDBM	800	Dillon, Montana	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	1:00 MST
Mon. 12/16	WMTN	1300	Morristown, Tennessee	5,000	4:30 - 5:00	4:30 EST
Sun. 12/22	KPOK	1440	Scottsdale, Arizona	5,000	2:00 - 5:30	12:01 MST
Mon. 12/23	WK LX	1440	Paris, Kentucky	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	4:00 EST
Mon. 1/6	WLEO	1170	Ponce, Puerto Rico	250	4:00 - 5:00	5:00 AST
Sun. 1/12	KBHS	590	Hot Springs, Arkansas	5,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30 CST
Mon. 1/13	KWEB	1270	Rochester, Minnesota	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00 EST

See pages 3 and 4 for write-ups for 12/14, 12/16 and 12/18 DX Tests.

N N R C

Wed. 12/11	KALV	1430	Alva, Oklahoma	500	3:00 - 3:30	2:00 CST
Sun. 12/15	VOWR	800	St. Johns, Newfoundland	1,000	1-3 or 3-5	2:50 or 4:50 CST
Mon. 12/16	CFAR	590	Flin Flon, Manitoba	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	2:00 CST
	KLRS	1360	Mountain Grove, Missouri	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	2:30 CST
Sat. 12/21	WKLE	1370	Washington, Georgia	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	3:00 EST
Mon. 12/30	KASH	1600	Eugene, Oregon	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	1:00 PST
Mon. 1/20	WBAW	740	Barrwell, South Carolina	500	4:30 - 5:00	4:30 EST
Wed. 1/22	WWNH	930	Rochester, New Hampshire	5,000	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 EST

Eastern Standard Time

Throughout the history of DX NEWS, we have always used an unwritten rule that Eastern Standard Time is to be used throughout the publication. We have noted a tendency lately of some of you not to convert your times into Eastern Standard. This lends confusion in the long run, and we do not feel like taking the added job of converting it here, so won't you all please send in your reports in Eastern Standard Time? Uniformity in time mentioned will eliminate all confusion, we feel. Please co-operate. Thanks.

DX NEWS
VERIE SIGNERS

690	W E L D	Kimberley Johnson, M	B	1390	W E A M	Donald E. Holt, CE	F
710	K E F L	Rudy Johnson, CE	F	1400	W C Q S	Daniel Bruce, GM	E
740	W I R J	Howard Byrium, GM	B		W O N D	John Struckell, H	H
790	X E R C	Joaquin Carranza	C	1420	W C O J	Louis N. Seltzer, CE	A
930	H J A F	Horberto Elguedo, Contador	B	1430	W B R B	John Brookbank, CE	B
960	W A D P	John Nordine, CE	B		W S q D B	Louise Hams, Women's D	D
970	W V O P	H. C. Gilbeath, M	B	1440	K P O K	Richard Gilbert, P	A
	W E R H	John Lott, CE	B	1450	K C S R	William Finch, CE	B
	W T A M	William Owens, CE	B		W T S A	Ed Somers, CE	B
990	K C p L P	David Chapman, M	D		K P I G	Wayne C. Cornils, CE	B
1010	K R V N	R. J. Bitner, CE	H	1460	K E N O	Harry Anderson, CE	A
1220	C K C W	T. H. Towner, M	A	1470	K T C B	Mack Howerton, CE	B
1230	W C F V	Claude F. Jones	B		W C H J	Robert Bolling, A, Libn.	D
	W N p I A	Alex C. Nagy, XE	G	1480	W H O M	G. Steiger, CE	B
1260	W W P F	William Terry, CE	B	1500	C H U C	D. B. Williamson, Prog.	E
1270	K W E B	Alan Kennedy, CE	G	1505	P J C 7-3	H. E. Hoyer, O	B
1290	K B M O	Dale Schulz, CE	G	1530	W C K Y	C. H. Topmiller, CE	H
1300	W M T N	James Fleming, CE	B	1560	K W C O	Jack L. Pink, GM	F
1310	K T Y L	Benjamin Smith, CE	A	1570	K W I C	Thomas Ivory, GM	E
1320	K D Y L	Dallas Williams,	H	1580	W C R V	James Beattie, CE	C
	K R L W	William Cate	H	1590	W D O G	Robert H. Burr, CE	B
1330	C B H	Jack McAndrew	H		K P B A	Robert Meador, CE	D
1350	K C H R	J. L. Byrd, CE	B		W I L Z	William D. Mangos, CE	B
1360	W F L W	Ralph V. Fondell, CE	B		W A K R	Irwin L. Knopp, CE	H

C R E D I T S

A - Bill Wicklund	D - Bill Prater	G - Pat Reilly
B - Bill Stone	E - Fran Nittler	H - Jorge Batlle
C - Stan Morse	F - Len Kruse	I - Lefty Cooper

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

NEW CALLS

910	W H S M	Hayward, Wisconsin			
970	K Q A Q	Austin, Minnesota	1250	W L C K	Scottsville, Kentucky
1220	W M L N	Millington, Tennessee	1480	W R E M	Remsen, New York

CALL CHANGES

910	W H Y E	WRKE	Roanoke, Virginia	1340	K O M Y	KHUB	Watsonville, Calif.
1300	W M F T	Terre Haute, Indiana (WWVR)		1370	W A X E	WNFM	Vero Beach, Florida
1330	W I C U	WIKK	Erie, Pennsylvania	1470	W J D Y	WMPY	Salisbury, Maryland

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

1010	W E L K	Charlottesville, Virginia	FCC				
1220	W A B N	Now 1,000 D-1	NRC	1290	K L I Q	Portland, Oregon	NRC
1260	W E Z E	Ex-WVDA (12/2)	FCC	1590	W I L Z	St. Petersburg Beach	NRC
1270	W C C C	Now 1,000/500 U-2	NRC	1600	K B B B	Borger, Texas	FCC

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

Only one verie received all week, and it came from CHUC-1500, a nice letter and coverage map. Nothing much has happened in the way of DX around these parts, except for the Monday morning DX Tests, of which I bagged two out of five. WEAG-1470 came in very nicely until 2:59 when WSAN came on, blocking them out. No sign of KDUZ-1260 here, only a succession of strange-sounding whistles and noise, and the Spanish station just below 1260 heard here. WNEW's slop-over prevented my getting into 1150 to try for KIYI, and no sign of KUEN here. WATP-1430 came through very well and had WION for company in the background. Must have been a repeat check, for they normally check on the last Monday. And that has been all, except for a phone call from Hal Williams. The reports have been coming in pretty well, gang, but we can do even better if more of you will join the ranks of active reporters! We'd like to have you do so! And it certainly looks like a furious dial-twisting session is coming up next Monday, 12/16, with all those DX Tests that morning! We'll have sore wrists from flicking back and forth. Poor Roy Millar - which channels will he set his three receivers on, hi! Anyway, let's hope it is a good morning for reception, and that we all really go out and bag a nice batch of new ones then. See you next week.

TO THE RADIO STATION PERSONNEL RECEIVING THIS ISSUE:

We are sorry so many programs seem to occur at the same time on Monday morning, December 16, but this is how this happens. We have several committeemen who write for these programs, and the only morning most frequencies are sufficiently clear for a successful DX test is Monday morning. Many such letters are not answered, and others are answered in the negative, but sometimes, as this week, a whole bunch of fine stations have all accepted. We hope you will go through with the program as scheduled, and you may rest assured our members will be dialing back and forth, for they want to log all these fine, courteous stations. Our thanks to all of you Engineers, Managers, and Program Directors for putting on these tests, and we wish you the best of reception.

K I T N 1440 Olympia, Washington. Sat., 12/14, 3:00-3:30 EST. Ken Stuart, Prod. M.

This station went on the air first back in October of 1956, and since they do not have any early morning frequency check period, most DXers have never been able to hear them. This channel is expected to be clear coast to coast for this program, and as soon as they sign off, WZYX will come on and follow them on the same frequency. Mr. Stuart is looking forward to getting your reports on this test, to consist of recorded music, information about Olympia and the station, etc. We hope you will all be able to pick up their 500 watt signal across the land.

FRANCIS NITTLER

W Z Y X 1440 Cowan, Tennessee. Sat., 12/14, 3:30-4:00 EST. James F. Spencer, Mgr.

As soon as KITN is finished, WZYX will turn on their power and will follow with another DX Test on the same channel. Mr. Spencer says he considers it a pleasure to make this test for us, and they have a policy of always answering their DX mail, as we who have heard them before know. WZYX, too, will be playing recorded music, and making frequent breaks and will probably tell us something of their city and their station. WZYX opened in February of this year, so many DXers have never heard them, and we hope all of our members are successful in pulling in their 1,000 watts.

FRANCIS NITTLER

K S P I 780 Stillwater, Oklahoma. Mon., 12/16, 4:00-4:30 EST. Lewis Pearce, S.M.

Here is a station on the air for several years, yet not heard by too many DXers. They are 250 watts, non-directional, and have an estimated antenna height of 350'. Mr. Pearce will be the host on this test, and perhaps our good members, Bus Boatman and John Bryant will be there to say a few words - we don't know as yet. Let's hope that KSPI reaches out well and that all our members will be able to log this station, and we wish to thank Mr. Pearce for honoring us in this way. It is believed the channel will be completely clear for this test, so let's tune in! BUS BOATMAN and JOHN BRYANT

WBBM has agreed to be silent from 0415 to 0430 EST for KSPI

W B H C 1270 Hampton, South Carolina. Mon., 12/16, 3-4 EST. William Hollingsworth, M

"We Build Hampton County" is what the call letters represent, and this frequency is expected to be clear coast to coast for this special test broadcast. WBHC has been on the air only since September, and belong to the Blue Ridge Network, consisting of WSNW, Seneca, S.C., WBAW Barnwell, S.C., WSSC, Sumter, S.C., WABV, Abbeville S.C., and WLFA, Lafayette, Ga. Look for music and information and plenty of station identifications throughout the hour of this broadcast, and we hope everybody will have no trouble in tuning in this new friend of the DXers of the world.

FRANCIS NITTLER

W G M A 1320 Hollywood, Florida. Mon., 12/16, 3:30-4:00. Fred J. Wheelahan Jr., P.M.

Another seldom-heard DX station is WGMA, which was once known as WHWD, having changed to the present set of letters way back in 1954. Mr. Wheelahan says he will be very happy to conduct this test, and he is anxious to know how WGMA gets out. We expect a clear channel for this station, too, and that means their 500 watts should be unimpeded everywhere. Their mailing address is P.O. Box 539, Hollywood, Fla. We hope this station in the Sunshine State will spread some sunshine among our DXing fraternity, and let's all be sure to be tuned to 1320 kilocycles.

STAN MORSS

W I O D 1360 Sanford, Florida. Mon., 12/16, 4:00-4:30 EST. Lomie Padron, C.E.

Mr. Padron is looking forward to seeing this copy of DX NEWS and also to seeing your DX reports after his test period for us. They are going to tell all the listeners about this Club, and the program thus should be of special interest to us. (P. 4)

(WIOD, from P. 3) This frequency has one all-night station on it in the person of KXOL in Fort Worth, but since they are very directional, we feel most of our members will have not much trouble in picking up WIOD. Their address is: Weisch Building, Sanford, Florida, and we wish Mr. Padron good reception. STAN MORSS

W T L B 1310 Utica, New York. Mon., 12/16, 4:00-4:30 a.m. Thomas E. Martin, V.P.

WTLB's morning personality, Jack Murphy, will arise a bit earlier this morning to be at WTLB at 4 a.m. to conduct this half-hour BX program for us. WTLB, formerly WGAT until February of this year, has just completed the installation of four new Stainless 200' towers and a complete new ground system, and they are anxious to get a good check on this fine new equipment. We expect this test will be done non-directionally, so we should have it easier to make this logging. WCAM in Camden, and WRR in Dallas will undoubtedly be on, but let's all try for and log WTLB! LEN KRUSE.

WRR has been asked to standby from 4 to 4:15, no confirmation yet

W S T L 1300 Eminence, Kentucky. Mon., 12/16, 4:00-4:30 EST. Paul D. Milby, C.E.

Mr. Milby says, "This test program will consist of recorded music, with station identification between each selection. The test program will last approximately thirty minutes. Good luck in your DXing." Well, we hope Mr. Milby has good luck in this DX test too, in receiving the DX letters from all of you members. KLAQ, we suppose, will be on to give some of our Western members a rough time of it, but most of us should still be able to land WSTL without too much difficulty. Anyway, be sure to tune to the top of the dial and hear this "top" station WSTL. BOB SEIFERT

K O M B 1400 Cottage Grove, Oregon. 12/16, Mon., 4:00-4:30 EST. Rod Walter, Mgr.

With several all-night stations on 1400 in the East, this program is aimed at our Western members, where reception of KOMB should be easy. They have been on the air since 1953, and have never had an early morning frequency check. Mr. Walter said it was most interesting to receive our letter, and he is happy to oblige with this DX broadcast. Everyone ought to try, for who knows? You might find KOMB breaking in even into the East. WEST, CKFH, WJLB, are believed to be the only all-nighters on, so everyone in the Midwest and West ought to pull them in nicely. FRANCIS NITTLER.

W E W O 1080 Laurinburg, North Carolina. 12/16, 4-5 EST. Truman Brock, C.E.

Many years back, WEWO put on a really fine DX Test for our Club, and we are sure they will do so once again. "We shall be very happy to cooperate on such a program, and, if it is suitable with you, we shall plan it for Dec. 16th from 4-5 a.m.," writes Mr. Brock, an old friend of the DXer. We expect 1080 to be clear, unless KWJJ is on that late, so everybody ought to have a good chance to log this station, which also has no regular early-morning tests or frequency checks. Be sure to tune for their kilowatt and we hope everyone will enjoy the program and log WEWO nicely. BOB SEIFERT.

W M T N 1300 Morristown, Tennessee 12/16, 4:30-5 a.m. EST. James A. Fleming, C.E.

Here is a brand new one - a two-month-old station, with five big kilowatts, and non-directional, coming onto what is expected to be a clear channel, so it sounds like an easy logging! We certainly hope so. "I sincerely hope we will have a good number of listeners to this program and am anxiously awaiting the results," pens Mr. Fleming. On their equipment tests, they were blocked by WERE and WAVZ's all night programs, but on Monday mornings, these stations get some shut-eye, and the channel is clear at this hour, so let us all tune for this new East-Tennessee outlet. LEN KRUSE

W C C N 1370 Neillville, Wisconsin. Wed., 12/18, 2:30-3 EST. Charles E. Marvin, CE

This is not the date or time requested, but it is the time of WCCN's frequency check with Phelps Laboratories, so they will also dedicate the frequency check to us. They have been asked to remain on the air past 2:00 CST to give our West Coast members a chance to make this fine logging of a station which opened up in September of this year. They will play records and identify after each, and Mr. Marvin says he will be glad to verify all reception reports. Except for West Coast station operating till their midnight, the channel should be clear for WCCN, Eastward and Southward. F. NITTLER

TO THE ABOVE STATIONS: May we suggest that on the day before your test, you inform your local listeners of the test, and perhaps plug our National Radio Club a bit?

Ed Krejny - 12904 Ferris Avenue - Cleveland 5, Ohio

For me I guess it 's a case of long time no hear. I've been terribly busy at school (Case Institute of Technology) and so have been rather pressed for time. The Thanksgiving holiday is at hand, though, and so with a few spare moments I thought I'd drop a line. DX has swung into high gear once again for me. This means weekends only, but CX are pretty favorable, or at least they have been so far. Nineteen new stations have been logged so far in November including: XERC KREX WMSJ KRBL WLRP WHYS KMNS KNED KWNO KVIN KSPL WHOW KFJI and KRKD bringing my total up to 1,154 heard. With the addition of veries from 4VEC (finally, after much confusion for last year's DX!), WBUZ KHEY KGMS WVPF WHSC WSGA and WEAM among others, my verified total now stands at 441. Haiti became my 11th country verified. In my listing of new stations heard you'll notice KMNS KVIN KSPL and WHOW. These were all heard on their Special DXes for NRC and NNRC. KMNS was logged from 2:05 to 2:30 at about S-4, KVIN is tentative but I feel sure it was they I heard (I'd forgotten about WSAN's s/on, hi!), KSPL was also heard with difficulty, but the DX from WHOW was in solid and logged from 3:33 to 4:00. Tried for PJC-7-3 and KTUT but couldn't pull them through. Aside to Bill Stone: I'm pretty certain your 1360 mystery station is WFLW of Monticello, Ky. I heard them on 11/23 from 3:01 to 3:40 on ET. They've moved from 1570 and now use 1,000 watts. 73s.

Carl Munden - 419 William Street - Cobourg, Ontario

This is my first report to the NRC. I haven't got a typewriter so I'll try to print plainly. I have approximately 500 stations logged but don't bother with veries. Of the November 25 DXes, I got only WTLG under slopover from WGN mad carrier, and WEHH barely readable under the Akron O. powerhouse. As some of you may know I am a control room operator at CHUC Cobourg, Ont. If anyone needs a verie, send me your report but not to the station, but to my home address please. Here is a bit of info on CHUC you may want to know. Owned and operated by United Counties Broadcasting Co. with studios in Hatfield Hall, Cobourg, "The Voice and Choice of the United Counties." The transmitter is a 1 kw. Collins 20V; two towers 45° out of phase, 170' high directional to N, E, W. The console is a custom McCurdy installation made especially for our station. Our CE Don Williamson is a Consulting Engineer for the Department of Transport and is pretty busy and isn't around very often, so no use sending report to him. Well I guess I'll say 73s and tell you I'm glad I joined the NRC, a real helpful organization for all BCB DXers. (Thanks for the nice words, Carl, and welcome to NRC! -Ed.)

William C. Ashely "Sweet William" 5W0160 - PO Box 551 - Mount Airy, N. C.

DX by dateline: 11/20- I did it - I got KFI after 19 months of trying (and my little old two transistor radio did it with a 50' vertical antenna). 11/21- KOB WYEE and WREF. 11/23- WRCA. 11/24- XEX WAKR and WADC. 11/24- QGAR WDBM KOA. 11/25- WHAS at 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ 30 in the morning! 11/23- Edition of DX NEWS arrived. I noticed two mistakes in the NRC DX Calendar. WPVA is listed as 1260 kc/s. It is 1290 kc/s. This is one of the Epperson stations. I work for WPAQ, another of the Epperson stations. (Remainder forwarded by Hal Wagner). Just a little something to fill up DX NEWS. V/s for WPAQ, 740 kc/s. ID K5., Mount Airy, N.C. is Ralph Deward Epperson, Owner, Manager, and Chief Engineer. He also is president of "The Epperson Stations" Inc. The Epperson stations are: WPAQ, 740 kc/s., 10 kw., Mount Airy, N.Y.; WBRG 1050 kc/s., Lynchburg, Va., WPVA 1290 kc/s., 5 kw., Petersburg/Richmond, Va., WPNC, Plymouth, N.C. (CP - power and frequency unknown) and an application for 1350 kc/s. 1 kw. in Wilson, N.C. Hope this info will help some DXer. 73 and 88.

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

A few veries in lately, namely WAIL WMLS and WHYE. Some loggings over the weekend were: 11/24- 4:56-5:30 WMTA 1380 with Proof of Performance; 5:35-6:05 CKDM 730 AN sked. 6:08-6:15 WMTA apparently still on but snowed under by WWKY on 1380. 6:28-6:30 back to 730 kc/s. to ID CKDM; heard WMNA s/on. 6:35-6:40 WION with news on 1430. 6:44, WSVS s/on on 800 along with an unID station. 7:00 s/on with NA on 680 identified as CKGB s/on. 11/25- Batting average .000 in regards to DXes. Thought I heard KTNC once. KUEN was ruined by a test from KRIG, Odessa, Texas. WQSN and WTIK battling for supremacy on 1450 with no sign of KOKO. No sign of WTLG on 730 with WGN's tone spilling over badly. WEHH was probably the weak station behind WAKR which was barrelling in. 11/27- TT on 1450 from 1:35-1:40 but couldn't catch call letters. 1:55-2:00 s/off, WAIL 1460. 2:01 local WWCA s/off on 1270 after which f/c of WJJC was logged. That's all the dope from Slag Valley Headquarters for now. 73.

Robert "Rusty" Perrine - 38 Mason Drive - Manhasset, New York

Hi once again. Newest pX: From recent test; WHYE; CFAB-1450; WIBC-1070; WCKR-610; WCAX-620; WTSA-1450; WWHG-1320; WZOK-1320; KVOD-630; WMNA-730; WWOL-1120; WJBK-1700; WKRC-550. Concerning tips, CFAB is AN. Call is given as Halifax although listed for Windsor, N.S. WTSA s/on is 4:15 for those of us who need Vermont (Brattleboro). WJBK, another Detroit possible in Long Island area sometimes just before they shift to a nighttime DA pattern and 1 kw. from 10 kw. daytime non-directional. Read in another issue someone hears CHUC on last hour of daytime RS, also under WTOP-1500. WSVA not mentioned above is best in these parts around 4:30-5:00 on 550 on Monday AMs. I noticed some complaints about QRN, bad CX, etc. No trouble here, only difficulty is WRCA and WCBS hammering away on 650-680 and 860-900 respectively. Remember the time I rose especially to hear band during sun-spot period? The worst QRN I ever heard, hi, Bob. The last issue of DX NEWS must have been shuffled in the mail or else the mailman is a secret DXer - hi, Mr. Mailman. Reason: I received it Nov. 27, postmarked Lake City Nov. 18! Does anyone know about WBBO-780 Forest City, N.C., if they're still on the air? Haven't heard them since first logging back in March '57 on f/c, first Sunday AM of each month 5:20-5:30 a.m. EST. They verified my report on April 18, 1957. Needless to say their 1 kw. daytime signal scored up here on clear 780 spot with WBBI silent. Bill Stone mentioned through L. Cooper's column about a WSLW. Could possibly you have WFLW Monticello, Ky.? You see they were once on 1570 with 250 watts days, then word was passed they were to change to 1360 with 1 kw. daytime. Power change was made but they remained on 1570. Perhaps now they're going to 1360 and what you heard was an ET? I see my 25 lines are about up. Anthony L: I took a look for a North Carolina station under "Federal Broadcasting" but no luck in entire state. Bye for now.

Jorge Battle - 587 Hunt Lane - Manhasset, New York

The last issue of the DX NEWS was great! I am writing this report at 5:05 a.m. while DXing. Right now KXEL is steaming in on 1540 kc/s. CHNS is S-7 on 960 kc/s. So much for the dial. I use a Hallicrafters S-39D. I have a large antenna array in the attic feeding the radio. I have been DXing for a year. My best catches are KVAS-1250 kc/s. and CBH-1330 kc/s. I have logged over 300 stations and I have 200 verified. Last summer the radio and I spent our time DXing in the Adirondacks of New York State. There I logged many new stations and copied many old ones. Every Sunday night I would try to listen to WOR but a Canadian station would not let WOR come through until 11 p.m. When I returned home one of my friends told me that it was CKVM in Ville Marie, Que. I do not know why I did not realize it when I was up state. Luckily I remembered some material so I sent them a report. Haven't heard from them yet. Oh well, DX has been pretty good here. WCAR has been under WNEW. WINShas had power failures so other stations have been heard. Right now CX are normal. 73s.

FFC John A. Callerman - US56262551 - c/o PIO - 1st Bat Gp., 87th Inf., APO 162, NY, NY
 Meanderings-and-rain: Little to report this week as activity slows to a standstill. Reports to Luxembourg-1439, semi-local (got it before it burned down, hi) and a f/up to Tirana, Albania, 1088, for unanswered report 9/15. Two new veries: Munich-800, Bayerischer Rundfunk, and Start Point-1052, BBC West Regional, Bristol. Few changes in WRH Bayerischer list, so check Fred's section. Glad to see added support to DX Down the Dial. Though I'm unable to take advantage of it over here (nor of the excellent DX Calendar) I'm faithfully noting schedules and f/cs in my three-volume notebook for use when I get back. Also, orchids to friend Ben Patch for "prima" f/c list. Definitely appreciated are regular letters from Bernie, Buddy, and Jim C, plus tapes from Roy M. Those and the DX NEWS and the DX hobby keep me sane, hi! The propaganda mill (Public Information Office to the uninitiated) still poopin' out the stuff. Latest stories passing from this typewriter concerned Expert Infantry Badge winners, confirmation of Catholic soldiers by the Bishop of Wuersburg; civilian occupation story of marine firemen on Great Lakes shipping route, and story of an Armenian linguist from Lebanon, whom I intend to use with Arabic and Turkish speakers, hi! Actually, this is an interesting job, with the chance to meet all types of people with interesting backgrounds and all that. One story that went out of this office is enclosed, Lefty, for laughs. This appeared a few weeks ago in the "Powder Keg" the Tenth Division newspaper. It was one of several stories concerning the various individuals in this office in our "self-glorification campaign," hi! Will get back to my slide rule dial this week and talk a little more about DX and a little less about nothing. So, 73.
 IF YOU WANT "DX NEWS" VIA FIRST CLASS DURING HOLIDAYS, SEND EXTRA POSTAGE TO H. WAGNER!

Francis H. Nittler - 2335 South Lincoln Street - Denver, Colorado

Here it is time for another report. I hope everyone had a nice Thanksgiving. Quite a bit of DX to report. On 11/25 tried for the DXes with fair results. KTNC heard fairly well on their DX with some KNUZ QRM but very good for 100 watts. KRIG tested most of the time KUEN was on DX so not heard here although not needed and not sure they were on. No KOKO either with KYNT, Yankton, S.C. testing all morning on 1450 kc/s. but this was a new catch so no complaints. WTLG came in quite nicely all the way for a nice catch. No WEHH as KLAJ just too much for them. Other new logging was KOLJ (1150) Quanah, Texas on RS at 5:20 and apparently has s/on at 5:00 EST. On 11/27 I added KUBE (1050) Pendleton, Ore. coming in quite nicely about even with XEG on their r/c. Also heard WAVN (1220) Stillwater, Minn. testing new 1,000 watt transmitter and asking for reports and added CJOB (680) ex-1340, Winnipeg on AN sked. Also at sunset added KGYW (1190) Nallejo, Cal. from 7:49 to 8:-- p.m. s/off for a great catch, actually overridding KLIF. Others heard but not needed were KWMM KRBO KVSM on 1050 with XEG apparently off and still not on at 10:30. KACE on 1570, etc. Veries in this week from KWYK (960), XEAK (690) KWIC (1570) and duplicate from KTUT for DX. I'll sure be listening for all the DXes coming up on 12/2 as every one of them is needed here. The best of DX to everyone. 73s.

Pat Reilly - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries are WHYS KBOX, with 21 reports still out yet. Seems my veries are delivered here on Tuesdays and Fridays only. 11/17- Neither KMNS or KRBS DXes were heard here today up to 4:15 with I went to bed. 11/18- Noise level very high today. Heard one selection and three announcements from KVIN but XESM too loud for them. Did not hear any of the others. The tone and WVDA too strong for KSPL. 11/20- WMGY, 800, test at 2:48, hope they verify second report. 940 had unknown atop WINZ, 3:08 to 3:46 with music but never a call given. WAAG, f/c, 1470, heard 4:03 to 4:15 behind WSAN. 11/21- Heard John on WCHB, 1440, testing at 3:52, to 4:15 when I to bed. No verie yet, John. TT all over dial and no calls given. The static was me grumbling to myself. 11/22- 1260 had WVDA under WNDR at 2:23 but no WCLC heard at all. WTAL, 1270, test at 2:34. WCOA, 1370, test at 2:45. WFAA, 820, test at 3:06 and dozens of TT with no voice. 11/23- A blank today. TTs on 143, 1440, 1370, 1270, 920, 1320, all tones but not a call on any of them, so to bed.

William J. Prater - Grimsley, Tennessee

No DX NEWS in here at all this past week, wonder why? On 11/18 we were in the midst of heavy thunderstorms and DX was almost impossible, but I was amazed when KSPL 1260 broke through on their DX. Even the locals were having trouble with the static. 11/21- WDOO 1310 Prestonsburg, Ky. was on ET at 1:43. LMAR 1570 4:30 f/c-TT for a second report. WGOR 1580 3:00 daily s/on for a second report. XERCN 1110 on 11/22 at 12:45, KPAB off temporarily. 11/22 also brought me KAMD 910 f/c-TT 1:02 to 1:06 s/off. Report to XEX 730 and XRC 790. 11/24- WCCN 1370 ET 2:41 to 2:53 s/off. KEYX 1440 heard at RS s/on at 7:05 a.m. through WQOK. Veries now total 3,202 with new ones in from WLYC 1050, WYSR 1250, WCHJ 1470, KBOX-dx 1310, and KCLP-990. A letter in from KPBA 1590 to replace PP card. Also a nice QSL card in from WSDB in addition to recent letter. 11/19- KCLP 990 f/c-TT 1:30, said regular. 11/21- WPRY 1400 f/c-TT 2:00-2:15, said regular. XEOK-920 using English on r/c fourth Friday 2:00-2:30. 11/23- WFLW ETing on new frequency of 1360 kc/s. WLYC veries says r/c with 750 cycle tone on second Friday at 1:15. Guess that's this week. 73.

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

11/22- Tester under WCOP last letter of call R, so must have been WGER, 2:07. WTAL 1270 test with semi-classical music 2:45. Veries KBOX for DX with folder on Malvern. 11/25- CX some better with six new ones logged. KDEF 1150 with music and tone to 2:15, QRM'd by another tone. KRAK 1140 2:18 to 3:25 easy while WNEW off to 2:31, then spotty with WNEW slopover. Couldn't ID anything as KTNC on 1230 one of three stations, not sure of which with semi-hillbilly, probably WEAR or some other AN. KUEN didn't again this time KRIG on with a test, S-7, no KOKO, all WQSN and WFPG. WTLG 730 DX easy for a new one, 4:01. WEHH 1590 also a cinch, WAKR signed on for them after being off all AM. No XEMC heard either. ZFY with Indian or Arabic music 4:35. WWWW 1520 s/on 4:44 for another try to fade out at 5:03. WHPB 1390 RS 5:04, presume other was WAVP - but not copied as one hillbilly station at a time is about the limit. WLTC RS 5:25. 11/28- WHIY 1270 Orlando 2:41 a.m. TT for a ndw one. WHLN1410 testing 5 kw. w/whh WING QRM - who said they were off? 3:15 a.m. WHIY on again with polkas, 3:35. WREB 930 at 3:53. WCMR 1270 under WKYR, 4:18. WRGS f/c 4:31.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The morning of Monday 11/25 with five DX programs on the agenda found only three of them being heard on my Hallicrafter receiver. New to my DX Log were these Specials: KTNC (1230) Falls City, Nebr., WTLG (730) Bowling Green, Ohio, and WEHH (1590) Elmhira Heights, N.Y. Station KRIG, Odessa, Texas, was on with a test on the 1410 spot during the time of the KUEN DX, signing off five minutes before the end of the scheduled DX, but doubt if KUEN was on as believe it was CFUN on with AN programming. And as for the KOKO DX (1450) Warrensburg, Mo. again I doubt if they were on as planned, as KYNT, Yankton, S.D. was "on top" on that frequency with a test during that period. I was happy to log 100 watt KTNC-dx which was well over AN KNUZ most of time. WTLG-dx was completely in the clear and with a good signal at this den. But the WEHH-dx was heard with difficulty beneath AN WAKR; glad to have them stay on for a full hour for the latter period reception was much better for some reason. On that morning WAKR was off for maintenance till 4 a.m. and returned to the air at the very time that WEHH came on with its DX. On 11/28 WHUY (1270) Orlando, Fla. was heard with a f/c from 2:31-2:45 a.m. for a new catch, followed by an hour-long test. Also on 11/28, KILE (1400) Calveston, Tex. was heard with a f/c-TT from 3:00-3:15 a.m. and with a fair signal. Verifications very slow with only two letters in this week, coming from WEAM and KEEL.

Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX not too bad lately. Up four mornings trying my luck and found the following: 11/23-690 TT at 12:40, listened 20 minutes, no ID. 1400-KFRU, Columbia, Mo. s/off 2:00. KWPC-860 f/c per list. TT 1600 had TT 1:35-1:43 and off, then back to 1600 and found WHLL testing. KWEN-1480 f/c per list for #2 report, no verie last year. Sent PP card. KANS-1-80 AN. Nov. 24, found 1570 TT but XERF too strong to hear call. WPTR in Albany, N.Y. on 1540, was on three mornings, so the man said. WCCN 1370 ET in Neillsville, at 2:30-3:00. WOOD-1300 on for Telethon. 1320 had KWLN Lawrence Kans. on test at 3:00. EBOM-1270 off at 3:07. WHYS-1370 ET in Ocala, Fla. at 3:00-3:30, announced as returning at 7 Sunday. Monday morning, when I needed all five DXes, only two were heard again, static as usual. KRIG, Odessa, Tex. took care of KUEN DX here. I heard "Honeycomb" played at 3:54 after KRIG off. WQSN/KYNT/WTIX took care of KOKO if on. KYNT is in Yankton, S.D. and they were testing. WTLG-dx fairly good but faded quite often. WEHH was the best heard although WAKR in strong. WCOL-1230 s/on 4:55 Mondays, otherwise AN the rest of the week. WQOK-1440 s/on 4:55, and this Thanksgiving, DXed for two hours and found KBCR-1600 at 12-12:30 RS, then KOGT took over. XERF-1300 good signal at midnight, for report #2. WCAE-1250 RS at 12:30. XEN-695 between WLW and WPEZ. CKRC-630 till 1:00. XEEN-1420 copied for half hour. XEXX-1420 at 2:30. TT 1560, no ID. WLOK-1480 f/c per list. WIL-1430 s/off at 2:30. 1420 had music, played "Gypsy Love Song" but no ID at 2:20-2:27. Someone behind WAKR with music at 2-2:55, gave ID but WAKR too strong. WEVD-1330 off 3:00. KGH1-1250 off at 3:00. WBEL-1240 AN. 620 had music 3:05-3:17, no ID. Not a verie received since the 21st, so none to report. I now have 79 reports out since 9/1/57, 33 have verified. So the mail box should be full soon. Best DX and hope all had a fine Thanksgiving. WHIY-1270 Orlando Fla. ET, f/c for Riverhead 2:35-2:45, also forgot to list WBLO on 1470 in Evergreen, Ala. ET at 2:07-2:15.

Karl Raymond - 763 29th Street - Manhattan Beach, California

Well, I've heard the National Emblem March played by Guy Lombardo on a DX program so I guess I've heard everything up to date. The station doing the honors was KTUT on their DX. I received the card from Marv Robbins relative to the KKOG DX on 730. Listened for them but they were not on but tuned in the next morning on a 99-;00 chance and there they were. I missed them last year, so was glad to add this call. Even heard them mention Marv, hi. Did not try for WMIK as being on in the middle of the week and KSFO on besides I believe on that channel. Returned home too late to hear KMNS and since they are highly directional probably no go at this locale anyway. On the 18th could not pick up PJC-7-3, KXRX is always loud here. As for KSPL on 1260 DX after KGIL s/off KYA tested with TT and OC entire period of KSPL DX but heard a couple items so sent report. No veries since last report and you can tell from this what reception has been. Looks like a repetition of last season. Oh well. I'm slightly contented with what little I can hear. Still no answer from KYNG for ET, in spite of several f/ups. Wonder if anyone has a verie from KARY, PP card or otherwise for DX of last winter. Haven't had the crust to send them a f/up as yet. Also still no answer from KVLC for reception on special early AM program several months ago. (con'd on Page 9)

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(Karl Raymond, con'd from P. 8) Hey Raleigh! Have you heard KSOX yet? Enough of this drivel from here. Hope DX shapes up a little out this way. Missed the KVIN DX due to listing in the DX NEWS. Oh well, so goes it.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

So far this season there hasn't been too much activity in foreign DXing among the Southern California Clan members. I'd like to hear from John Boase as I've written several times in the past five months with no answer. Al Lehr of Livermore and Clarence Freeman of Clearlake Highlands, Cal. seem to be snagging a few good ones. Nothing from John Alexander. Ted V. has done some DXing but I don't think he is reporting any. Don Reynolds has an ace in the hole already this season. He has been very busy with his business this year but I feel that he will land in the "first three" anyhow. I have a fair season so far. I have 11 reports out with four in that I feel quite proud of. WMIA, 1070 kc/s., Arecibo, P.R. 500 watts verified within eight days. HJKN, 1258 kc/s., Bogota, Colombia, verified in 11 days. HOF, 965 kc/s., Panama City verified in 11 days and TGRL, "Radio Landivar" 1180 kc/s., Quezaltenango, Guatemala, verified in 22 days. Some reports out are to HJER HJKE YVOA HLKI KIPA YNLU and HJAT. I believe that PJC7 operates on 1015 kc/s. and not 1010 kc/s. Anyone wish to help me on this? The Curacao station on 1295 has been heard here several times in early evenings (Sundays). Being that I advertised the "Asian Logs" in the NNRC I now have only six left. First come, first served. I didn't know that there were so many West Coast NNRC members who DXed for foreign stuff! When I read that Carroll Weyrich had to give up his yearly Log of The Americas and Islands of the Caribbean I felt that another page of bygone days in DXing had been torn out of the book of wonderful memories of our hobby. By the way, I have just received word that the new issue of "World Radio Handbook" will not be issued in November of 1957. The next issue will be out in January of 1958. If John Callerman and Pete Taylor keep knocking off those foreign veries I'm going to sign up with the Merchant Marine, hk.

Leon S. Neblock - 863 Yates Street - Galesburg, Illinois

Nov. 22 - WJZ 1050 TT 1:20, s/off 1:25. WEAS 1010 TT 1:29-1:36. KAMQ 1010 RS s/off 1:53. KTHS 1090 RS 1:55. KFM 1330 RS 2:00. Nov. 24 - WCCN 1370 ET 2:30 s/off 2:53 $\frac{1}{2}$. WJOL 1340 RS 3:05. ~~WJOL~~ WWGS 1430 ET 1:20-1:50. WDCG 1310 ET over WCAM 2:00-2:15, telephone Prestonburg, Ky. 2338. WQSN 1450 AN 2:45. WEBS 1240 ET 2:58-3:05. WBLL 1240 RS 3:00. KTNC 1230 DX unheard until 3:20-3:30 s/off. KRIG 1410 TT 3:30, s/off 3:56. Nov. 26- KDJI 1270 performance check 2:26-2:45 s/off. S/on 8:00, a real surprise. Veries few, but all letters. WSLM KFEQ KAFA KBJK. I am proud of KAFA as the CE said the mountains form a barrier throwing the signal to North and West and I could consider it an "impossible catch" for this area. Nov. 14, DX WMIK unheard. Nov. 17 DX KMNS barely heard here. Nov. 18 DX all out because of storm. Nov. 25 DX, KTNC heard weak to strong from 3:20-3:30. KURN blocked by KRIG. KOKO, too much interference. Didn't wait for WTLG/WEHH. Sent thank you cards.

Ores Wilson - 226 North 4 Street - Reading, Pennsylvania

11/29 - The Christ as rush is on! Some excitement downtown here, as per usual. A PP card came from WCPC-1320 and a beautiful QSL card from WADP-dx, "The Voice of the Seneca Highlands." Awaiting WCGC WCOY and WKYR. I haven't had a verie from New Jersey since 1950, yet it is right next door. It was from WVNJ-620, my longest holdout, nearly two years' wait for a reply. To Bill Stone - Well, "Postie" was still going strong six months ago, hi. Bob Perrine - look for WFLN-900 in January or February - early in 1958. Supposed to start up then, daytime only. Now have 600 letters and 590 cards so must add ten cards to even it up. Since we just had a DX from Curacao here are some facts on it. Almost everybody speaks English there besides Dutch and Spanish. It is the largest island in a group of six, off the coast of Venezuela. Willemstad is the capital of this island group, the Netherlands Antilles. Just opened is the new Intercontinental Hotel, 125 rooms, plus KLM non-stop plane service from New York. This info in the Sunday paper. 73s.

John R. Boase - 1426 Marion Way - Santa Ana, California

Your mystery station on 1030 kc/s. was booming in here last Sunday night and Monday AM s/off at 3:32. I was looking for an item in one of the back issues when I came across the information and got my letter off to him. DX NEWS 10/19/57 from Don Reynolds on Page 12 PP card from XEQR (1030) signed Radio Centro, signature not readable. Going back a little further Roy Miller in the Foreign Digest 12/15/56 reports PP card from XEQR signer unreadable, power 10 kw. QRA is Articulo 123, No. 90 Mexico 1, D.F. And still going back, Henry Tyndall reports in the Foreign section 8/14/54 a verie signed by Rafael S. Lopez, Gerente from XERQ. (Is it XEQR or XERQ, John - most say XEQR-Ed.)

Bill Stone - Apt. 112 - 540 Dundas Street East - Toronto 2, Ontario

24/11 - WWKY 1380 5:58 s/on. WIAM 900 f/c as listed. 23/11- WAIL 1460 RS 1:08-1:30; 22/11- WICU on RS 6:30-6:50 a.m. wlst- Very poor for DX. WFFF on f/c 3:00-3:15; WRAY 1460 TT ET 3:15-3:30; (22nd); 19th- WADP on DX; WILZ 1590 ET 2:00-2:30 M; WWGS on ET 3:04-3:30; WBRB 1430 RS 6:15-6:30, must start RS at 6:00. 18th- WTLS 1300 on ET using Morse IDs. WHOW on DX OK. "Radio Hoyer" on DX OK; other DXes, no dice, carriers on with BFO. 17th- WVOP 970 5:58-6:15 topping channel. Veries in are: WION WBSJ WJOT KCHR WCFV WXYE WIRJ WTSA WBRB WHYS WPVL WQOK WELD WWPF WDOG KTCB WSDB WTAM WYDE WBRB KCSR and WHOM. Getting my share. That's right Pat, these in in one week. Got a kick out of Lefty listing KURA as heard in bulletin NRC. Sure eas. I got my verie for September 1956 reception in December '56. Week has not been a good one for DX, sun spots, storms floods, etc. but very good for veries. Ten Pat on 25th, best AM from HJAF 930 for 11th, KBMO* WTLS* WILZ* WVOP KPIG WLLW* WADP WMTN*. 28th- In came WAVP. I guess I don't get oranges, Ted. 29th- PJC-7 1505 AM verie for DX, says reports from San Diego, Pittsburg, Cal., Providence R.I. and mine so far with correct reports and WCLC*. Starred new stations. U.S. Mail Service, phooie. Marv, your card got here on 20th, arrived Toronto 8:30 p.m. 19th. Then on 27th, report (letter) returned WISO, so sent WAST/WISO letters to PM General Washington and Marv's card asking why. You see radio stations are kinda permanent installations. DX now - 11/24- WWKY 1380 s/on 5:58. WIAM 900 f/c as in list. 25th- WTLG on DX OK. WEHH 1590 Marches and tone, KTNC no dice, KOKO, got one ID. Say boys, on these DXes on graveyard frequencies, organ or martial music please - cuts QRM easier. Didn't try for KUEN. CKFH covers 1390-1410. WDOG 1310 ET/AM. Phoned 'em. 26th- WWXL as per f/c list. WWOX s/on, threw notes out. Tell you when verie arrives. 27th- WGRF 1340 f/c-TT 1:15-1:30, was dead on 1330, had CMCB QRM on a very poor morning. Eoy doing all the testing on 1260 is WCDJ, 26th and 27th. 28th- TGTO-810 smearing WGY at times 2:14-2:44 (are they AN? Second time had in ten days.) WFUL f/c-TT 1:15-1:30. WKBX f/c-TT 2:44-3, both as in f/c list. 29th- WGSW 1350 s.on 5 a.m., all alone till 5:15. 30th- 1370 kc/s., boys, there's at least six stations s/on 5:30 a.m., WLE one of them. That's it, Lefty.

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

Hi gang. DX at this den is at a complete standstill, and the calendar says Nov. 28, hi! Don't ask me why, but no DX stations come in after sunset now, not even WTOP or WKBW. This past October produced a few good days, especially for twilight DXing. The other night, the only ones that came through were XEWA WHAS WLS KYW WFRB, and that's all. Can anyone explain why DX CX are so poor? Is it on account of the sunspots? Thanks, Ted Weiser, for the tip on WTRB-1570. However, I don't think this one could have come in so loud, even if it was a good October day, hi. Maybe WPEP WBUX WMLP WTOW or such. Since WHTG, Eatontown, N.J. is able to get into this rotten location, I may have a chance to get WBAB, Babylon, N.Y. when they go on. The other station on 1290 scheduled for Babylon will be 1 kw. and directional. If they must protect WCCC their signal will peak at the N.Y.C. area. The 540 one in Islip I don't think will reach this location. I better hurry and get WDVN verified anyway. Note, Lefty, WBRB, Bugalo, comes in during the day behind WPAT's null at Huntington, L.I. Well, 73, gang and good health to all till next report.

Bill Wicklund - 54 Pine Street South - Port Hope, Ontario

I haven't reported to "Musings" now for nearly a month, exams are coming and study is first. These exams finish December 10th. I have managed to log only 31 more stations. Most spectacular ones to me are WAPI-1070, KENO-1460, KTYL-1310, WWRI-1450, CEGT-1270 CJCB-1270, KABC-790. Only DX programs received here are KBOK-NRC, WXYE-NRC, WTLG-NRC, WRAM-NRC, WMLS-NNRC and WHOW-NNRC. There always seems to be a lot of QRM in Port Hope around 3:00 to 5:00 a.m. every Monday, mostly from 1000 to 1600 kc/s. I was aware of the change in call letters from WRKE to WXYE as I received them the Saturday before the DX. Veries are in from WLIE KENO KTYL KBOK WXYE WMLS WKLZ. Fourteen reports are out to date. Best of DX to all, see you regularly after exams. 73.

M.Sgt. John D. Hathaway - USAF Mission to Honduras - c/o U.S. Embassy - Tegucigalpa, Hon.

First few minutes of KMNS-620 DX was covered up by KENK till they signed off, then KMNS was pretty good till about 3:30 when they faded down into the very high noise level. Got enough for a report so it was sent. Couldn't hear KRES-1550 DX-NNRC. Spanish speaker was dominating frequency here. KGGF-690 just barely breaking through CMCB for a few moments at 10 p.m. Today QSLs arrived from KMJ-580 and WSLI-930. I have 18 states verified so far. Texas leads with 11 veries, Louisiana 4, Illinois 3, six state have two and nine have one each. Veries: WCKR-610, KVOO-1170, KOHL-1290. (con'd P. 11)

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(Jack Hathaway, con'd from P. 10) Nov. 24- WCCO-830, 4 a.m.; WDIA-1070, signed on at 5. WAKR-1590, 5:30. WFVG-1460, 5:50. Nov. 25- Couldn't hear KTNC. KNUZ dominant here. Did pick up KFSD-600. Couldn't hear KUEN. Strong station on with no ID. So far have picked out WWPB and WTIK on 1450 but no KOKO. Station on 1410 turned out to be KRIG, Odessa, Texas with ET. 73 and DX.

Ted Weiser - 19 Fairview Avenue - Schuylkill Haven, Pennsylvania

Thanks to the new f/c list I received four new stations. Ben Patch really did a fine job. It's easier to read than the old list. I've been busy checking the ones I need to verify then I set the alarm in hopes of at least catching a few. I have to get up at 5 a.m. during the week so when I set the alarm for DXing I most always catch something new. Sunday and Monday AM I DX most of the night which ~~awespy~~ relief days on my job which I claimed on the railroad so I can enjoy this fine hobby, hi! A few veries are in such as WNIL1290, WHYE 910, WINE 1080, KBOK 1310, WSDB 1430, which were letters except WSDB which was a postal. The following by PP card: WEPG 910 and WEMS 1090, the latter for report of December 1953. Some DX doings were: 11/16- WNIL 1290 on f/c. 11/17- KHEY 690 on RS Sunday AM, WIOD 1360 with Sunday AM RS. 11/20- WTCCB 990 on f/c, WCCN-1370 with a f/c. 11/24- WILD 1090 on RS 6:45 a.m., also heard through WBAL up till 7:45 a.m. 11/25- WDOC 1310 with ET at 3 a.m. They signed off at 5 a.m. WEEH on DX with WAKR QRM on 1590, WTLG 730 on DX, very directional indeed with only just three IDs and one musical selection logged here. No luck with KOKO 1450 because of QRM from WQSN and WEPG. Someone mentioned "This is station???? - now we continue on with more music," KRIG heard on 1410 kc/s. but no sign of KUEN DX. Nothing on KTNC 1230 here also. 11/28- WHYE 1270 with a f/c, also WKBX on f/c with QTM from WEVD on 1330. 73.

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 20, Oklahoma

Have fallen behind in reporting, but not in DXing. Have given all the Specials a try. As Bill Stone probably knows now, his WSLW must have been WFLW, Monticello, Ky. changing its frequency to 1360. My DX has been: WAIL 1460 fine here on DX. WHYE 910 DX Ok, slight QRM from KLAN here. KLAN logged at same time. 11/17- KRES 1550 strong on NNRC DX. KMNS 620 DX was readable most of the time. OKCK and XENK were on the first five minutes. KHEY 690 AN, 2:40-3 a.m. 11/18- KTUT-dx fair. KPFL fine on f/c as listed in fine new list. WHOW-1520 DX good throughout. KOMA was not on and is off 1 a.m. daily now. KVIN-1470 DX was weak. XESM very strong QRM. KSPL-1260 DX was good. 11/25- Netted KTNC-1230 DX fair with KNUZ QRM, WDOC 1310 on ETs logged 3-3:30 with KTNC. WTLG 730 was fair on its DX. KOKO was not heard and KRIG ruined KUEN here. Did get WEEH, the station I thought least likely to make it. Was under WAKR and several times was even with it. 11/26- WAVN 1220 has been ETing nightly with new transmitter. That is the sum-total of my DX. Veries have been: CJDC (at long last on f/up) KTUT-dx KPFL CKDM (car!) KRAC WMLS-NNRC DX, WAIL-dx WFWL, and a promise to verify from WBBN for sending new report. Engineer left station shortly after the DX. Sure some swell programs the CPC has given us to shoot for. They are to be congratulated for giving us such fine loggings.

Bus Boatman - 837 Brooke Lane - Stillwater, Oklahoma

I'm having a terrible time getting started on this year's DX. Failed to awaken on 11/25 so to date I have logged a grand total of two DXes; KBOK and WRAM. Maybe it will pick up as the season progresses. I certainly hope so! DX since last report includes: 11/22- KBHM-1280 Branson, Mo. at 7:15 a.m., WCIL-1020, Carbondale, Ill. from 7:30-7:38, WFEO-1020 Peoria, Ill. from 7:40-7:45, KHOZ-900 Harrison, Ark. at 7:46, and KCLR-1150 North Little Rock, Ark. from 7:54-8:02. 11/24- CKDM-730, Dauphin, Man. from 1:50-2:09, and KIOA-940, Des Moines, Iowa from 2:20-2:30. 11/27- KWMT (ex-KEOK) 540, Fort Dodge, Iowa from 3:30 p.m.-4:05. All times are CST. Veries in are KALG-1230, KATR-1030, KCNI-1280, WDFL-1000, KCBS-740, WCIL-1020, WFEO-1020, and KHOZ-900. This makes a grand total of 435 veries with Texas on top with 51 and Oklahoma #2 with 44. I won't DX much over the Thanksgiving holidays because I won't be home most of the time. That's it this week. Good DX.

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

12/2 was a good morning for DXing. I added KDUZ 1260, WEAG 1470, and WATP 1330, with their DX broadcasts. Only recent verie is a letter from WHYS, Ocala, Fla. KTUT, Tooele, Utah sent a nice friendly letter in reply to my "sorry I couldn't hear you - thanks" card. 12/1, WHBY Appleton, Wis. came in remarkably well at its Sunday s/on @ 6:25 a.m., completely atop others on 1230.

FOR FASTER MAIL SERVICE ON "DX NEWS" FOR THE HOLIDAYS, SEND EXTRA STAMPS TO HAL WAGNER

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

Very little DXing done this past week account of working days, but it consists of: 11/25, 910-WPFB s/off at 1:16; 66-CMCU s/off 1:30; 665, unknown Spanish speaker heard well but my lack of Spanish language keeps me in the dark; 730-CKDM s/off 2:08 but not good enough for report; 630-KVOD for report, asking for letter to replace old v/card; 630-KXOK on test; 1230-KTNC heard on DX through the 1230 mess; no luck on KUEN KOKO WEHH and am wondering how many reported hearing KUEN on DX only to find it was KRIG's test? 730-WTLG a powerhouse on DX. 66--ZFY heard but too weak to report. No veries in past week. Just a reminder that the holidays are coming up and mail will be slowed up, so why not send Hal Wagner some money or 3¢ stamps to have your DX NEWS sent First Class until the January 4th 1958 issue. Best of DX to all.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

The past week has been the worst, DX-wise, that I have experienced during the DX season. On 11/25 as expected, KTNC-1230 did not make it through WNOR and WITH with TT. KUEN was not needed so I tuned 1450 at 3:20. Here too I did not expect KOKO to get through the conglomeration on 1450 and they certainly did not get by WFPG who seem to have replaced WCTC AN. I then tuned back for KUEN 1410 who got in here after a fashion with a fair to poor signal. I did not stay on 1410 as I thought I heard a new call on 1450 but it proved to be WFPG with a different announcer. WEHH-1590 in about breaking even with WAKR but WEHH was not needed. At 4:00 on 730 I got a good signal from WTLG for the lone new call for Monday morning. The two stations that I did not need were heard fairly well with but one of the three needed ones heard. The DX Mail Bag was a complete failure this week with not one verie received to wind up the worst month of November I ever experienced with but nine new additions and exactly eight veries for a grand total of 1,821 in one month short of nine years. Two letters and fir first 1957 Christmas card were received from Jack and Marian Hathaway, in Honduras, a nice letter from Ev Johnson, a letter from Carroll Weyrich with the REALLY GOOD NEWS that Hank Ward and Ken Borden are going to run the stencils off for Carroll and we will have his always excellent BCB Log to use shortly and a nice letter from our Board Chairman, Hank Ward, who by the way is certainly "on the ball" and last but not least the DX NEWS mailed in Lake City at 9:30 a.m. on 11/23 was received today, 11/30. It must have gone via the Panama Canal, hi. I would again remind you loyal NRCers to be sure and send that "thank you" card to Mr. Pat Uliano, AM Supervisor, WICC, Bridgeport, Conn. even if you do not hear WFST on 12/9. A whole hour standy is quite a rarity, these days. In 11 months of 1957 I logged but 102 new calls and received 123 veries and unless I gather in quite a few in December, 1957 will prove to be my poorest DX year. My wife, our granddaughter and I went to Long Island yesterday and before leaving for home I talked with Lefty Cooper on the phone. Sorry I did not have time to run over and say "hello" but I had to get up at 4:30 this morning for work. I hope to have some much better reports in before the year end.

Pat Reilly - 225 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries back are WNIA KBWO KWEB. 11/25- Picked up a bit on KTNC-dx, a new one for me. WEHH-dx copied behind WAKR who were off earlier. KRIG, 1410, spoiled chances for KUEN here. Too many on 1450 to copy KOKO. Didn't need WTLG, so copied WEHH instead. 11/26- WWXL, 1580, f/c and ET at 2:30. WIFG, 1410, is still AN. WHYS, 1370, ET at 3:26. KSTN, 1420, 3:30, thought they signed at 3:00 each Tuesday? KARM, 1430, loud at 3:35. KDON atop KENO, 1460, at 3:37 with no WACO heard. KSL was selling Cuckoo Clocks today but being a DXer I'm cuckoo enough without buying one of 'em. 11/27- Down to 21° today and noisy. WPRO, 630, test at 2:20. Unknown on ET on 1150, plenty of data but noise spoiled call, in C.S.T. zone and off at 2:50. WAVN, 1220, ET for new transmitter at 2:55 for new call and asking for mail. Didn't get a peep out of XERF after 4:00 Are they going off early again? 11/28- WRWB, 1220, on f/c as listed, plus CJRL at 1:55 WFFA, 790, Proof of Performance test at 2:47 for new call. WHIY, 1270, test at 3:25. 11/29- Real high static level today, only one unknown heard on test, 3:40 to 4:15 but never caught call on 1430 because of noise. 11/30- Two on with XERF, 1570, at 2:40 but couldn't catch call on either one. One was in Virginia. WFLW, 1360, ex-1570, was on ET with 1,000 watts again, real noisy. As Ann Tenna says, "Calf skins make the best shoes, but banana skins make the best slippers, so save them this winter to slip into Findlay, Ohio for next Convention." (No need for cutting that, Pat - it's too weak to live very long anyway - hi -Ed.)

LET'S HAVE THOSE DX REPORTS, GANG. WE WANT TO KEEP THESE DX NEWSSES FULL OF NEWS AND INTERESTING. IT DEPENDS ON YOUR REPORTS. TAKE A QUARTER HOUR OUT NOW AND DASH ONE OFF

SPLIT FREQUENCY LATIN AMERICANS

The list below have all either been reported in the bulletin or been heard by me (Hal Wagner) since Labor Day. It is noted that a good many of the more common stations have not been reported in the bulletin so it is hoped a listing of this sort will help the new comers, for it appears the old timers take a good many of the stations as common.

585 TIJC San Jose, Costa Rica 'Radiopolis'
 607 ?? Hrd by HW on 12/4
 625 TIDCR San Jose, Costa Rica (last year at 5:30 AM s/on
 655 PJA10 Aruba, Netherlands West Indies, hrd early evenings. too.
 655 YSS San Salvador, usually on top of PJA10 by 7 pm.
 665 YN? Managua, Nicaragua, a new one first heard this fall.
 695 XEN Mexico City, Mexico, often with beautiful classical music.
 711 ??? Announced as San Jose, Costa Rica on 12/5 (TINRH)
 716 ??? Hrd by HW for past 2 years, peaks about 10 pm/
 735 TIRA San Jose, Costa Rica 'Radio America Latina'
 755 TIW San Jose, Costa Rica 'Radio City'
 817 ??? Perhaps TIRU? Hrd by HW 12/4
 845 HROW Tegucigalpa, Honduras 'Radio Monserrat'
 854 OAX4A Lima, Peru
 855 TICS San Jose, Coasta Rica, (La Voz de America)
 864 PJC2 Willemstad, Netherlands West Indies
 882 ??? Believe the Venezuelan YVKU
 935 YNW Managua, Nicaragua
 965 HOF Panama City, Panama 'Onda Popular'
 991 ??? Usually just a hetrodyne on 990 but sometimes breaks thru
 992¹/₂ CM?? Cuban, hrd announcing 11/23
 994 ??? Normally a hetrodyne on 995 but sometimes breaks thru
 995 TIFC San Jose, Costa Rica 'Faro Del Caribe' English at times.
 1015 ??? Hrd by HW 12/4
 1035 ??? Hrd by Hank Holbrook in October, still here in December
 1065 TIGG San Jose, Costa Rica. 'Radio Excelsior'
 1075 YSEB San Salvador, El Salvador
 1085 TGC Guatamala City, Guatamala 'Radio Cristal'
 1125 HOJ Chitre, Panama
 1135 ??? Hrd by HW 12/4
 1145 ??? Radio Caribe, Port-au-Prince, Haiti reported by World R. H.
 1175 YSCB Sonsonate, El Salvador. 'La Voz del Pacifico'
 1187 CM?? Hrd in September.
 1258 HJKN Bogota, Colombia, 'Radio Metropolitana'
 1265 ??? Hrd by HW 12/4 Last year was TGAQ
 1295 ??? Reported by HJW in 11/23 bulletin
 1325 4VW Port-au-Prince, Haiti, 'Radio Haiti'
 1435 ??? Hrd by HW 12/4, likely PJA5 Oranjestad, Aruba, N.W.I.
 1475 HJFK Pereira, Colombia, 'Radio Centinela' An all nighter
 1505 Radio Hoyer 2, Willemstad, Curacao, non-commercial, odd hour
 1582 CMJS Ciego de Avila, Cuba.

Undoubtly, there are many more but time does not permit me to dig them out and all in the bulletin since Labor Day are listed. A word of caution to the beginner, Latin Americans are notorious movers and a station might be on 1015 one night and 1025 the next so try to get the identity before reporting. Also, several Latins might be on one frequency and depending on your location and reception conditions, you might be hearing any one of them. For example

965 YNLU Managua, Nicaragua 'Radio Managua' call, location and slogan heard at 11:42 pm 12/5 while typing this.s/off 11:57
 Another LA on 965 off at midnite, last off or faded 12:02

The Spanish Report Form back from Jack Hathaway in Honduras and we think that 'this is it' and that it is ready for printing. (Hal Wagner)

I hope Fred will forgive me for usurping his position this week but I hated to see a bulletin go out at this time of the year without any International News. With the late delivery of the bulletins being noted by the members this may be the best time to list the Christmas Latins.

Christmas is a time of festivity for our Latin friends and a good many stations are on all night Christmas Eve broadcasting from night clubs, etc. Unfortunately, sometimes it appears that the announcers join the conviviality too well for identifications are sometimes far far apart. Here is a list heard-or rather published last year of stations that have been heard on Christmas morning for the past few years.

555	TIQ	Puerto Limon, Costa Rica	to 0300
605	HOHM	Panama City, Panama	to 0200
625	TIDCR	San Jose, Costa Rica	to 0400
735	TIRA	San Jose, Costa Rica	to 0430
670	TIJC	San Jose, Costa Rica	to 0430
760	CMCB	Havana, Cuba	to 0300
770	HJDK	Medellin, Colombia	to 0400
780	YVOB	San Cristobal, Venezuela	to 0530
790	HIL	Ciudad Trujillo, Dominican Republic	to 0500
	CMCH	Havana, Cuba	to 0230
845	HROW	Tegucigalpa, Honduras	at 0430
890	CMHD	Santa Clara, Cuba	to 0300
930	TGJ	Guatamaãa City, Guatamala	at 0320
1100	TIMACHO	San Jose, Costa Rica	at 0330
1170	CMKB	Cuba	at 0300
1200	CMDD	Bayamo, Cuba	to 0200
1290	CMDC	Holguin, Cuba	to 0300
1370	XEHF	Nogales, Sonora	to 0400
1430	XEOX	Ciudad Obregon, Mexico	at 0410
	CMKZ	Palma Soriano, Cuba	to 0310

Perhaps Fred made up a list of those heard last year which he will present in the next issue or so. In addition, we would like to point out that if conditions are right, Latins will be heard on almost every domestic channel overriding semi-local stations. This is every evening, not just Christmas. So watch for them, and be sure of your identity.

WEYRICH LOG

Answering our request two issues ago were several NRCers. I don't have their names here but Hank Ward phoned Carroll immediately and Hank and Ken Borden already have the log mimeographed. As soon as envelopes arrive from Carroll the logs will be mailed. I don't know how many extra copies were made but if you did not order before suggest you write Carroll immediately at P O Box 1363, Baltimore 3, Maryland to see if he has any extra. The price, \$1.25 for the AM section.

The Foreign Broadcast Information Logs of BCB and SW stations outside the United States, first available 2 years ago are again available from the Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. Again it is in 4 parts and this issue is corrected to 1 June 1957.

Broadcasting Stations of the World	Part I	\$1.50 (country & city)
	Part II	1.50 (by frequency)
	Part III	1.25 (by slogan)
	Part IV	0.75 (FM & TV)

No U.S. stations are listed in any of the logs, even FM or TV. I can't find any catalog number in them so if you order give all the info above.

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All Times are EST

536 BZ, QB These two beacons are being hrd on this BCB frequency
Regularly for a couple hours after sunset. Locations
are at present unknown (CMS)

560 WHYN Springfield, Mass Sun S/on is 0728 (TW)

1180 WHAM Rochester, N.Y. is now silent Sun AM (CMS)
Radio Jamaica, Montego Bay, Jamaica is in the clear Sun AM
at 0600 S/on (CMS)

1230 WCOL Columbus, Ohio is wilent XMon AM when they S/on at
0455 (EJ)

1240 WBML Macon, Ga is now AN (EJ)

1250 KGHI Little Rock, Ark wkday S/off is 0300 (EJ)

1260 WMUU Greenville, S.C. wkday S/on is 0500 (LK)

1270 WLIK Newport, Tenn wkday S/on is 0500 (LK)
KBOM Mandan, N.D. S/off on Sun AM is 0307 (EJ)
WHIY Orlando, Fla hrd on FC 11/28 (4th Thur) 0230-0245 (TW)

1280 WHLN Harlen, Ky wkday S/on is 0500, best Mon AM (LK)

1370 WLTC Gastonia, N.C. S/on is 0500 (BS)
WCCN Neilsville, N.C. hrd on FC 11/20 (3rd Wed) 0245-0300(TW)
WHYS Orlando, Fla Sun S/on is 0700 (EJ)

1400 KEYE Perrytown, Tex has FC/T ~~XXX~~ on 22nd of each month from
0225 to 0240 (EJ)
KFRU Columbia, Mo wkday S/off is 0200 (EJ)

1430 WCLT Newark, Ohio Sun S/on is 0700 (BS)
WENE Endicott, N.Y. Sun S/on is 0700 (BS)
WIL St.Louis, Mo wkday S/off is 0230 (EJ)
WBLR Batesburg, S.C. wkday S/on is 0500 (LK)

1440 WQOK Greenville, S.C. Mon S/on is 0455 (EJ)
WBCM Bay City, Mich wkday S/on is 0500 (LK)

1450 WMOH Hamilton, Ohio wkday S/on is 0500 (LK)
KOKO Warrensburg, Mo was probably NOT on their scheduled DX/

1380 KNLR North Little Rock, Ark was NOT on DX sked (LK) / (LK)

1570 WAKU Latrobe, Pa hrd on FC 11/26 (4th Tue) 0100-0115 (TW)

NEW STATION

1470 WBLO Evergreen, Ala ETing 11/28 (EJ)

FCC RECOGNIZES SUNSET SKIP

This is what has happened in the case of
Radio Station WPAQ (74) Mount Airy, N.C. During December they operate
with 2 KW from 0730 S/on ~~XX~~ S/on until 0915. Then they up their power
to 10 KW. At 1515 they go back to 2 KW and continue with that redu-
-ced power until 1700 S/off. (INFO FROM William C."Sweet William"Ashley)

QUESTION BOX

1450 Who had TT or FC here 11/13 at 0135 (Marv Robbins)

REPORTERS (For last 3 weeks)

KR Kurt Ramsey, LSN Leon S.Neblock, RH Ronald Harcourt,
BWD Ben "Whitey" Deibler, MCB Milton C.Bay, PJR Phil Robbins,
LK Len Kruse, JC Jim Critchet, JWR J.Warren Routzahn
EJ Ev Johnson, MR Marv Robbins, EC Lefty Cooper,
HSW Harold S.Williams, RB Raleigh Biss, BS Bill XStone
TW Ted Weiser

DEADLINES

For the December 21, this is Tuesday December 17. And for
the December 28 issue, tips must be in by Monday December 23. For
all other issues, deadline is the Wednesday before date of publication.