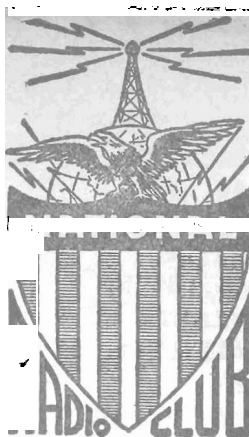


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### DEFINITION

N.R.C. - Secret to a fat log! - Dick Kwiatkowski, 11 Walton Ave., Celoron, New York

### DX CALENDAR

		kc/s		Watts	AM, EST	
Mon. Jan. 15	C K B W	1000	Bridgewater, Nova Scotia	1,000	4:00-5:00	N R C
Sat. Jan. 20	H C J B	700	Quito, Ecuador	30,000	1:00-3:00	N R C
Mon. Jan. 22	C J F X	580	Antigonish, Nova Scotia	1,000	3:00-4:00	NNRC
	22 K O L	1300	Seattle, Washington	5,000	3:30-4:00	NNRC
	22 W M F J	1450	Daytona Beach, Florida	250	3:30-4:30	AN/NNRC
	22 C F G P	1050	Grande Prairie, Alberta	10,000	4:00-5:00	NNRC
	22 C K B S	1240	St. Hyacinthe, Quebec	250	4:00-5:00	NNRC
	22 W M C R	1600	Oneida, New York	1,000	4:30-5:00	N R C
Mon. Feb. 5	K P O J	1330	Portland, Oregon	5,000	4:00-4:30	NNRC
	5 C K L D	1230	Thetford Mines, Quebec	250	4:00-5:00	NNRC
Mon. Feb. 12	C B 7 3	730	Valparaiso, Chile	10,000	3:30-4:30	N R C
Mon. Mar. 12	K U J	1420	Walla Walla, Washington	5,000	3:00-?	NNRC
Mon. Mar. 19	K O W B	1290	Laramie, Wyoming	1,000	2:30-3:00	NNRC

C K B W - 1000 Bridgewater, N.S. 1/22, 4-5 a.m. EST. This is the second DX show by CKEW in as many weeks. The idea behind the consecutive weeks is to make sure that at least one of these DXes will be free of KOMO's alternate-week TT signal on 1000 kc/s. So send those reports to Jim Ernst at CKEW. Our thanks to Jim for these fine programs.

### "AN" SITUATION

OFF

1070 W F L I

1310 W R R (Mondays)

ON - 1480 W D A S

### HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

860 K A R S Belen, New Mexico NRC

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A - B/K Wilson	E - unsigned	I - R. Kwiatkowski	M - unsigned
B - A. Rugg	F - A. Nissen	J - D. Murray	N - E. Mackenzie
C - F. Nittler	G - J. Brauner	K - C. Territo	O - L. Schwartz
D - E. Johnson	H - J. Gangler	L - L. Kruse	P - E. Cooper

Yes, it's 1962 now, and this is the year for Indianapolis to host the NRC Convention over the Labor Day Weekend (Sept. 1-2-3). Save your Christmas money and all extra coins as you go along, and then you'll find that by Convention time you'll have the money painlessly saved up! A tremendous time is promised, as always, at this NRC Convention, so make sure this year you'll be a part of it. Don't let it pass you by!

We hope too that our loyal NRCers will continue to support DX NEWS with reports to its various sections. We have had a very good rebound after two rather light issues, so let's keep sending in your data, and remember our request for condensation. OK?

		V E R I E		S I G N E R S			
540	W G T O	David A. Shick, CE	EQ	1300	W R B C	R. D. McGregor, GM	A
550	W D F E V	Warren Chase, CE	I		W W C H	Walter G. Broadhurst, GM	DP
570	W M A M	K. P. Skoriya, TrM	B	1310	W T I K	Richard Winslow, PD	I
	C F C B	Roy M. Pike, SM	J		C H G B	P. E. Hudon	J
	K L f A C	E. C. Arnold, StuSu	O	1320	W E r N N	William M. Randall, OM	C
590	W G T M	John S. Townsend, CE	J		K C r P X	E. Tambourne, DoE	M
	V O C M	Walter B. Williams, CE	N	1330	K L x B S	John Mcadam, GM	O
610	K G q G M	W. A. Smith	A		W J r P R	Percy L. Kuhn, CE	B
620	W D N C	J. F. Jarman, VP, GM	J	1340	W E N T	Richard S. Stewart, CE	K
630	W P R O	H. Van Amburgh, CE	E	1350	W N V A	John W. McMillin, CE	K
	C F C O	John Beardall, CE	I		W F L S	James W. Poole, M	K
	C K R C	Roy Wagruie, E	I	1360	K E Y Z	Charles L. Scofield, GM	A
	W M A L	Harold L. Green	J		W L I Q	Frank Sturges III	K
660	Y V L H	Oscar Alvarez deLamos	C	1380	K P E G	W. R. White, GM	A
690	W V O K	James L. Ginn	E	1400	K R P L	James W. Sanberg, GM	O
	W C Y B	R. V. Robinson, CE	I		K F R U	R. H. Haigh, CE	A
720	H J A N	Arturo J. DeCastro, G	H		W A B Y	T. J. McDermott, CE	E
730	K U L E	Daren H. Flynn, CE	C		W J E T	Richard M. Zahniser, CE	I
780	4 Y A S	S. R. Williamson	C	1410	W P O P	C. D. Mackel, TSu	I
790	W P I C	Francis Lee O'Dell, CE	I	1430	K G F L	Stan Gallup, SM	H
	K W q L L	D. Schwartzner, CE	M	1440	W Z Y X	James F. Spencer, E	I
	C B Y	C. V. Hierlihy, SM	N		W B C M	W. L. Thompson, CE	I
840	W V P O	Ernest R. Transue, CE	E	1450	K C L X	Adrian DeVries	A
850	X E n W I	Luis Garcia Talavera, M	C		W X V W	Bud Stage, CE	G
870	K A f I M	Robert L. Lyon, CE	G	(1550)	W D f L R	(C. Robert Taylor, P	L
900	W D D T	Arthur Terrell Gayyeau, GM				(Stan Anderson, CE	L
910	W N f C G	Rawden L. Bullard, CE	L	1460	W B E T	E. G. Hooker, CE	J
920	K R r A M	James Flint, CE	O		W K A M	Dewey Gardner, CE	J
960	W A h D P	Frank R. Muisiner, CE	I		W B A R	Chic Roberts, CE	O
970	K N E A	Deloss Walker, M	C	1470	C H O W	R. E. Redmond, CE	I
	K A K C	Charles Laughton, CE	I		K E q L A	Robert DeLapp, CE	O
	K O f I N	Willard A. Mears, PM	M	1480	W I X I	Wade Guthrie, E	BP
980	W C U B	J. E. Severson, EngVP	I		W B T S	Roy C. McCloud, O	D
1000	W H q W B	Daniel W. Churchill, CE	K	1490	W O L F	John R. Drankowski, CE	E
1035	4 V E	Mrs. Kent Ragsdale, SWDept	TEC		K A I R	Victor M. Ives, PD	O
1060	W e N O F E	A. J. Bourgeois, CE	B	1520	K S u I B	E. M. Horning, GM	D
1070	K H M O	Ed Summers, CE	I	1540	W P q M E	(B. L. Drummond, A	B
1088	B. B. C.	H. J. Dunkerly, ContMidReg	J			(Gilbert L. Carney, CE	B
1100	K F A X	Roger L. Roberts, CE	A	1550	W K e F E	Charles Cordero, M	P
1110	W N f A R	Richard A. Yaenkel	J		W B h S C	Thomas Herndon, PD	J
1130	W D G Y	A. D. Dabs	C	1560	W T O D	John Garay	I
1140	K S O O	Max E. Pierce, TD	H	1570	C F q O R	Gordon E. Smith, P	O
1150	W I S N	Wayne Barrington, ACE	B		C F O R	R. Rowe, E	A
1230	W E S X	Norman Durkee, CE	N		W F U R	Gilbert Waite, CE	K
	W E u E X	Robert Francett, CE	B	1580	W P q U V	John A. Columbus, CE	B
	W I T H	S. Hawkins, CE	I		W J V A	Stephen Grundtner, CE	F
1240	W J T N	H. F. Niklaus, CE	I		W K I D	John M. Bobioz, CE	F
	W O C B	Frank L. Lynch, CE	K		W C O Y	M. L. Savage, CE	I
1250	W M T R	George S. Croy	E		W W I L	Robert A. Hinners, SM	J
1270	W C G C	Robert R. Harker, CE	I	1590	K L I V	(Riley R. Gibson, P	C
	W H L D	Robert J. Wilson, CE	I			(D. Hill	A
1280	K V O X	G. R. Zolldan, CE	D		W G G O	M. O. Simundson, GM	F
	K F O X	Diana Conner, Corr.S	O	1600	K O H I	Stanley Heintz, PD	C
					K O G T	William Tate, CE	I

Dick Kwiatkowski-11 Walton Ave. Celeron NY.

DXing WE has been pretty darn poor lately due to all this snow up here in the Snow Belt. Veries in are KOMO-1000 KCHA-1580 WUFO-1080. Special one, Norm. KCHA-1580. 12/27 got tooth extracted, no DX. 12/28- WEER-1570, Pat. At 12:30 they gave their call, and not again all night. KOMO-1000 sent a nice QSL but no crate of grapefruit! 12/26- Heard WEZN/WWRL-1600. Total states veried are a skimpy 28. Norm Pillsbury, DXes like he runs the mile - he never gives up! 73s.

Bob Karchevski - 188 Marlborough - Boston 16, Massachusetts

Somebody, how about a list of the French letters of the alphabet and their French pronounciations for us New England listeners? So far the only French station I've IDed by sound is Say Kah Ah Say, 730, Montreal. Something like the Spanish alphabet in the booklet "How to Enjoy Better DX". 12/28- Since my 11/18 report I have logged (veried \*) 11/21- CJBC\*-860 Toronto 9:30-9:45 p.m., WWL-870 11-11:15. 11/25- WOTW-900 N.H. 10:55-11:04 a.m.; WHIL-1430 Boston 12:55-1:07 p.m., WPEN\*-950 Philadelphia 5:51-6:12; WIBX\*-950 Utica N.Y. 6:02-6:11. 11/26- CHML\*-900 Hamilton, 2:59-3:13 a.m. WRNL-910 Richmond, 3:23-3:39; WOKY-920 Milwaukee 4:14-4:29. 11/30- WBT\*-1110 Charlotte, 11:10-11:25 p.m. 12/2- WKOX-1190 Mass. 4:06-4:15 p.m. 12/4- WNCG\*-910-dx S. C. 4:06-4:14; WERE-1300 Cleveland, 4:42-5:01. 12/7- CKLW-800 Ont. 10:12-10:29 p.m. 12/6- WRAB\*-1440 DX N.Y., 1:47-2:59. 12/11- WKCW\*-1420 Va., 4:22-4:30 p.m., WLOB-1310 Me. 4:34-5:01; 6KOY-1310 Ottawa, 4:47-5:00. Can anyone tell me whether CKOY was using 1 kw. or the new 50kw at the above time? 12/12- WOAI\*-1200 San Antonio, 11:15-11:33 p.m. 12/13- WWNH\*-930 N.H., 10:14-10:29 a.m.; WPEP\*-1570 Taunton, Mass. 11:38-noon. 12/16- WSPD-1370 Ohio, 1:59-2:16 a.m. 12/17- CKVL-850 Montreal, 5:27-6:01 a.m. All the above were received on a 50' horizontal wire running N/S except WPEN WIBX CHML WRNL WOKY. These, as well as all listed below were received on a 65" spiral loop. 12/23- WOKO-1460 N.Y. 5:48-6 p.m.; CBJ-BQ Que. 6:40-7:31; WCSH-970 Me. 10:37-11:06. 12/24- WIW-700 1:33-2:06; WPAT-930 N.J. 2:17-2:34; WTRY-980 NY. 2:43-3:05; WCFL-1000 Chicago 3:10-3:49; WINX-1600 Md. 5:15-5:46; WEZN-1600 Pa. 5:25-5:42; WDRC-1360 Conn. 10:38-11:01 p.m., WFEA-1370 N.H. 11:15-11:36. 12/25- WLAN-1390 Pa. 12:25-1:11 a.m.; WEAM-1390 Va. 12:47-1:13; KFI-640 1:20-2:02 a.m.; CHUM-1050 Toronto, 3:41-4:02; WFLI-1070 Tenn. 4:06-4:20; WHKO-640 Ohio, 6:40-7:10 p.m., GBN-640 Nfld. 7:49-8:06; WSM-650 8:34-8:59 p.m. All the stations mentioned have been reported except WERE. For this season my percentage of veries (to reports sent) is 50.6% which is low due to reports sent very recently. 73s.

Roy Barstow - 16 Harding Road - Walpole, Massachusetts

About time I sent in a report. Not that I haven't been DXing, but maybe too much listening. Because a couple months back I got a new receiver from Allied Radio. It's what they call an HQ-190 and have had my ears glued to the cans since. DX with it, plus the 6' loop has netted me the following: 11/20- KUPD-1060 Ariz. AN for a new state. 11/21- A mystery station on 1035, 8-8:30 p.m. saying Voice of America in Washington?? 11/29- I finally broke the ice, logged my first TA, CSB5-1578 Porto, Portugal, heard here 5:44-6:46 p.m. 11/30- Monte Carlo-1466 5:10-6:13 p.m. 12/2- WVKO-1590 Columbus, O. at 1:20 a.m. with ET; WKPR-1420 Kalamazoo, Mich. with a f/c @ 1:30 a.m. and WDOV-1440 Dowagiac, Mich. also with a f/c at 1:50. Both of the above stations heard were from the same state, 20 miles apart, 20 kc/s. apart, and by the way, both veries came in the same day. 12/4- TIW-775 San Jose, C.R. coming in good so took a log 11:39-11:55 p.m. Some of their songs were pop American tunes. 12/11- WDEL-1150 Wilmington heard in parts between songs from WCOP. I wrote WCOP and asked them if they would go off the air for the DX show, but to no avail. WLEO-1170 Ponce, P.R. heard here from 4:01-4:15 a.m. I could catch only two songs, Christmas carols. At 4:15 WWVA flicked their carrier on so that put a stop to that. 12/17- Oldenburg, Germany-1586 for a one hour log, 12:40-1:40 a.m., coming in S-7. Nice I, France 1554 also coming in good around 1:45 a.m. CFRY-1570 in Man. heard at 2:08 a.m. s/off Directly after this CHUB-1570 Nanaimo, B.C. 2:10-3 a.m. with log taken for my first B.C. If I moved the loop 6" XERF came in 20 over 9. That loop is made of gold! CBU-690 Vancouver at 3:15 a.m. s/off for #2 in B.C. 12/18- KRAM-920 Las Vegas for new state at 3:30 a.m. RS, but too faint to log. 12/25- The following TAs were heard this AM: 1196 VOA Germany, 1205 Bordeaux-I France, 1295 Norden Osterloog BBC, 1214 BBC at 3:30 a.m., which one? 1376 Lille-I France, 1466 Monte Carlo, 1554 Nice-I, France, and 1586 Oldenburg Germany. The BBC-1214 was heard to 4 a.m. and then started to fade, and 1205 Bordeaux heard at 6:35 p.m. and later at 3 a.m. so it must be AN By the way CKBS-1240 in Que. heard around 1248 kc/s.? I hope my receiver is not acting up? I hope everyone is getting good DX. Happy Holidays and 73.

Tom Mann - 1801 East Jarvis - Apt. 202 - Milwaukee 11, Wisconsin

Only one new station logged. Date- 12/21, Call WEAQ, Freq. 790, Time 3:12-3:15 a.m. EST, S-9 with Krick WX NX. I hope everyone will have a fave Happy New Years Day. 73. IT'S A NEW YEAR AND HERE WE ARE AGAIN WITH LOTS OF FINE MUSINGS REPORTS. KEEP THEM COMING AND TRY TO CONDENSE THEM A LITTLE IF YOU CAN, AND OF COURSE, DOUBLE SPACE.

Stan Morss - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

12/21- WPCF-1430 f/c-TT 3:50 a.m. XERF off and Santa Maria Azores noted at s/on 3:45 a.m. on 1571 kc/s. in the clear. Verie, WDAX. 12/22- XERF off again, also WMCA and copied "Radio Fiesta" XEAR, Monterrey. Seemed to s/off 3:05 a.m. 12/23- PM- TA the strongest I've seen them in PM so took log on Italy-1115 4:35-4:59 s/off, opera and slopover from WBT also with opera didn't help. WBT used English on announcements at least. 1115 was 100% Italian - third new country this week. By 5:50 p.m. other signals weaker and nothing new loud enough to log. 12/25- CHVC-1600 at 1:05. WHK-1420 WSMN-1590 CRE-1550 WLEE-1430 CKRB-1460 WAAB-1440 WIAN-1390 all AN for Christmas. CFLV-1370 Valleyfield, Que. copied after WSPD s/off 2:37, then covered by s/on of WJWS South Hill at 2:58, enough for a report, though. "Radio Premier"-1430 good log 3:43-4:15, but no ID. PJA-10-655 in Aruba in English, Spanish, Dutch and Portuguese 4:19 a.m. TISS-875 San Jose C.R. AN for report, 4:45. WEGP-1390 RS 5:35. WTTC-1550 for another try 6:15 a.m. Spanish also noted on 1505 kc/s. Cuban Radio Rebelde on 590 knocked out any chance for Jonquierre, Que. if on. French on 1340 AN but no positive ID. Reminiscing over old veries - how many remember Betty Freeman's WISE monthly DX-es in 1943? (I'll bet Dick Cooper does, Stan -ed.) TT and Christmas carols on 860 2:21, no ID. YNOL Managua Nicaragua AN, seemed to be on about 823/829 kc/s. WPTR off AN this AM. WPTR off AN this AM. WDAS noted on AN 2:43 a.m., 1430. XERF off; nothing new there. Veries, WDIR-dx WGRP WRGM. WRGM not definite but I count mostly anything these days. To Dick Kwiatkowski, Cubans do still verify - but you've got to use a system. 12/27- KGMO-1550 TT 1:30 a.m. WMMN-920 Fairmont, W. Va. 2:17 a.m. WCOA-1370 Pensacola Fla. still on 2:45 a.m. 12/28- WAGM-950 Presque Isle TT 3:30 a.m.

Wayne V. Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

Hope to get over to Buffalo between the holidays. If time allows, hope to lock some of you fellows up. Stations heard include: 11/21- YNOL-825 very strong at 11:30 s/off (Address, Box 607, Managua). 11/22- One new one added, KFDF-1530 Van Buren, Ark. in the clear with sad parting song at 6:15 s/off. Next session 11/24 produced WANT-990 Richmond on top of usual WIBG/WNOX at 4:30 p.m. At 4:35 heard French on 830 - can you tell me whether this is WNYC or not, Ernie? Surely not Radio Caribbean at this hour! (WNYC broadcasts all the U.N. sessions, Wayne, and much of it is in French -ed.) Think CMCD-760 under WJR soon after. Stations not usually atop their channels included WSLM-1220 WTVB-1590 WKZO-590 WWRN-620 WCTT-630 WSPR-1270. 11/25- 12:30 a.m. KNX a powerhouse with Opinion Please show, also XEQR-1030 Mexico City burying WBZ and very unusual here. XEW-900 almost as strong as powerful CHEML. Got back up again about 4:30 and logged WNOR-1230 Norfolk with very little QRM; finally decent ID from WLCY-1380 St. Petersburg at 4:43 a.m., so then tried 620 and heard WSUN a couple of minutes later. Who's SS s/on under WGN @ 5 a.m.? Between 5 and 6 a.m. really went Georgia-crazy - WQXI-790 Atlanta; WRFC-960 Athens, WVOP-970 Vidalia; WGBA-1270 Columbus. Also from the South, WCRD-910 Spartanburg, S.C. and WPKY-1290 Hickory, N.C. Still more new ones that morning, WGIG-1440 Brunswick, Ga. at 5:41 a.m., WPLO-590 Atlanta at 5:52 a.m., WKIX-850 Raleigh, N.C. at 6:05 and WRRZ-830 Clinton, N.C. giving WCBS a terrible time. Also at 7:31 a.m., new state in KUTT-1550 Fargo, N.D. but in last week heard almost every morning under/over CRE from 7:30-8 a.m. so if anyone needs N.D. here's your chance. Couple of mysteries that night - help appreciated. Who is NBC on 1480? None listed in Jones. Also who has St. Louis Hawks basketball on 1450? Another AN session 11/26 brought KNEC-630 very strong as was KPNC-1550 with DJ known as "Tumbleweed" with cw mx of course, At 1:35 a.m. heard hew calls KKHI-1550 San Francisco weak but audible, fighting with TT. WTTM-920 Trenton, N.J. at 2 a.m. s/off, 970 composed of WNDA/WWSW/WMAY. After a couple hours' sleep went back at it and first thing heard was religious programming on 770 at 5:34 a.m. Believe WABC is off then so who is this - any chance of it being KOB? (Jamaica, Wayne -ed.) More new ones that AM included WSIG-790 WSEV-930 WTND-920 CJGX-940 WMGR-930 WJOW-910. 73s.

John Swanson - 3654 North Paulina - Chicago 13, Illinois

Latest DX: 12/9- WREC-600 Memphis till late s/off 1:15; WJVA-1590 r/c. 12/11- WDEK-dx for state #39, WFIS-1600 but no sign of VNCA/dx. 12/16- WRYT-1250 RS; KBLR-1550 Bolivar, Mo. ET 2:10. 12/17- CFAC-960 Calgary at 2:13; CKOC-1150 AN. 12/22- WQOK-1440 Greenville S.C. f/c-ET 1:35-1:52; CKVL-350 in nicely. 12/23- CKX-1150 Brandon, Man. RS 1:13. 12/24- WEZN-1600 on ET most of AM. 12/26- WCOJ-1420 f/c 12:10 over WHK. 12/27- WNJH-1500 Hamonton N.J. f/c 12:11-12:21; CHUB-1570 Nanaimo 2:02-2:38 for my first B.C. Not too many veries. WJVA WDEL KBLR sent letters, QSL from WLBW. I hope everyone had a nice holiday. 73.

Roy H. Millar - Box 778 - Bellevue, Washington

Along the DX Trail: 12/14- WYZZ-1270 Detroit 4:30 a.m. briefly atop KNDI/KBYR; KADL-1270 Pine Bluff, Ark. s/on 6 a.m. 12/15- KSEE-1430 Santa Maria, Cal. and KTUX-1480 Pueblo Col. ID at 7:30 a.m., former with Spanish programming. 12/16- Radio Moscow, Ladvostok, Russia (Asia)-543 RS ID @ 6 and 7 a.m.; KSWI-1560 Council Bluffs, Ia. s/ n 7 a.m. 12/18- KFQD-730 Anchorage, Alaska fair 4-6:03 a.m. s/off. 12/19- KORF-1480 Okohama, Japan "in and out" 3:01-4 a.m., ID at latter; various testers on 1480 as follows: ID @ 3:06 sounded like WBTS and was followed by Christmas mx; ID @ 3:26 sounded like WHAP, gave power as 500 watts, after some old pop records, ID @ 3:27 a.m. KBOX (not AN?), WYZE Atlanta took over at 4 a.m. All of these calls needed, but far from sure on the WBTS and WHAP calls. 12/20- 4QL-540 Longreach, Qsld. weak at 5:30 a.m. network ID; JO---1030 s/off @ 10 a.m., doesn't sound like JOJK; more like JOKP/D/G? 12/22- JOUC-820 Hofu, Japan ID @ 6 a.m., call and location given. 12/23- Chimes on 665 at 2 a.m., Not Radio Moscow ID, but close checking leads to a tentative ID as Vilnius I, Lithuanian SSR! Will send tape, although ID hardly more than noise level but first suspected TA in years! WWRL-1600 New York fair at 3:30 a.m. Never answered tape of last season, Spanish programming). S/on of WSTL-1600 Eminence, Ky. copied at 5 a.m., then WINX-1600 Rockville, Md. completely took over for welcome catch. I would suspect this was one of the "hottest" DX periods of recent years, how about it? 12/25- Radio Peking-640 with time pips at 6 a.m., fairly strong at 6:30. Also spent some time on old tapes and DX NEWS and added two stations to my logs, as follows: KFRO-1370 Longview, Tex. DX program of 3/6/61 on which I submitted a tentative to WMHI; KFRO call positive, so I goofed again. KWCF-1300 Searcy, Ark. f/c or ET 2/6/61 during sked CJME DX. I thought it was a W call but there was a K in front, hi! Mailman played Santa Claus by bringing in a very positive QSL card specifically verifying FEN Misawa, Japan, a 250-watter on 1580 kc/s., 4,500 miles! Certainly my best Asian verie, and probably about third best of all my veries. 73.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

I'm anxious to see the comments on long distance reception for the morning of 12/18. We haven't had a morning like that since 10/20/58. It was so good you could hear Costa Rica on 975 and Radio Sakhalin on 973. Stations in Japan were all over the dial plus three Koreans that were very loud. All info to FVV. Would like to see more totals brought up to date on Supremacy Ratings. There has been some fine response so am holding over another week before publishing the December edition. I certainly like the way Fred's column is run with all the info by frequency. Makes for fast reference. Hats off to Fred and the fellows who wanted it this way. So far my correspondence with various members of the U.S. Embassy located in several different countries has been quite gratifying, at least to me. My basic reason is to have these gentlemen tell these stations what we want in exchange for our reports. I do not use any abusive language about the station, its personnel or the poor feeling the country might have about us. The complete idea is being put on a correspondence level only. In other words all we are requesting is a reply from the station if the report is correct. I am doing this strictly on my own and will advise the Club on any progress so future reports can be channeled to certain stations with a possibility of a reply. The U.S. Embassy in Honduras was advised by Radio Centro, 865 kc/s., Tegucigalpa, they would answer all correct reports and send station pennants. Veries in this season so far: KROW KORK 12D. Reports out: JODR TISS "Radio El Sol"-895 ZNS HJCU "Radio Pyongyang-305 KOD HJES 4VS JOIQ. F/ups to KOHO WORD YVQR JOFF.

Park Barton - Fox 603 - Atmore, Alabama

Happy New Year! Hic! DX a little better this past week but nothing outstanding. Veries in from WKLO-1080 WDEL-1150 WFPM-1260 KBLR-1550. DX around here goes as such: 12/15- WDFE-1270 RS 6:15 p.m. 12/16- KBLR-1550 ET/M 1:15, CEW-990 s/off 2:05, WMGM-1050 RS 6 p.m. 12/17- KROD-600 RS 1:25, CKX-1150 RS 1:55, KITE-930 s/off 2 a.m. KIUP-930 f/c-TT 2-2:05, WFFF-1600 on air giving info about a man lost in the woods. He must have left his compass at home. KILT-610 RS 4:04. 12/18- CKRC-630 RS 4, WPEN-950 ET/M 4:15, WRYT-250 RS 4:25, WSIP-1490 f/c-TT 4:25, WHMS-1490 RS 4:30, CJAD-800 RS 4:40, WMOC-1450 RS 4:55 for a new call, WSPA-950 s/on 4:59. 12/19- WMGA-1400 f/c-TT 1:15, WWCA-1270 s/off 2, CHEC-1090 RS 2:20. 12/21- WMSL-1400 f/c-TT 1:30, WDXN-540 f/c-TT 2:15, XEDM-1580 RS 4, WWOD-1390 ET/M 4:30. I will be out of town this weekend but hope to be back Sunday night. I sure hope we get back because I would hate to miss Christmas morning if it is as good as I hear. I hope everyone had a very merry Christmas and Happy New Year. 73s.

Len Kruse - 1675 Glen Oak Street - Dubuque, Iowa

Our family will be moving into our new ranch-style home right after New Year's Day, so my DX and correspondence will be somewhat pushed aside for the next several weeks until we get organized and a new aerial is put in operation. I'm hoping the new location will bring in some real good DX. And speaking of real good DX I do hope 1962 finds all NRC members with an abundance of new loggings, and many new verifications. The latest DX at the 'old' den included the logging of Station WBRD-1420 Bradenton, Fla. on with RS on 12/11 from 4:53-5:15 a.m. Then on 12/13 Station WFFF-1600 Columbia, Miss. was heard on a f/c from 3-3:15 a.m. topping the frequency. Station WBTS-1480 Bridgeport, Ala. was heard on a f/c on 12/19 from 3:15-3:30 a.m. for a new logging. Then on 12/20 I copied two stations at the same time on the same frequency, and that's quite a rarity for me. Station WFIX-1450 Huntsville, Ala. was conducting a f/c-TT from 4-4:15 a.m.; and at 4:07 Station KOKO Warrensburg, Mo. began a test with March selections till at least 4:45 a.m. The latest three v/ls received came from WLIQ WNGG-ix and WBLR-ix.

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33 Street - Berwyn, Illinois

I am writing this a few days early and will hope it gets to Brooklyn on time. DX NEWS in good shape since I started getting it First Class. In the last couple of weeks have logged: 12/10- WMYR-1410 s/on 6:30; WCYN-1400 s/on 6:58; KJET-1380 RS 7:05-7:15. 12/11- Only DX heard was um WDEL but sent report anyway. Heard KMOR-1510 s/off at 2:00 but no report as I didn't hear enough. 12/16: New for me WKBA-1550 TT 1:50-1:52 along with an unID TTer. Couldn't read ID at 1:57 - anyone know who? 12/13- WYPR-970 ex-WDTI s/on 4:02; WRIP-980 RS 4:12-4:30 IDing as Chattanooga. Does this count for Ga. or Tenn. for Contest? WRSJ-1560 s/on in English in clear 5:01. Looks like we traded tips, Joe Brauner. Believe I heard WHUN-1150 s/on 5:00 but WJJD killed it before I got QTH. 12/19- Logged WBGS-1430 special test per DXDD tip of Ev. J., 3:17-3:27. Added "Kelly in Tulsa" KELI-1430 AN 3:50. 12/21: WDXN-540 f/c -TT 2:13-2:24. Hope to see DXDD expanded to a couple of pages some day, for this one page there are many catches needed by a lot of members set up in a way that makes it easy to use even while at the dials. Veries received from WOKD WSPB WHEE CFQC WIVI v/cs; WIXI WIGL WMOC WASK KJET KPAN WMYR WNGG WQUA v/ls, and PP from already-verified WDEL to help lighten the load of the v/s there. Six points for Contest too much to pass up!

David Combs - 909 Clayton - Columbia, Missouri

I guess I'll see many of you at Indy over Labor Day as I found out that bus fare is only \$20 round trip. I note in 12/23 DX NEWS that Dubans don't verify much any more. I have a verie from Radio Progreso postmarked August 1960 but things have probably changed. Here's what's been heard around here: 11/22- 1:17, WPFB-910 s/off; 1:25 WWRL-1600; KELI-1430 @ 1:40; WQOK-1440 @ 1:45 with test, S9 signal and S.C. #1; WSAW-1470 2:05; CHUB-1570 B.C. #1 @ 2:22; KPMC-1560 @ 2:30. Out old friend XERF seemed to be off. 12/25- 1:30, WRAL-1090 s/off for Maryland #1; KIXZ-940 2:17; CKDM-730 @ 2:32 s/off; 3:02-4:00 Jamaica-750 JBC or JBS S-9 signals with deep fading. Anyone else hear them? Anybody, I'd like some info on this station: 3:20 CPOB-800. 12/26- WBAA-920 @ 5:30 p.m. 12/27- WSAC-1470 5:00 s/on; WPON-1460 at 5:00 s/on; WFDK-910 @ 5:30 s/on and WFEM-1260 @ 5:40. 12/21- WKPW-1520 @ 11:05 p.m. I finally busted the 400 mark so the goal is set for 500 by June 1. Ray Kraul: Those 250 Texas watts are strong here too. Thanks for the tips, Larry Schwartz. So long for now. 73.

Joe Brauner - R.D. 1 - Smicksburg, Pennsylvania

Signals back to normal again, freak twilight DX gone. New calls, 12/7- TGXA-1040 way over WHO @ 9 p.m. 12/8- WPLK-1220 RS s/off @ 5:30 p.m. 12/9- WQVA-1530 s/off @ 4:45 p.m., WSOL-1300 in clear at 5:30 p.m. 12/11- Something on 1170 during WLEO's DX besides KVOO's tests, but nothing definite. Someone on 970 ~~back~~ WWSW with what sounded like a DX (WDTI), data, but no ID so will see what they say on this. WNGA-1600 heard poorly amid SS QRM. 12/13- TIRICA-625 fair to poor at 9:30 p.m. 12/23- WDNG-1450 on top with adl AM test using 1,000w. 12/24- "Kelly Radio" KELI-1430 battling it out with WIL on AN. 12/25, Two ?? SS on 1360 back of WSAI @ 5 a.m. or later, no definite ID, chimes or other ID noted. Mentioned Guatemala once, possibly Panama also, equal to WSAI at times, maybe same unk heard last spring, anyone know who? Also French Canadian show on 1460 clear to 4:30 WRVK s/on but no ID heard - was this CKRB? Only one veri, WXVW-1450 says AN weekends with DJ show. Has no sked test periods. Locally WTIV-1290 was also on for the Hunters' Special. As of 12/25 WMCK still using this call, and no sign of either WZUM-1590 or WSPQ-910. 73.

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Alan Merriman - 7504 Montrose Street - Alexandria, Virginia

Thought it was about time I sent in a Musings. CX have been fabulous here. My DX by dateline: 11/6- HJCU-735 Bogota, Colombia @ 3:44 p.m. 11/3- 4VA-1080 Port au Prince, Haiti @ 7:15 p.m. YNRN-615 Managua, Nicaragua @ 8 p.m. Radio Caribbean-330 St. Lucia @ 8:28. TSC-1015 San Salvador E.S. @ 8:45. TGED-1205 Guatemala City @ 9. HROW-345 Tegucigalpa, Honduras @ 9:15. 12/5- Radio Antigua-644 @ 7 p.m. for much wanted station. 12/6- WQVA-1530 Quantico, Va. @ 1:25 p.m., new local. 12/8- WBLU-1480 Salem Va. @ 4:44 p.m. WRYT-1250 Pittsburgh @ 6:15. 12/11- WLEO-1170 Ponce, P.R. good on DX program. WDTI-970 Danville, Va. also on DX. 12/12- VOA-1195 Munich, Germany @ 11 p.m. in English. HRUC-365 Tegucigalpa Honduras @ 11:35 p.m. 12/13- CSB5-1578 Porto Portugal @ 7:10 heard highly since. 12/16- NDR, Ollenburg, Germany @ 11:45. 12/17- BBC European Service-1295 Norden/Osterloog, Germany, good at 12:30 a.m. in English. Lille I-1376 France good @ 12:40. Bordeaux I-1205 good @ 12:50. HOJ2, Las Tablas, Panama @ 1:25. 12/18- Lisbon I-665 @ 6:40 p.m. RNE-584 Madrid, Spain @ 6:55, s/off about 7:04 p.m. 12/19- Luxembourg II on 1439 @ 6:45 p.m. First time have heard them on top of mess on 1440. CSB9-782 Miramar, Portugal excellent @ 6:45 p.m. Rome II-845 @ 7:03 on AN program. 12/20- Lisbon II-755 good @ 6 p.m. 12/21- CSI Radio Prague, Czechoslovakia-1286, English ID @ 6:05 p.m., then program in Spanish. BBC-1214 Light Program @ 6:20 p.m. Cairo V-818 s/on at 11 p.m., good signal, Arabic mx, faded by 11:20. 12/24- WAQE-1570 Towson, Md. @ 12:27 p.m. Been after this one for a long time. 12/25- Nancy I-836 good @ 1:50 a.m. Ten countries added to log since 11/8. Am using an HQ-120-X RX and my antenna is only 16' long and about 15' high! Have been meaning to get up longer antenna but never seem to get around to it. Also, any info concerning early s/ons, f/cs, etc. of the following stations, all in Maryland, would be appreciated: WFRE-740 WAMD-970 WCUM-1230 WTPO-1450 WEMD-1460 WJDY-1470. Need these to complete the state. Well, guess that's about all, best DX to all and 73.

Bill Hutchinson- 2412 Ellis Road - Baltimore 34, Maryland

Reception is picking up here. NRC Specials from WPTF-680 WDLR-1550 WSIZ-1380 WDEL-1150 all well received. But no veries yet from WDLR or WSIZ. Other DX is: 11/27- CKRC-630 @ 3 a.m., CJET-630 @ 3:30 a.m. with NNRC Special. 12/4- WDAK-540 @ 3:30 a.m., WSEA-910 @ 4:00 a.m., WGH-1310 @ 4:45. 12/8- WXYZ-1270 @ 7:45 p.m. 12/10- WDOV-1410 @ 1:25 p.m. with increased power of 5,000 watts, WAYZ-1380 @ 2:30 p.m., WGET-1320 @ 2:45 p.m. 12/11- WRKT-1300 @ 4:15 a.m., WETT-1590 @ 4:45 a.m., WARO-540 @ 4:45 p.m. 12/13- WHEE-750 @ 5 p.m. 12/15- WBBB-920 @ 5 p.m. 12/19- WGAI-560 @ 3 p.m. 12/18- WSWA-550 @ 10:45 a.m. 12/20- WGTO-540 @ 5:15 p.m. Now that the end of the annual Christmas madness is in sight, I hope to have time and energy for some serious DXing. Since 11/20 I have sent out 38 reports, and received 19 veries, for a batting average of .500. Raleigh Biss, it was a pleasure to hear your voice on the WSIZ DX. Who called from Oklahoma? Also, who is the nightly jammer on 709 kc/s. who ruins WOR most evenings? Fidel, some day you are going to go too far! Merry Christmas to all!

James Gangler - 2801 Chesterfield Avenue - Baltimore 13, Maryland

More than a month has passed since my last Musing, so I will get as much DX news in as possible. 11/25- KCPX-1320 at 2:47. 11/26- CFRN-1260 S 4-5 at 2:55 a.m. 11/27- Second reception of KORL, in at 1:13; KTAR-620 2:00 s/off; BEC-1457 at 2:30. 11/28- WIMO-1300 testing at 12:20 a.m.; WASK-1450 12:35 s/off. 12/3- KGFL-1430 test @ 2:25, XEEG-1550 at 3 a.m. 12/4- WQVA-830 at 3:15 p.m. 12/11- Lille I-1376 S-6 @ 2:25, KCEQ-1170 weak at 2:35, my first San Diego station; KAST-1370 fairly strong at end of NX and 3 a.m. s/off; unkn KTYM-1460 testing, S 5-6. Announcer said he received a report from Auckland, N.Z. for previous week's test. 12/14- KENS-680 testing at 1:45; CJOB-680 behind KNBC at 3:00, fourth of four listed Winnipeg stations. 12/15, at sunset, WTVN-610 WMNC-1430, WSIV-1140, WFSC-1050 JSWI-1560. 12/17- CBU-690 fairly strong 2:30-3. 12/18- KWO-1410 ET 2:08, my first Wyoming and state #49; KRKO-1380 buried beneath WDNX; WJAB-1440 at 5 s/on; WEZJ-1440 also at 5 a.m. s/on, WOMP-1290 @ 5 p.m., WJW-850 6:00 p.m. 12/19- WGSR-1570 test @ 2:15, CFRA-580 beneath CKEY @ 2:35 WIRJ-740 ET 2:36, WBTS-1480 testing from 3:15. 12/20- KUSD-690 ET 1:20 with Broadway show mx S-8. 12/21- TIHCJ-1475 even with YNAG @ 7:30 p.m. 12/22- WRAC-1460 ET 1:08, BBC-1295 strong 1:27, JVI-570 S-4 2:10 (WMCA off 2:05-4) KLUB-570 on top at 3, WYNN-540 s/off 5:16 p.m. 12/23- WSLM-1220 5:32 p.m. 12/25- CKRE-1460 AN French S 6-7 signal, RTF-944 Toulouse 1:55, HJEA about 1532, Pamplona, Col. 2:30, CFGT-1270 AN with good signal. 12/26- KCBS-740 weak 2 a.m., KSSS-740 fairly strong 2:06 s/off. Veries WSM KSOO KORL CFRN HJAN-720 KGFL KPMQ. I hope everyone had a wonderful Christmas and hope next year will be full of good luck and good DX for all. 73s.

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Fran Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado

I trust everyone had a nice Christmas. Not much DX here this week with too many other things to do. Monday 12/18 CX poor; did take a log on WERE-1300 Cleveland on AN show 4-4:30 for a report. Also logged a Colombian on 1210 AN using slogan "Mundial" with no location ever given so wonder which one it is. Only other morning I listened was 12/21 when I nabbed Denver's newest station KKAL-1590 but not Colorado's newest as located in Denver City, Texas, hi. Logged on ET/TT 2:30-2:54 s/off. That is the sum total of my DXing for the week except to say that I have noted XERF off 1570 for at least past four evenings and mornings so our friends must have blown another tube. A total of seven veries in this week. WENN-1320 wrote on my report and returned with couple of rubber stamps on it as "Birmingham's #1 Negro Station." V/l's received from KNEA-970 WXIV-1480 KLIV-1590 WDGY-1130. Nice letter and verie from 4YA-780 for N.Z. #2 verified and nice two page letter from YVLH-660 Maracay, Venezuela. Also a pretty pennant from XEII-1420 "Radio Lalo" in an envelope by itself so apparently their Christmas present to me as they verified for me some time back. A long article in the paper this week saying KDAB-1550 Arvada will ready to go and just waiting for FCC final approval to start up but have never heard them on the air even with OC. I hope all the stations make a New Year's resolution to verify all correct reports within three days after they receive them and of course would then like to see them keep their resolutions, but that will be the day! 73s.

Bob Coomler - 6047 Comey Avenue - Los Angeles 34, California

Have been a member of the NRC for some months now, but this is my first report. For the record, the receiver is a Hallicrafter S-76 and the antenna is a 137' Windom beamed N/S. Anyway, into the latest DX pickin's: KALL-910 @ 7:18 a.m., KPHO-910 with s/on @ 7:30, KLAJ-1600 nice signal @ 7:25, KWEY-1440 booming in every morning without fail, WLCY-1380 weakly at 6:40 a.m., KMUL-1380 s/on over WLCY @ 6:47. WMAQ-670 another early AM regular, WHAM-1180 at 5:40 with bad fading, WOWO-1190 at 6:00, CHAB-800 with s/on at 6:58, and last and in all probability least, XEGM-950 at 6:50 p.m. The latter was logged with a 40" loop, to remove splatter from very local (like about a half mile away) KHJ-930 and KFWE-980. It was really just an experiment to see what the best DX was that could be heard in the afternoon. See y'all around the grounds. (Welcome to these pages, Bob, and we hope for more! -ed.)

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

Only one new report out, KLTR-1580 6-6:15 p.m. s/off. 12/22- KCSR-1450 f/c 1-1:10, but station call questionable, so no report. KLEE v/1 included a CM and I was unable to find an Iowa city (Waverly) listed. Reception of KWVY-1480?? Waverly, Ia. is now doubtful, even though letter has not been returned. Until I received CM there was no doubt about the above mentioned station. Any ideas? For the first time in many years, WSAI has been getting in here nicely. This old-time United States Playing Card station was a big favorite back in the 20s. Christmas was ushered in with a 4" snowfall. Thanks to all for many Christmas cards. Found out that Bill Prater is now in Jellico, Tenn. and Barry Foote (ex-Mass.) is in Washington, D.C. Happy New Year!

Andy Rugg - 16 Lakebreeze Avenue - Pointe Claire, Quebec

Maybe I should have ripped this up and thrown it out. The lazy local yokels, Phil Separatiste and the milkman may not like some of the stuff that echoed through the radio room here. But, golly gee, I pinched myself a few times and then almost bit my arm off, so — 12/19- WFYI-1520, over KB at 4:30 p.m.; WAQE through CFOR-1570, 4:45. 12/20- Tried for WDEL s/on but too much CHSJ/WCOP; WWYN ID through mess on 1260 6:15 and WTNS-1560 under/over WQXR 6:33-6:45. 12/22, here we go, KXLF-1370 1:08 for 40 states, 3AM2-1466, Nice-1554, Nancy-836, Lille-1376 and Luxembourg-1439 were heard between 1:21 and 2:08 a.m., someone in Iowa on f/c-1580, 1:59, KCHA??, KKHI-1550 2:13 CKCK-620 2:44; CBU-690 2:59-3:06; WPAL-730, testing, VOUS s/on through WISM 3:31, WDOV-1410, 4:35 p.m., WASA-1330 ID 4:45 and faded right out; WRFD-880 very weak through WCBS-880 5:03-5:15, only readable when dead air on WCBS. 12/23: WRCD-1340 f/c with cw, IDs, without which no copy would have resulted; 3AM2 again, 1:02, Lille 1376 good 2:24, CHEC-1090 1:39-1:46 and faded under BEC-1088 for two minutes; CJCA-930 under/over WPAT 1:54-2; RTF-944, 2:04-2:20 with best TA signal that day; NWR-1586 2:27-2:31. Veries: WNOR CKVL WKMI WKNX, QSLs; WRUN-PP and v/l's de WFCT and WSET f/up. My regrets go to Samuel Simmons whose unswerving belief in Santa Claus was finally shattered. Found a position for table radio and now null out WLAC completely while listening to cw 'My Boomerang Won't Come Back' on WMEX. Thanks for card and Pix, Stan.



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Dave Holden - 7526 South Colfax Avenue - Chicago 49, Illinois

The DX has really been rolling in here. 12/9- 12:56, WFLD-580 till 1:00 s/off. 12/11- WDEL-1150-dx from 4:03-15; 4:50 KELI, ex-KTUL. 12/18- 1:25, WGAU-1340 testing; 2:11-2:25 KBOB-1270 testing; 2:26 WHHM-1340 RS; 2:30 CKCY-1310 rx, mx; 2:40 KXEO-1340 r/c; 3:02 WCOP-1150 RS; 4:02 CFAC-960 RS; 4:25 WSIP-1490 r/c. At 4:50 I heard Radio Americas s/on with a strong signal. Is this a new call for Radio Swan? 5:16, WTKY-1370 s/on thanks to a tip in DXDD. 5:18- WSAL-1230 RS; 5:27 WBBB-920 s/on; 5:31 WWOD-1390 s/on; 5:59 WMPL-920 s/on. At 6:11 I heard KDHL-920 for my 15th catch of the AM. Not had for one night's work! 12/19- WKLE-1370 testing at 1:05; 1:27 KBRX-1350 r/c; 1:32 WLAT-1330 ending test; 2:38 WIRJ-740 r/c. 12/20- 1:19, KPFL-1420 testing; 2:15 WPAP-1570 testing with mx; 2:33 WCCN-1370 r/c. 12/21- 1:46, WDXI-1310 r/c. 12/24- 1:08, WEZN-1600 testing with violin mx. 12/26- WSIX-980 at 1:16; 2:10 WBSR-1450 and at 5:21 p.m., WKED-1580 finally heard. 12/28- 7:51, 1050, French Canadian s/on mentioned Carman and Manitoba - must be CKSB. (Do they s/off at 1:15?) 8:50, KFUC-850 RS for a nice catch. Earlier at 8:15, WSHN-1550 s/on heard. Finally at 4:58 p.m., WAJR-1440 in good but the twilight skip I expected did not show afterwards. Now have 872 heard in 44 states. I still need Alaska, Wash., Ore., Idaho, Mont. and N.H. ~~WXDX~~ WDAX only verie in since October. Incidentally I saw in the November Popular Electronics that an American interest plans to set up an anti-Castro outlet on Navassa Is. Powers given as 50 and 20 kw/ (two XRs) but no mention of frequency. Navassa Island is midway between Jamaica and Haiti. 73.

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33 Street - Berwyn, Illinois

Happy New Year to all! DX almost is at a standstill due to Christmas. I was just too tired to give it a good try except for Saturday 12/23. Heard five new ones, starting off with WSBS-860 RS 6:30-6:55 a.m. This incidentally was the day of our 12" snow, and CX were very good during the storm. Then I was pleased to find three Illinoisans that have eluded me. (1) WCNT-1210 RS 7:13-7:20 with some WCAU and a lot of WKNX after they s/on at 7:15; (2) WCRA-1090 7:30-7:45 with trouble from KTHS; and (3) WLBH-1170 8:07-8:12 with WJJD off for a short period. At twilight I heard WCRT-1250 s/off 5:45. Friday evening or I guess it would be Saturday AM EST I took a log on WHIE-1320 ET 12:30-12:45, which was heard on s/on but never reported. This was 12/30. Quite a good number of veries were received as Christmas presents, hi! Best was v/1 from WRSJ, back in ten days stating they are still using 250w. until 1/1, testing 5kw. XR every night till then. I got them as 250w. just in time! Other letters from KQDI WCLO WPOP WWIL WJAN WHAB WDLR-dx with CM, KCLU with Christmas card, WPGC, form letter WLBH, QSLs from WPME CHLN and WDVA with CM.

John Callarman - Box 2732 - Monroe, Louisiana

12/16 afternoon logs on WESY-1580 WOI-640, unnn KTER to s/off 6:14. 12/18 no DX in AM big party between shifts at KNOE Sunday afternoon, and evening shift sounded like Seagraves! New Years show on KAKC! 12/21-26 vacationed to Texas Panhandle. Good to see NRCers Larry Godwin Jeff Stewart, John Tudenham, Neil Eubanks, and Jim Callarman. Sorry to miss Jack Hathway and Glen Kippel who vacationed elsewhere. Back to DX 12/28. XERF off but nobody tested except someone very faintly and unIDable. Lots of TT elsewhere. Unnn CFRY s/off 1:06; UnID TT atop 790 1:07:15; unID TT 1590 1:16 and throughout AM; unnn KGMO-1550 ID 1:23, KGUL-1560 TT ID 1:24 and 1:30, again 2:37; somebody faintly on 1570 1:30 with TT/OC, TT on 1420, 1440 1:40, on 1520 1:49, unnn KRGI f/c under WIL/KELI 1:52; WFMH-1460 ET/M and TT ID 1:52:50. On 1400 heard WJLD KFRU WJPS KXIV at 2:00 break; faint signal on 1554 with vocal mx, man in lingo which sounded French but unable to read tangibly for even a tentative to anybody 2:02-2:13. It would have been nice if it had been Nice! WTUP-1490 ID 2:15, variable TT 2:20 1570; WDXE-1370 ending ET 2:24; three testers, tow with TT, one mx on 1580, all under XEDM; the latter IDed 2:26, 2:33, 2:36, 2:41, 2:47 and 2:50 off, was 1,000w EST and owned by Skyway Broadcasting Corp. Who? WTCB-990 r/c 3:06:15; TT-1250 3:17, 1220 3:20, 1420 and 1470; OC 920, TT 930 at 3:40. Up for 1570 s/ons, WHLP 7:42:30, swamped by WAEL 7:43, WMES heard on tape under. Evening, CMCA topped XEX with ED as "English School of the Air." NX in Spanish, then English 10:50-11. 12/29 sick, stayed home and logged locals for report: WDDT-900 KXJK/KBKH-950 KTOC-920 KSYL-970 KRIH-990 KOKA-980 KATQ-940 WSLI-930 KWRF-860 KVCL-1470 and evening WALA-1410 KRYS/KFFA-1360 WHB-710. Logged my best Mexican of the season at 9:28 p.m. when XEGY, 500w. in Tahnacan, Pue. surpged atop KRLD for taped ID and a few scanty noted shortly after hearing unnn XETR-1120 with clear ID. 12/30- HJBI-840 Ondas del Caribe, Santa Marta, loud and clear 12\*15-1 asking for reports to Apartado Aereo 757 and wishing Happy New Year to for-

Earl Mackenzie - Box 635 - Sydney, Nova Scotia

Hi. A lot happened around here since my last contribution. On 11/2 we finally got hooked up to the power, after so many years without it. However the 220 transformer and the Royal 1000 didn't agree, so we put up a 100' long wire. In the daytime there seems to be a little noise across the BCB, but new stations boom in here all day that were never audible before until sunset. These stations now come in all day long: CBY-790 CFCB-570 CFNB-550 CKEC-1320 CHNC-610. New stations logged are: CFGT-1270 12:05 a.m. 12/9, WEBX-1380 12:30 a.m., WPOR-1490 8 p.m., WAJR-1440 (no sign of WAAB) 9:30 p.m., WOND-1400 over CKDH at 9:25, all 12/9. Didn't do too badly that evening. WORK-1350 9:30 p.m. 12/13. A long-wanted VOUS-1480 3:30 p.m. 12/14. XEWA-540 (tentative) 10:25 p.m., 12/18. WGUY-1250 5 a.m. 12/24; and CBW-990 11:30 p.m. 12/26. I've been trying for CEW and VOUS for a long time. I hold the NRC responsible for my logging of VOUS-1480 and XERF-1570. I never heard tell of either of these station till I joined the NRC. Not much in the verie department. V/ls from CBY-790 WESX-1230 VOCM-590 and a card and programme guide from WHO-1040. Local CJCB-1260 has the go-ahead from the BEG to operate FM. They are installing new towers at XR sight. I will have other info on CJCB next report. Say Ernie, might that "mystery" Arabic station, 818 or 820 kc/s. I heard on 10/25 from 7:45-8:30 p.m. ADT be a TA? I would like to know what it is so I can log it. By the way, VOCM-590 verified with a very nice letter which should be used as an example of what a v/l should be. Owner Colonial Broadcasting System is installing new XRs at Grand Falls and Marystown. I believe Mr. Walter Williams, CE at VOCM is a good friend of the DXer. Oh my - over the limit - 73/5329

Larry Schwartz - 4819 Atlanta Drive - San Diego 15, California

Hi! I'm home from two spectacular days at Lynwood with Frank Williams! Besides obtaining four veries from stations KFOX KLEV KLAC KGBS we both had the pleasure of meeting one of the top DXers, Hank Wilkinsen, from whom we aquired many important and helpful tips. KGBS plans to go AN six days upon approval of the FCC which they will get. KLEV-870 should go 10kw. soon upon approval, aoc. Note: Local KOGO-600 was just bought by KLZ Inc. so maybe they'll change call although I doubt it. We also visited the T&T Commercial Radio Co. and met Mr. Jay Tapp, a real friend of the DXer. He gave us many tips on f/c which I'm sending to Ernie as it's too late for Larry. Anyway so as not to stray too far I will talk about DX. 12/18- WRVK-1460 s/on 4:30 for a surprise, WJAN-970 RS at 7, KNIN-990 RS, KMBC-980 RS, KECK-920 at 7 s/on with SSB, KGLO-1300 weak at 7 just before KYNO's s/on, KEYZ-1360 s/on at 7:30 for a surprise; someone behind them on s/on mentioned 5kw. but no call, CEX-1010 finally, KPTEL-1300 ditto s/on 9 with SSB. 12/21- Pal Paul was off (and still is, hoorah). Got WFRL-1570 s/on at 8, KIOV-1570 s/on 9.15 with SSB. Umm were KTER KZOL KACE but not veried. 12/22- WXYZ-1270 RS with AN Satellite, WTOD-1560 s/on 6:06 with SSB, KICY-850, my first Alaskan since last year. 12/23- KWAY-1570 f/c at 4-4:30. 12/24- KRML-1410 s/on 9, someone weak behind them with SSB, who? KDAK-790 RS, KPER-1400 s/off 3:30 a.m. CHWK-1270 s/off 4:11, Colombia-1070 Radio Santa Fe, what calls? (QN), KIXZ-940 heard AN (apparently with Christmas) but still no verie from two reports! KLLL-1460 again s/on at 6, KQEO-920 RS; KPHO-910 s/on 6:25, KUPL-980 s/on 6:30, KREX-920 s/on 7:55, KPIN-1260 RS, KSOO-1140 finally, now to get S.D. veried! KVNA-690 with XETRA off till 9 a.m. During Christmas Day all Tijuana off except XETRA XEMO XERB XEAU, but just a mess of images, except KAHI (Kay High) on 950 in at 7 p.m., XEKT-1380 in English. 12/26, a weak Canadian CJ-- AN on 1220 (not CJOC), who? Wierd on just after s/on on 860 sounded like WBAZ but WBAZ is 1550, who is this? In S-9. CJEC-860 on at 6 with a Florida using 1kw. behind, so maybe WKKO. 12/29- KSTR-620 on f/c-TT behind KGW using Commercial Radio in Kansas City. Veries: KQMS KRPL (the guy#wants Indian Head pennies) KAIR KELA WBAR KWCX, total 267. Happy New Year to all; see you guys in Indianapolis. One more verie, CFOR, QSL. 73s.

Carroll Seth - 154 Parkridge - Buffalo 15, New York

I am grateful to have survived our annual Post Office Christmas rush in good shape. It looks like Len Kruse and his brother mailmen got it in the neck this year; no help until the last few days. Christmas AM found nothing new here except one loud marimba on 880. I've picked up some kind of noise this fall which is confusing. My Super-Pro is 15 years old and is about the same set that was a sensation in 1938. Reception and receivers have changed since then. I'm looking for a set that might filter out noises and AN stations. If any member can find me such a radio, I'd be mighty pleased!

Jeff Stewart - 3018 Washington Street - Amarillo, Texas

Hi all. Another Monday has slipped past with semi-mediocre results. I'm referring to 12/18. The following were heard: CJBC-860 Toronto, Ont. s/off at 1:05; KYCN-1340 Wheatland, Wyo. f.c; XEC-1310 Tijuana, heard on RS, KOFA-1240 Yuma, Ariz. AN; WBCM-1440 Bay City, Mich. s/on at 4:50, and WKTC-1310 Charlotte, N.C. s/on at 4:55. On 12/16 the following new ones: KFYR-550 Bismarck, N.D. finally heard at s/off 1:06, KOLT-1320 Scottsbluff, Neb. s/off at 1:58, and KWOW-1600 Pomona, Cal. RS with cw mx. WRR has been off for the past two Mondays, so maybe off Mondays for good. Sure hope so. One thing interested me on 12/18. Strong station on 880 with mx between 4:00 and 4:30. Faded at ID but sounded like British accent. Will send tentative to LYC. Jim Ernst, I've still got your tape. Will answer it during the holidays, so Larry can get in on the deal. Sorry to wait so long. DX has picked up here, at least in the TA department. Monte Carad-1466 was heard tentatively on 12/20 with French programming from 1:20-1:45. On 12/22, BEC-1214 heard with light programming, for a solid hour, but no definite ID, so still tentative. Nothing in the way of TPs except a station on 880 heard on 12/18, probably LYC, but can't be at all sure. In the domestic department, the following have been heard: 12/15- WEAQ-790 Eau Claire, Wis. s/off at 12:58 a.m. On 12/16, KFYR-550 Bismarck, N.D. s/off at 1:06; KOLT-1320 s/off at 1:58, and KWOW-1600 RS at 2:17. On 12/20, KTRF-1230 Thief River Falls, Minn. f/c 2:25; WCCN-1370 Neillville, Wisc. test 2:44; KELI-1430 Tulsa, AN. On 12/25, Santa brought CFCB-800 Fr. Francis, Ont. test with strong signal. Veries in from WDEW, Westfield, Mass. after a f/up; CKOK Penticton, B.C.; KALG-1230 Alamogordo N.M. and from KYCN, Wheatland, Wyo who said mine was their first DX report. That just about does it from here I guess so 73s to all.

Robert F. Leamy Jr. - 335 East 27 Street - Erie 5, Pennsylvania

Greetings from Erie, the Seaway city on the Great Lakes. DX here has been terrific, so will get right to the latest catches. 12/10- WKKO-860 Cocoa, Fla. with ET at 2:15 a.m. 12/12- WNAM-570 Marinette, Wis. s/off at 1:06 a.m. under WMCA. 12/13- KIL0-1440 Grand Forks, N.D. RS at 12:05 a.m. 12/14- CEU-690 Vancouver, B.C. s/off at 3:07 a.m., WHEB-750 Portsmouth, N.H. s/off over WSB at 5:26 p.m. 12/17- WCRV-1580 Washington N.J. TT at 1:12 a.m. 12/18- KONO-860 San Antonio Tex. RS at 1:46 a.m. Possibly CFCB-570 DX. Heard weak tone modulation and code signal giving call CFCB. Was this they? 12/19- WBYG-1450 Savannah, Ga. ET at 1:32 a.m. KWMT-540 Fort Dodge Ia. in strong at 5:30 p.m. 12/21- Heard an ET on 940 soundang like WKOR somewhere in Michigan. Does anyone know who? 12/25- Very good morning for DX. Jamaica Broadcasting Corp. heard on 750 S-8 3-4 a.m. Can anyone tell me the location of this station? Radio Trinidad-730 s/on at 4:59 a.m. S 6 1/2, KFI-540 Los Angeles ET with 10kw at 5:45 a.m. Veries are: v/c, WDMV WPEB KOMO WELI CJAD WTNS WKZO CKCK CJRL WLEU KXLY WMBS WAPP, real nice card from WNAE WEEB WSKI. E/1: WMIC WMAZ KORL CJNR WHCU and WFMJ who included a postcard. Have been bitten by the survey bug. I have some from our local WJET in beautiful pastel colors, hi. Anyone who would like to trade write to me at above address. Please please please! Send surpeys! Happy New Year to all. 73 plus 73, minus 73. (Welcome to the NRC, Bob and we'll be glad to hear more! -ed.)

J. B. "Pat" Reilley - 628 Spring Street - Jamestown, New York

WDLR is the only verie back and 43 reports still out. 12/24- TTs all AM today. KKHI-1550 still on top at 4:00. 12/25- CHUB alone on 1570. CKAC-730 2:25. SS with KRMG at 2:30 but no ID. 755 SS here again at 2:35. TGJ-880 2:41 for a new call. CKRB-1460 in French at 3:25 for a new one. 12/26- SS 755 again. WAYR-550 came on air atop CFNB at 4:00:30. 12/27- Nothing new today, several stations with snow reports that escaped us here. 12/28- WVKO-1580 test at 2:34 for new call. XERF still off. TT on 1570/1580 at 3:10. Unk TT on 690 making audio and program test but I couldn't ID at 3:17. 12/29- XERF still off. KTCI-690 TT at 2:50 for new call. TT on 740 at 3:05 atop KRMG but no ID. TT on 1580 at 3:40 and OC on 1570 at 4:00 but never any ID heard. 12/30- Focey, XERF back on again. TT on 690 at 3:10 with QRM from XETRA. Unk behind WOR-710 at 3:40 but no ID caught. Had a long visit from Dick Kwiatkowski this week.

Douglas Murray - 277 Portland Street - Dartmouth, Nova Scotia

Hi. I'm back after a couple weeks' absence. DX heard is almost nil. 20/12, heard KOA-850 coming through CKVL/WHDH for one perfect ID, no report. Missed both CJGX and CFCB DXes as I was home, no DXing. However CFCB verie from September report. DX: 24/12- WOC-980. Veries, BEC-1088 WKMI-1360 CHGB-1310 WHCU-870. BEC veries is countryp #15. Totals, 505 heard, 260 veried, no word yet from WDLR DX, WDEL DX or WSIZ DX. 73, and hope you had a cool Yule!

January 6, 1962

Alex Bowab - Box 539 - Atmore, Alabama

12/21- XERF off. ~~KINXNIN~~-990 ex-KSYD s/off 1:01; WKBN-570 s/off 1:03; WAFC-800 f/c-TT 1:05-1:16 under CEW until XEW off at 1:15. KGMQ test 1:22, XECL-990 1:33. 12/25-Mexican atop WACO all morning, ID as Radio Ola; mentioned Tempico often, but no Tempico station listed for 1460. WRGA-1470 WMPB-680 KQV-1410 WICY-1380 WACO-1460 all AN for Christmas. KNOE-1390 also AN - that wasn't you at the mike, was it, JC? KGA-1510 3:00. WIND-560 briefly through WQAM-560 3:29. Umm WJWS-1370 testing and asking for NRC reports; heard Park Barton call in. WGAS-1420 s/on 4:32; WOKE-1340 s/on 4:55, so apparently still not AN; WLAG-1240 s/on 4:59; WCMA-1230 s/on 5:55; WFNC-940 over WINZ 6:00; WEYE-1290 s/on, didn't record time. XERF still off today - maybe their week-long absence is Paul K's Christmas present to the NRC. WFLI-1070 seems to have quit ANing also. 12/26- XEAR-570 AN, Radio Fiesta. Jones Log says they're 100 watts night, but too strong here to be so low-powered. 12/28- Heavy static. KGUL-1560 ET/TT/M 1:34-1:40. WVKO-1580 ET/M under XEDM 2:30-2:51. Maxwell House Hotel in Nashville burned down a couple of days ago, as you all know, WMAK's (1300) studios were housed in this particular edifice, so guess who has been off AN lately on 1300, and why! Veries, WDLR-1550, form letter and CM; KELI-1430 a KTUL card with old call crossed out and QSL card from KGBS-1020.

Park Barton - Box 603 - Atmore, Alabama

Hope everyone had a Happy New Year. As of writing, it is still two days off but it looks like I won't be feeling any pains. DX has picked up a little this past week but not too much. Here is what was heard: 12/22- WPAL-730 ET/M 3:05. 12/25- JBC-750 AN 3:15, WJWS-1370. They were on AN and asking for calls, so I obliged. I thought they wanted them collect but found out different when I put the call in. WFDF-910 s/on 4:45, WHKY-1290 s/on 5:00. 12/26- KWAK-1240 r/c 3:55. 12/28- KSYL-970 RS 12:45, WKBN-570 s/off 1:00, KLIC-1390 RS 1:50, WVKO-1580 ET/M 2:25. 12/29- WEER-1570 ET/TT 12:25, WNXT-1260, on till 2:05 with a basketball game from Los Angeles. 12/30 - WHHM-1340 RS 1:45, WMLT-1330 f/c-TT 2:20, KRKD-1150 RS 3:45, XEMC-1590 RS 4:00. Veries in from KR0D-600 WCWC-1340 WDLR-1550 (finally) KELI-1430 KIUP-930 WPEN-950 WMGA-1400 WHEB-870 WSIP-1490 WIVI-970. That is about it for this time. Just got a new HQ-145-X after waiting almost three weeks for order to go through. Maybe with it DX will pick up a little. Best of DX and 73s.

Fran Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado

Greetings from Denver's Southeasterly DXer. Only two new loggings this week. Listened Christmas AM with only one new catch but a good one in CKRE-1460 St. Georges de Beauce, Que. with good signal 3:15-3:30 a.m. in French of course. Steady buzz covered most of dial after 4 a.m. so that sent me to bed. A lot of stations running AN or late. Our two regular ANers KIMN and KDEN were AN despite it being a Monday plus many of the other regular ANers. 12/29 and 12/30 added HJED-820 Cali "La Voz del Rio Cauca" from 2:15 to s/off at 2:50 with good signal at times. Veries scarce too. Got nice QSL card and program sked from 4VE-1035 for country #21 verified. V/f from KAIM-870 for Hawaii #17 verified. Nice v/l from KULE-730 to replace postcard received in 1955 and another v/l from KLIV-1590, this one from the DJ that was running the program I heard. New local KDAB-1550 Arvada will officially take the air at 6 a.m. MST on New Year's Day but as yet haven't even heard them on with OC night or day so apparently no testing at all on the air. XERF back on last evening 12/29 after being off for over a week. Note Broadcasting says WMGM-1050 has asked FCC to restore old calls WHN. I don't even remember WHN so must have been before my time but WMGM hasn't verified my report yet. Enjoyed a nice phone call from Los Angeles from Larry Schwartz and Frank Williams one night this week. Best of DX to everyone in 1962. Denver in '63! 73s.

Norman Pillsbury - R.D. 3 - Jamestown, New York

Veries and days to receive them are WTMJ-7 CKWS-11 WDLR-dx-34 WRRF-30 WKRT-6 WUFO-23 (with apologies for not answering sooner) WMCA-9 WINS-4. Special verie from WHEB-750 N.H. in four days. DX as follows: 12/23- CEFE off at 12:05 due to difficulties, \$\$\$ still wasn't on at 1:10. 12/25- WKBW s/off at 12:00; WKBN s/off 1; local WXYJ off @ 1:08; WJAS off @ 1:37. Heavy foreign on 910 all AM but no ID, sounded like they were having a real ball. WWL off @ 2:10. 12/26- One tooth extracted no DXing. 12/27- CBA off at 11:13. KWK copied but not enough for report. 12/28- WKOW on at 6. I hear Dick is to have twice my problem, hope you don't sound as bad as I do. Ernie, just out of curiosity give me a rough estimate to how many members the NRC has. I hope everybody had a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year. 73s.

Tony Ward - 7 Konini Terrace - Mangakino, New Zealand

Christmas over but most of my EX i at present as work keeps me in town. Veries to hand from: KFRB KCPX KGIW (firs and 250 watter) KXL WLW KRAK WKY WNBC, Hannover-5086 4XB34-1025 Erevan-863 3WT ( )-610, back on 20kw. again according to verie, JOKF-1450 who sent card for 100w. relay on 1560 kc/s. - good luck that I'm honest! Pyongyang-660-625-685-860 and massive book of photographs. Well they might as well feed their propoganda at me as someone more gullible! Dropped in on LZD while in Tauranga recently and thumbed through their overseas reports and had a coke and yak with the technician on duty. Saw reports, one from a leading NRCer reluctantly declined because of insufficient detail for positive veries; Pete Taylor and Larry Godwin. Hi; and thanks for the card, Larry - much appreciated. Also Jeff Stewart and other NRCers in Ohio, Indiana, California and Ray Millar's March report; their first overseas. Two excellent reports from Fiji also making ten in all. Tuned many Yanks (best WHAM-1180, strongest WOAI-1200 over N.Z. er 2XA) on National eight transistor with 45ur foot whip so traffic is two way! Perhaps a few tips on N.Z. stations might help you in your reports a bit. No return postage needed - government pays and IRCs go into tehncians' morning tea fund, hi. Address to Programme Department - engineer lives miles away, normally and has no records. The letter Z is Zed, not Zee in New Zealand and the call is always used in announcements, e.g. "You are tuned to IYZ, your Bay of Plenty National station, broadcasting from Rotorua." YA and YZ stations are National and non-commercial. X stations do not normally have commercials after 4 a.m. EST but LXH-1310 is fully commercial. All Z stations are commercial and ID with chimes, calls and in most cases a slogan - which generally veries a bit. YC stations are non-commercial "long hair" stations and the YDs are commercials with light musical programming. YDs close at 5 a.m., YZs, Xs and LZD at 5:30 a.m.; YCs at 6 a.m., YAs and 3YZ LYW 3YW at 6:20 a.m. with 2YA on Sunday morning - otherwise 3YA as AN and ZAs, ZBs and LXH close at 7 a.m. All commercials use a theme and then GSQ, non-commercials generally but not always play GSQ. 4XO-1430 and 2XM-1180 (250 and 90 watts respectively) are private and non-commercial. 2XM was heard in Alaska in the 30s so keep trying! I hope this was a useful way to fill my 30 lines. 73s.

Bob Pietsch - 317 San Fernando Way - San Francisco 37, California

Well, it's been a pretty good DXing month for me with the following new stations heard: 12/10- KRLD-1080 3:38 a.m., KING-1090 3:08 a.m., KWIZ-1480 2:59 a.m. 12/16- KOIN-970 11:47 p.m. 12/17- KCMJ-1010 2:30 a.m., KPRO-1440 3:32 a.m., XEAU-1470 3:58. 12/18- WFAA/WEAP-820 TT ID at 3:30 a.m. 12/19- KHUM-1580 1:30 p.m. 12/20- WMAQ-670 2 a.m., KHVH-1640 2:25 a.m., KGEM-1140 3:21, KCBQ-1170 2:30, XEB-1220 2:41 a.m. 12/21- KRAM-920 3:24 a.m., KRNO-1240 3:30, KORK-1340 3:02, KEET-1340 3:45 a.m. 12/22- KXL-750 8:58 a.m., KWIL-790 6:00, KGBS-1020 8:01, KTYM-1460 7:01 a.m. 12/23- KIOA-940 3:31 a.m. 12/24- KELA-1470 1:35 a.m. 12/29- KWOW-1600 1:24 a.m. Veries from WWL-870 KDKA-1020 KRLD-1080 KOMO-1000 WFAA-820 KGA-1510 KWIL-790 KGBS-1020 WMAQ-670 WGN-720 KOIN-970. Thanks again for nice card, Len Lockwood. Here's to a great DXing 1962 for everybody.

Sam A. McLaughlan - Box 26 - Gatineau, Quebec

Greetings. I was surprised to see my latest appearance was in the 11/25 issue, guess I have been lazy. DX having picked up recently, I guess it's time to say hello again. Here's the latest. Semi-locals WNEZ-1240 and WJOY-1230 added to the log. Evening catches dug out of the muck - WQAM-560 WDEV-550. WMGR DX not heard on 12/4, but added WFIS-1600 to the log. Following s/off's heard but not enough details for a report: WTTC-1550 WBOS-1600 WNAR-1110, but I was lucky enough to squeeze CRRS-1560 from beneath WQXR's classical works. Santa Claus was generous on Christmas morning, adding the following to the log: WFMJ-1390 WJAS-1320 CHUB-1570 (first B.C. station, no XERF!) and CJRL-910. Other French Canadians heard but not needed were CKCH-970 CKRE-1460. Finally, thanks to all the NRCers who sent Christmas greetings, the feeling is reciprocated even if I didn't get around to sending a card in the last-minute rush. Best of health and happiness in 1962. 73.

Norm Maguire - 1420 Columbia Drive NE - Albuquerque, New Mexico

Verification percentage high, but that is all the good news regarding my DXing activities this season. Only two stations reported, KETR-710 and KARS-860, both on RS. Veries in: KADI KBTR KARS. KNDI for old report. KARS in Belen, N.M. (semi-local here) has been on since 10/1. Have not logged a single NRC special although I have been up for about ten of them. Hope you all have a Happy and Prosperous New Year.

Joseph Fela Jr. - 102 Hawthorne Avenue - Newark 12, New Jersey

Well I finally got a tape recorder. It's an N.E.C. 701B from Lafayette Radio (their number is RK-130 for it). So if anyone wants to correspond, just drop a few lines. Most of my reporting to foreign stations will be by tape now as it will be much easier that way. Totals: 465 heard, 113 verified. To DX: Loggings are: 12/16- WWSL-1400 ID at 2:30 a.m.; WPVA-1290 at 4:57 p.m., WMPM-1270 at 4:58, WYSR-1250 s/off 4:59, WCLE-1570 s/off at 5:27, WMES-1570 s/off at 5:31, WPAT finally nulled out decently; WBEN-930 at 10:50 p.m. 12/17- KNX-1070 at 1:43 a.m., WTHB-1550 f/c, organ mx from before 2:31 to 2:43. 12/21- CJSS-1220 ID at 5:30 p.m. 12/23- WPYB-1580 s/off at 4:54, WSHN-1550 s/off at 5:13. 12/24, five inches of snow on ground from previous evening, four more added in afternoon (Newark readings). Band noisy due to static. Unk Colombian ID at 1:44 a.m. on 840 kc/s., HJBE or HJBI, Santa Marta (have taped ID here of it) - anyone know anything about this one? S/off J.E.C.-750 at 2 - no WSB after midnight except for an OC at times; WDAS-1480 at 2:50, AN? 12/25- SS all over the dial as well as some French, and more ANs than usual, like WEAM-1390 and WAAB-1440. WRSJ-1560 s/off at 2 a.m., English, then Spanish, WJWS-1370 s/on at 3 (for Christmas), KGA-1510 at 3:48, WTOR-1490 s/on at 4:29, WINZ-940 ID at 4:46, WHIE-1320 s/on 4:55, WADP-960 s/on at 5<sup>30</sup>01. Almost forgot - HJCG-1070 Radio Santa Fe taped at 3:30 in the clear. Finally veries are v/l's from WHDH-850 (with card) WPTF-680 WDEL-1150 DX, and WFBG-1290 (took two months, said CM was enclosed but not found). Also a card and CM in an envelope from WPRO-630. 73s for now.

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Hi everyone! Well, NYU has kept me quite busy over the last year to say the least, but I'm glad to say I was able to rejoin the NRC over a month ago, and finally getting a report in! Actually I have only the weekends to DX as I'm at the dorm at NYU during the weekdays and too much static, etc. there to get anything worth while. To start off with, I read in the papers where WMGM, after being sold for \$10/5 million has applied with the FCC to get their 1922 call, WEN, back, but the article mentioned they'd probably have trouble being the FCC doesn't issue any more three-letter calls. WMTR-1250 Morristown, N.J. is now 5 kw. Now for the DX. 12/4- WQCB on top of 1240 with an ET with their 250w. XR. Tested the 1kw. later. Also noted WHMS-1490 AN. On 12/9 WINY-1350 in well with WORK QRM at 4 p.m. 12/16- CHOW-1470 in OK on top of CFOX at 6 p.m. Later in the evening, GHEF-1450 in well, but not needed. 12/17- WSIG-790 s/on at 6:00. 12/23- WSMN-1590 s/off 12:05 a.m. CMCA-730 noted with English "cultural" programme for students of the English language. They announce their calls as CMCA, so no change of calls here. WYSL-1400 AN fighting with WRET AN. 12/24- Believe WCSR-1340 s/on 5:30, so a tentative to them. Are they still 100w.? WGL-1250 s/on 6:30 behind several others, and WTOD-1560 s/on 6:45 under WQXR&s OC which signs on at 7:00 Sundays, 6:00 weekdays. WYRE-1080 in beneath WTIC at 4:30 p.m. 12/25- French Canadians on 1230 and 1240 around 2:00 but too tired to stay up. Weak French around 1200 kc/s., possibly Bordeaux-1205, but much too weak to ID. That takes care of things till now. Have been trying for needed WSNO-1450 WBTN-1370 WWSR-1420 in Vermont, and in New Hampshire, WMCU-1230 WTSV-1230 WKXL-1450 WBNC-1050 WGR-610 and WCNL-1010. Any tips, New Englanders? Envious of George Huycke's long line of Upstate New York DX; sure could use some of 'em down here, eh Ernie? Well 73s till next time.

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DX NEWS is arriving in better time now, about the Thursday after issuing date. Now that the merry confusion of Christmas is over, we can settle down to some quiet DX. New stations are: 12/23- KREN-1450 Red Lodge, Mont. f/c-TT at 7:38 with IDs every five minutes; KAGO-1270 Grants Pass, Ore. s/on 8. 12/24- KSEE-1480 Santa Maria, Cal. s/on 8 followed by two hours of Spanish, IDs in English. 12/25- WENS-1460 Columbus, O. ID at 5:32 then gone, WMT-600 Cedar Rapids ID and WX at 6:17 during lull in CFQC; KEYY-1450 Provo, Ill. s/on 7:01 S-7. 12/26 Brought a much-wanted logging from KICY-850 Nome at 4:45 with s/off 4:57 for our farthest station West in NA. It had a rough time from KIMO though. 12/27- KILQ-1440 Grand Forks in at 7:23; in absence of CKDA-1220's usual AN, WKNX-1210 Saginaw Mich. with WX at 7:33 and KLCB-1230 Libby, Mont. ID @ 7:59, presumably s/on. Veries are far from numerous but these did come in: KHOK-1560 31 St. and Bay Ave., Hoquiam, Wash.; WBAY-1360 115 S. Jefferson St., Green Bay, Wis. after more than three month's wait and KMVI-550 Wailuku, Maui, Hawaii. Anybody, how does one ID Japanese stations? Glad to see things are shaping up for a good 1/1 DX, namely XEG will be off. Many thanks for cards from Larry, Ernie and John. Time to cut this report short, so 73s to all and the best of DX in 1962.

## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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After all those years of begging for reports I can't stand prosperity, but we sure have it. Hope you all had happy holidays, and here goes for this week:

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- 544 XEWA San Luis Potosi, S.L.P, s/on is 0645 weekdays. (LDS)  
4QL Longreach, Queensland, weak with ABC gongs and ID 0530, 12/20. (RHM)
- 550 KMVI Wailuku, Hawaii, s/off at 0403 Monday AMS easily through KAFY. (LDS)
- 640 HCXYL "Radio Difusora Nacional del Ecuador", Quito, logged at 2230 on 11/8 and 2300 11/9. Verified promptly via form letter and pennant. (CMS)
- .... "Radio Peking", China, pips and tone at 0600, fair at 0630 on 12/25. (RHM)
- 644 ..... Antigua, schedule 0630-0900, 1130-1300, 1800-2100. Report to Mr. Campell Matthew, VP2AR, Hood Street, St. Johns, Antigua, B. W. I. (DH)
- 647 HOR58 "Radio Rumbos", Panama, Panama, logged at 2100, 12/21. (CMS)
- 650 KORL Honolulu, Hawaii, heard at 0145 11/20, very early for Hawaii. (CMS) S-4-5 at 0327-0335 fadeout. (DBM)
- 655 YSS San Salvador, El Salvador, S 9 Plus 10 at 2230 and later many nights. (DBM)
- PJAL0- Aruba, logged on 12/11 from 0535-0550 with good signal for new country. In English. (FHN) Logged 0430-0445 12/25 in English and Spanish, some Dutch. Think was PJC. (JTL) (Joe, think this was PJAL0 as above-FV)
- 660 YVLH Maracay, Venezuela, nice two page verie in English for 12/4 report. **This was one I thought was "Radio Caracas"**. Owned by same company and relays "Radio Caracas" from 1100 to s/off. Power is 50 Kw., rather than 1 Kw. listed in WRH. YVKS still on 750 with 10 Kw. "Radio Caracas" add is Aptdo de Correos 2057, Caracas. V/s is Oscar Alvarez de Lamos. (FHN)
- KFAR Fairbanks, Alaska, logged at 0200 on 11/20. Verified very promptly by letter from CE Don Porter, one of the best in my collection. (CMS)
- 665 CSA2 Lisbon, heard most nights but too much QRM for report. (DER)  
.... Lithuanian S. S. R., "Vilnus I" tentatively ID with 8 note chimes at 0200 12/23. Not same ID as "Radio Moscow". (RHM)
- 690 KULA Honolulu, Hawaii, ID 0359 very weak under XETRA 11/26. (DBM)
- 730 HJCU "Radio Tricolor", seems to be right on 730 now, and will make it rough for the CB-73 DX on 2/12. (ERC)
- CP27 "Radio La Cruz del Sur", Cajon 8, La Paz, Bolivia, now on daily 0600-0800, 0930-1300, 1700-2215, Sunday 0615-2145. (WRH)
- .... Spanish speaker here on Monday 12/18, but OC prevented me from getting log. (FHN)
- 735 HJCU Bogota, Colombia, seems to have quit ANing or at least not heard here of late. (FHN) (Note above on 730-FV)
- 737 ..... "Kol Israel", Tel Aviv, operates in Arabic from 2330-0015, 0615-0715, and 1030-1615. (WRH)
- 740 PRA4 Salvador, Brazil, first heard 12/2 at 0200 GMT. (RP)
- 750 ..... Who is SS on this frequency at 0900 or so behind WSB?(LDS)  
JOIB Sapporo, Japan, noted every morning after 0600 with no sign of WSB. (LDS)  
.... Jamaica Brd. Corp., at Port Maria, S 5-9 all AM 12/25. QRM from SS, maybe YNX. No other Jamaicans heard here. (DBM)

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- 755 YSKL San Salvador, El Salvador, apparently the AN in here S-9 all the time. I thought it was YSCL, but it was probably YSKL. (DBM)
- 780 4YA Dunedin, New Zealand, nice letter and QSL card for 10/30 report. VS is M. R. Williamson for Director. He says they increased power to 20 Kw. on 9/15 and only 5 reports from US from then until 11/15 with other 4 from Pacific Coast. (FHN)
- .... SS heard at S-6 here at 0500 11/27, but suddenly it dropped out of sight midway through the SSB. Music heard later, must have been Ramey AFB. (DBM)
- 790 XERC Mexico City, D. F., in the clear Monday AM until 0330 s/off, use some rock n roll. (LDS)
- 810 .... SS noted here AN on 12/18. Who? (LDS)
- 818 .... Andorradio, Andorra, received at 1730 on 12/21, but very difficult to copy. (CMS)
- .... Cairo V, tentative log, tape sent, fingers crossed. (DER)
- 820 JOUC Hofu ID and location at 0600, 12/22 unusual "on the hour ID" for a 2nd Network station. (RHM) / (LDS)
- .... Who is the SS behind WBAP/WFAA at 0900 or so? Noted daily
- 825 .... Sometime ago heard a station announcing as Nicaragua, in Managua. Signed off at 2318 in English and Spanish. Does this station verify? (JTL)
- 830 CMBZ Havana, noted here very strong every evening fighting with WCCO, but not strong enough to top them. (LDS)
- 836 .... Nancy I, France, fair signal Monday AMs, tape sent. (DER) Very weak 0136 12/22. (AR)
- 840 HJBE or HJBI, unknown Colombian heard morning of 12/24. Location given as Santa Marta and freq. as 840 Kcs., ID was in the clear and was taped at 0144. (JF)
- .... Who is SS usually over WHAS nightly, A Cuban? (LDS) (Maybe the Colombian noted above-FV)
- 850 XEWI Chapala, Jalisco, nice verie letter in Spanish for report pf 11/26 and one of prettiest letter-heads in my collection. Slogan is "Radio Tropical". Letterhead also lists 860 Kcs. but definitely heard on 850. Signer is Luis Garcia Talavera, Gorenata.
- .... Who is SS heard under KOA nightly at 2000 or 2100? (LDS)
- 860 XEMO Tijuana, B. Cfa., finally decided to operate from 0900 to 0300 s/off. Uses English. (LDS)
- 865 HRUC Tegucigalpa, Honduras, is an nightly visitor, and report taken now that HJW says they have promised to verify and send pennant. (ERC)
- 870 YVLW "Radio America", Valencia, Venezuela, bagged at 0230 on 12/25. (CMS)
- KAIM Honolulu, Hawaii, probably the one heard 12/25 with a religious service in English 0400-0430, S 2-3. I think I heard the call at 0430, then nothing. Is 0430 their s/off? (DBM)
- 875 TISS "La Voz del Tropico", San Jose, Costa Rica, was AN 12/25 and finally heard here with WCBS (880) off AN. (ERC) Also hrd 12/25 until after 0500. In Spanish and mentioned "Teatro Roxy". (JTL) Also logged S 5-9 12/25. (DBM)
- 880 TGJ Guatemala City, Guatemala, on most of AM 12/25. (ERC) Hrd very well until s/off shortly after 0300. Some QRM from BBC (881). (JTL)
- 1YC Auckland, New Zealand, up to S-6 at times on 11/27 from 0347-0355. I heard choir music 0402 and later there was symphony music. (DBM)
- 881 .... BBC Wales heard fairly well after 0300 until 0330, 12/25. (JTL)



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- 890 .... SS noted here behind WLS occasionally, anyone know who it is? (LDS) (Cuban?)
- 910 XEAO Mexicali, B. Cfa., R/s is 0800-0300 s/off, uses 250 watts per varie. (LDS)
- 920 KAHU Wailuku, Hawaii, S 4-5 in the clear, 12/4 and 12/11 till 0400 s/off. (DBM)
- 925 .... LA on 12/25 AN S-9 and over, until 0500. Slogan resembled "Radio Internacional". (DBM)
- 944 .... Toulouse, France, really blasting in 0204-0220 12/23. (AR)  
Logged French with man and woman at 0235 12/25, fair signals, think it was Toulouse. (JTL)
- 950 XEGM Tijuana, B. Cfa., s/off at 0100 daily, uses English, and often mixed with EW. (LDS)
- 980 .... SS noted nightly on top of semi-local KFVB, I presume it is Mexican, but who? (LDS) / (LDS)
- 990 XECL Mexicali, B. Cfa., R/s is 0900-0300 s/off, all Spanish.
- 1007 .... Hilversum II, Holland, s/on at 0100 with bells. (DER)
- 1000 IZD Tauranga, New Zealand, S 8-9 at 0412 on 11/27. What is ~~xx~~ their address and varie signer? (DBM) (I shouldn't think you would need any more than the city location-FV) (New Zealand Broadcasting Service, Tauranga. should get them.)
- 1010 .... I have noted SS AN here several times. Is this CMBQ? (LDS) (I think so-FV)
- 1035 4VE Cap Haitian, Haiti, varie states this call and frequency. Power 2500 watts. Signer is Mrs. Kent Ragsdale, SW Dept. (JF) Heard very well here also. (JTL)
- 1040 JOPQ Nemuro, Japan, s/off 1000, 12/26 NHK pips and tone, and Japanese NA clearly ID, but not sure of call. All listed Japanese stations on 1040 are 100 watts or less; this only Jap heard at this particular time, and only Chine/Formosa heard on 1040 previously. (RHM)
- 1045 .... Station heard announcing as Islands Broadcasting Service. (JTL) (Think this is Windward Island Brd. Svc.-FV)
- 1050 WMGM New York, N. Y., heard on 11/30 at 0100 GMT. (RP)
- XED Mexicali, B. Cfa., r/s is 0900-0300 s/off. Power change from 10 to 1 Kw. is about 2100. (LDS)
- 1060 CM.. "Radio Rebelde", Cuban AN here 12/25. (ERC) S-9 plus 20 most of 12/25. (DBM)
- 1070 CBA Sackville, N. B., heard on 11/30 at 0045 GMT. (RP)
- HJCG "Radio Santa Fe", Bogota, in clear morning of 12/25, no WFLI for a change till 0400. Time logged 0330. (JF)
- 1080 .... "Radio Minas", Belo Horizonte, Brazil, heard at 0400 on 12/25. (CMS)
- 1088 BBC Droitwich, England, overrode CHEC for two minutes 0147 on 12/23. (AR)
- 1090 XERB Rosarito Beach, B. Cfa., QTH is Band of America Bldg., San Diego 1, California. Have wide variety of programs, mostly religious. S/off is just after 0300, usually 0310 or so. Signer is DX News. I have a few CM for those who want them. (LDS)
- 1100 .... SS noted weakly AN on Monday AMs. Who? (LDS)
- .... "Radio Norte", Sao Paulo, good most evenings. (RP)
- 1160 .... "Radio Swan" heard on 11/30 at 0130 GMT. (RP) (Roy, this is now "Radio Americas"-FV)
- .... "Radio Americas" gave QTH as Miami 1, Florida. Is this where you send reports? (LDS) (Guess so-FV) (To Norman Pillsbury, this is all the information we have-FV)
- 1170 WLEO Ponce, Puerto Rico, DX program easily logged. (CMS)
- HRWW "La Voz de Centro America", San Pedro Sula, Honduras, was logged at 0330 12/25. (CMS)

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- 1178 BBC Relay station in Malta in Arabic at 0400. (GMT-(RP))
- 1180 .... "Radio Globo", Rio de Janeiro, good signal most nights. (RP)
- 1196 OVOA88 Munich, West Germany, easy Monday AMs with WOWO and WOAI off. Very strong. (DER)
- 1199 IASTI Somebody here or 1195 1750-1820 on 12/21. Peak was S-9 plus 10. There was a jammer or other strong noise over them. 1800 brought VOA ID, but no location. This had to be too strong for Munich. Any ideas? (DBM) (I think it was Munich-FV)
- 1200 HJ-- SS heard AN here weakly past three Mondays. Who? (FHN)
- 1210 HJ-- Colombian heard AN here on 12/18 with good tape log from 0230-0300. Frequent IDs with slogan "Mundial", but no location given. Is this HJEL-Cali? Only one other Colombian listed here. Also heard AN on 12/11 but very weak then. Frequent commercials with Colombia mentioned. (FHN)
- YV-- "La Voz de Amigo" in Venezuela, noted at 0300 12/25. Who is this? (CMS)
- JOOR Osaka, Japan, noted 12/18 at 0420 with a children's program. (LDS)
- 1220 .... SS probably AN for Christmas, weak to strong 0445-0500. Any ideas? 12/25. (DBM)
- 1270 KNDI Honolulu, Hawaii, in well on 11/27, up to S-8. ID at 0330 both YL and men announcers heard. (DBM) / (LDS)
- XEAZB Tijuana, B. Cfa., R/s is 0900-0301 s/off, all in Spanish.
- 1290 XEAP Ciudad Obregon, Sonora, 100(1) unlimited. (FCC)
- 1295 BBC Norden-Oosterloog, West Germany, at 0030 on 12/17 in English. (AM)
- .... On 12/17 at 2400 the East German jamming stations (Jamming the BBC) could be heard, but nothing else. Later the BBC station was in strong. (BD)
- 1310 JOLF Tokyo, was S-7 to 8 at 0505 on 12/18. (HJW) Heard easily on 12/18 over KDIA who was ETing. Should be a cinch on West Coast. (LDS)
- XEC Tijuana, B. Cfa., R/s is 0915-0400 s/off except till Xmas when AN. (LDS)
- 1322 .... Leipzig, East Germany, 11/11 S4-6 0025-0034 in German. 11/19 0106 in German S 1-4. (SB)
- 1331 RAI Rome I, Italy, pulled in 12/11 atop this freq. between 0100 and 0130. Readability fair. Report off, but still waiting for word from Rome II (845) from Sept. (BD) RAI noted 11/19 0016-0105 in Italian, some music, S 2-3. (SB)
- 1340 PRH6 Heard fair in November. (RP)
- 1349 RTF France, 11/19 0014-0140 in French S 0-3; 11/18 0007-0040 in French, S 3-6. (SB)
- 1350 JOGB Kumamoto, Japan, sent "record post card" verie for my 1st 45 rpm QSL. (PT)
- 1360 .... Who is Guatamalan on here with 10 Kw and ID in both English and Spanish. No LA list here. (DH) (Sorry, Dave, no lists with me, and memory poor-FV)
- PRC8 Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, logged 11/4 and 11/5, (RP)
- 1367 .... Porto, Portugal, 11/11, 1804 S 4-5 in Portuguese. (SB) 12/11 at 0205. (SRM)
- 1370 WIVV Vieques Island, Puerto Rico, 11/19 at 0430 s/on in English with religious program. (SB) Heard 0430 s/en 11/20 loud and clear. (AR)
- JOKD Nemuro, Japan, noted extremely weak on 12/18, but in the clear. (LDS)
- 1376 .... Lille, France, weak 0141 12/11, fair 0224 12/23. (AR) Fair at 0034 on 12/17. (AM) 11/18 0011-0145, S 2-9 Plus, ID at 0130, in French, some music. (SB)

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- 1380 XEKT Tecate, B. Cfa., heard daily till 0300 s/off, wonder what real power is? (LDS)
- 1385 4VS Logged this station in Haiti from 0601-0625 on 12/11, carrier on starting at 0500, call not used, but other ID material was in French. Report out. S-8 to 9 0601-0610 on 12/18 playing Bing Crosby's "Silent Night" at 0603 with 3 interrupting announcements in French. (HJW) 11/19 1755-1805 S 1-4, French music and talks. (SB)
- 1390 WISA Isabela, Puerto Rico, now in operation 500(1) unlim. (FCC)
- 1394 CSB80 Ilha Terceira, Azores, 12/2 from 1702-1730 S-3 in Portuguese. (SB)
- 1395 .... SS here news at 0605 11/27, QRN. (PT) Mystery SS AN here 12/25 too much slopover from 1390/1400 to ID. (ERC) SS logged 0536-0557 on 11/20 Announcer spoke in Spanish but music was odd for Spanish station. Most of musical selections were sung by group of women. Station well recvd. Announced "Radio----". On 12/18 said "Republica de ----" Who is it? (HJW) Heard signing off at 0200, logged 0100-0200 12/3, stronger than domestics on 1390 and 1400. (AR)
- 1400 .... "Radio Caribe", first time I managed to log this one, faint signal. (RP) / (SB)
- 1403 RTF France, 11/19 0607-0146, S 1-4 French talks and music.
- 1410 PRE7 Sao Paulo, good signal 11/25. Good after 0030 GMT. (RP)
- 1420 XEWE Irapuato, Guanajuato, correct with live band dance show 0121-0138. Verie back signed by Antonio Contreras Hidalgo, Gerente. Adds is Apartado 118.
- 2AP Apia, Western Samoa, verie by air 3 weeks for 10/24 report. Signer is J. W. Moore. (PT)
- .... Inner Mongolia "A" a surprise here 0508-0520 11/23, QRM from JOYR, tape sent, S-8 peak. (PT)
- JOYR Okayama, Japan, taped between Mongolia fades (above) for report 11/23. (PT)
- XEEW Matamoros, Tams., increase power to 2500(5). Unlim. (FCC)
- XEII Chihuahua, Chih., very fine letter in English positively verifying reception signed by Eduardo Rivas. (RHM)
- XEXX- Tijuana, B. Cfa., R/s is 0900-0259 s/off, all in Spanish. (LDS)
- 1421 .... Saarbrucken, West. Germany, 11/19 0109-0135 in German, S1-3. 11/10 2325-2342 S 4-6 in German. (SB)
- 1430 XETI Tampico, Tams., new station 500 watts Daytime. (FCC)
- 1435 OBX4I Lima, Peru, 1905-1911, 11/19 Spanish ID at 1906. 11/9 Spanish talks, 1948 opera type musical program. IDs at 1950 and 2005 as Lima or "Radio Santa Rosa". Music 2006 500 watts. Also 11/10 at 2000. (SB)
- 1439 .... "Radio Luxembourg", 11/18 0016-0138 S3-7 French and Flemish, 11/19 0009-0110 Flemish and music. (SB), also several times in December 12/5, 2, 9, and other times. (SB) On top of 1440 mess at 1845 on 12/19. (AM) Now logged in early AM around 0100 and also in early evening. (BD) In briefly at 0137 on 12/22. (AR)
- 1440 .... "Radio Novidades" call ID heard 11/27. What is the call and location? (DBM)
- 1450 XEPI Progreso, Yucatan, new station with 250 watts unlim. (FCC)
- XEXD Atlixco, Puebla, now in operation with 250(.5) unlim. (FCC)
- 1457 BBC West Regional, Clevedon, had excellent signal on 11/27 around 0200. Covered all on 1460 at times and at other times was separated from 1460. (BD) Poor most of 12/11. (DER)
- 1460 XEJT Altamira, Tams., now in operation at new location with 1000 watts power. (FCC)

- 1460 XEJH Jalapa, Veracruz, new station 1000 Daytime. (FCC)  
 XEJT Altamira, Tams., 12/18, 12/19 to 0300 for Las Posada.  
 S/off with Sound of sea gulls and "Dixie". (SRM)
- 1466 3AM2 Monte Carlo, 11/19 S3-9 Music 0110 French talks by a man  
 and ID at 0115. (SB) 12/10 at 0034, 12/9 at 1638, 12/8 at  
 1640, 12/2 at 1659-1740, 12/1 0016-0200, 11/24 at 0135,  
 11/23 at 0100, 11/25 at 0025-0200, 11/25 at 1658-1730,  
 11/26 0030-0100, 11/30 at 1710, 11/28 1700-1730. (SB)  
 11/12 strong but unreadable due to WMBD QRM. (DER) At 0121  
 12/22 and 0103 12/23. (AR)
- 1470 XEYA Irapuato, Guanajuato, new station 1 Kw., Daytime. (FCC)  
 XEAY Parras de la Fuente, Coah., 250(1) unlimited. (FCC)  
 XEAU Tijuana, B. Cfa., R/s is 0800 or 0900 to 0400 s/off, uses  
 English with c/w mx. Plan to increase power to ??? and go  
 AM. QTH is Chula Vista, California. Signer is DX News.  
 (LDS)
- XESM Mexico City, D. F., heard strongly every morning. Are  
 they only 5 Kw.? (LDS)
- 1475 CYNAG Chinandega, Nicaragua, 11/10 News at 2330 in Spanish, S4-  
 6; 11/9 1950-2000 Music 1953-1954, ID 1957 S4-5. (SB)  
 SS here 0440 11/28. Is YVMR still here and AM, QRND to  
 death. (PT) (See above-FV) Unid Latin heard many evenings  
 with fair sig at times. Is this TIHCJ as previously  
 listed? (AM) (Dunno-FV)
- 4VGM Port-au-Prince, Haiti, logged at 0115 on 12/25. (CMS)
- 1480 JORF Yokohama, Japan, good copy up to S-7 0400-0500 11/20 for  
 report. (PT) This is correct instead of JONF Miyazaki  
 as reported in 10/28 issue. (PT) In and out 12/19 from  
 0302-0400 earliest any TP ever heard here. (RHM)
- WMDD Fajardo, Puerto Rico, moved ~~from~~ here fm 1490 Kes. Or  
 has CP to move. (FCC) 5 Kw. power.
- XENS Navojoa, Sonora, 1 Kw., but operating provisionally with  
 500 watts DAYTIME. (FCC)
- XEDY Cuervos, B. Cfa., 100(.5) previously reported as 1490 Ke.  
 250 watts unlim. (FCC)
- ZYB20 "Radio Rio Mar", Manaus, Brazil operates 0430-2300 and  
 verifies by letter. (WRH)
- VOUS Argentinia, Newfoundland, s/on about 0330 good thru WISM  
 any morning. (AR)
- 1490 WMDD Fajardo, Puerto Rico, holds CP to move to 1480 Kes. with  
 5 Kw. unlim power. (FCC)
- XEED Ameca, Jalisco, increase power to 250(1). (FCC)
- 1500 XERH Mexico City, frequently strong behind WTOP in mid-evening.  
 Also at 2130 on 11/20 a French speaking station was heard  
 behind XERH and the Marseillaise was played. About 1500.5  
 and probably Martinique. (BD)  
 SS noted here early AMs through KXRX/KSTP. Is this XERH?  
 (LDS) (Probably-FV)
- XEJV Ensenada, B. Cfa., I seriously doubt the existence of this  
 station as I'm only 90 miles from the QTH and have never  
 heard. Has anyone ever heard them? (LDS)
- 1502 Krakow, Poland, 11/19 0048-0126 S3-5, in Polish, 11/18  
 0002-0005 S 2-3. (SB)
- 1510 WMEX Boston, faint signal. 11/25 and 12/3. (RP)  
 2NAO New Castle, N. S. W., excellent 12/11 heard even under  
 carrier of WLAC. (DER) (LDS)
- 1520 SS noted here from 8 until at least 9 under KOMA. Who?
- 1521 CM-- "Radio Rebelde", 11/9 1943-1952, ID 1945 S3-5. (SB)
- 1524 Oriental here 0645 11/27, unreadable due QRM. (PT)

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- 1530 XESD Silao, Guanajuato, new station 1 Kw., DAYtime. (FCC)  
HJ-- probably Bogota, Colombia, S 5-6 at 0442. Bogota was mentioned often and several slogans given. (DBM)
- 1532 CM-- "Radio Cubana", 11/9 2000-2030; WCKY S-2, ID 2000 came in at sports. (SB)
- 1533 HJOL Bogota, Colombia, "La Voz de la Solena", was AN 12/25 and easy with WCKY (1530) AN off. (ERC)  
.... Very weak LA in Spanish on 12/19 at 2100, mostly covered by WCKY. (AM) (Probably HJOL-FV)
- 1538 .... Ravensburg, West Germany, 11/19 0120-0138, German talks and music S 1-4. (SB) / (CMS)
- .... Radiodifusion Senegalese, Dakar, logged at 1715 on 12/15.
- 1540 ZNS Bahamas, finally made it here at 0559 on 11/20 with S-9 Plus. Expected British accent but early morning show run by a very American fellow Disc Jockey. Report out. (HJW)
- 1550 WKFE Yauco, Puerto Rico, verie letter in for AN show 12/10 music leading up to a 0500 political rally they said. (ERC)
- XENU Nuevo Laredo, Tams., nice letter verie in English from Miguel Villarreal, Pres. for report of ET on 11/29. Power is now 5 Kw. days from 1 Kw days and daily sked is 0800-2100. Adds Apto 200, Nuevo Laredo. Heard quite often here at sunset with strong signal on RS. (FHN) / (LDS)
- XEBG Tijuana, B. Cfa., T/s is 0900 to 0400 s/off all Spanish.
- 1551 .... Latin in Spanish heard many evenings causing bad hot on freq. Is this Cuban? (AM)
- 1554 RTF Nice, France, 11/18 0045-0125 S1-5, in French some music; 11/19 0000-0130 French talks and music, ID 0122 as "Ici Nice, RTF", S 1-9 Plus. (SB) In with best signal yet on 11/19 at 0120. (BD) Hrd nightly extremely strong at times. (DER)
- 1555 .... Latin in Spanish heard for about 5 mins at 2110-2115 on 12/19 very weak and this only time heard. (AM)
- 1560 WRSJ Bayamon, Puerto Rico, s/off 12/25 at 0200. S/off first in English then Spanish, but did not give power. Fair sig. (JF) Increase in power to 250(5) CP. (FCC) Heard 11/24 testing new 5 Kw transmitter 0110-0130 KPMC QRM. Slogan is "Radio San Juan". (AB)(BD) Verie letter air mail in 5 days signed by Clement L. Littauer, Vice Pres. adds P. O. Box 5627, San Juan. (BD) Noted chopping WQXR at s/off around 0106, when WQXR s/off and then very strong. Verie in here also. (AR)
- 2RE Tarce, N. S. W., fair on 12/11 0500-0530. (DER) Weak but in clear 0500 12/1, if on night power only 500 watts. (RHM)
- XERX Salamanca, Gto, on 12/12 with apparently a special program ("Lady of Guadalupe") logged 0458-0600 s/on of WQXR, very frequent IDs. (RHM)
- ZYK30 On 12/3 at 0130 GMT weak signal, first time here. (RP)
- 1562 .... Radio Veronica pop music commercials in Dutch seem to s/off at 1900 GMT. (RP)
- 1570 XEGE Mexicali, B. Cfa., ~~EXX~~ is off this freq. now on 1150, heard beneath KRKD. (LDS)
- 1571 CSB81 Santa Maria, Azores, with S-5 to 6 signals through heavy QRM from 1733-2001 s/off on 12/2. (HH) Logged at 2000 on 12/13 and again at 1810 on 12/21, very poor reception on both occasions. (CMS)
- 1578 CSB5 Porto, Portugal, 11/11 1719 usually good, S-4. (SB) At 1830-1900 on 12/13, 12/17, 12/18, and 12/19, excellent signal. (AM)
- 1580 XEDM Hermosillo, Son., R/s is 0515-0230 or 0245 s/off, Verie with picture postcard Very strong always heard. (LDS)

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- 1580 FEN Misawa, Japan, 1580 QSL card positively verifying as Misawa; 250 watts, and my best Asian verie. (RHM) ID at 0400 on 11/25. (RHM)
- 1586 NWDR Oldenburg, West Germany, 11/19 0012-0124 S 3-6, German talks by a man. (SB) In almost every night. (DER) Good at 2342 on 12/16, heard all evening on 12/19. (AM)
- 1590 XEST Sn Miguel Allende, Guanajuato, new station with 1 KW., Daytime. (FCC)
- XETE Ciudad Madero, Tams., 1000 Day, but operating provisionally with 200 watts DAY. (FCC)
- XEMC Mexico City, D. F., heard every AM after Californians s/off at 0300. (LDS)
- 1580 2WN Wollongong, N.S.W., weak 0400-0500 11/30 between ET periods of KHUM. (RHM)
- 1600 XEAE Acuna, Mexico, verie received for 11/5 report, Box 360, Del Rio, Texas, signed by Lloyd "Slim" Richardson and Pecos Bill Lawson which should give you some idea of what they are programming. (PT)
- XEMI Minatitlan, Veracruz, delete assignment, now on 1080. (FCC)
- 1602 .... Nurnburg, West Germany, 11/18 2322-2340, S 2-6, in German. 11/19 0000-0054 in German S2-4. (SB)

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- DBM-Dave McCurdy, R. F. D. #2, Wyoming, Illinois.
- WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.
- SB-Sam Barto, 3 Glenwood Avenue, Naugatuck, Connecticut.
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Hallelujah, we made it. Took doubt the allotted space, but Ray promised I could try to catch up, so I tried it this week. I will try to stay even from now on, but the way you folks have been shooting the reports in, it may not be easy. To Rog Anderson, I haven't heard anything from you yet as to whether there is a contest going or not. There should be with all of the DX being reported. How about it? There is much other material at hand from other clubs and from your letters, but the main DX is most important, so I have felt that it was necessary to get as much of it in as possible. I will be trying to stick to 4 pages each week, but if time permits, I'll get in as much as possible. With the DX info all caught up this week, I may get a chance to get the other info in next week. World Radio Handbook lists at \$3.00, but I have no other info, nor do I know where to buy it. Have not yet received a copy from Denmark, myself. So that is it for this week. 73.

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Send All "TIPS" To Ev Johnson 504-16th St. Mendota, Ill. (In E.S.T.:

Freq.	Call.	" REMARKS "
540	WDXN	Clarksville, Tenn. had F/C TT.- 3rd Thurs.- 2:13-2:24-Kraul
570	WKBN	Youngstown O. S/off 1:03 Daily- Bowab.Ala.:
600	KCLS	Flagstaff Ariz.- S/off 03:00- McCurdy-Ill.:
610	WGIR	Manchester N.H. S/off 5:30 P.M. A.Rugg.-Que
730	KRZY	Grand Prairie, Tex. had F/C TT 00:25-00:50_ 12/26- Ev.
740	KSSS	Col. Sprs.- Col.- S/off 02:03- EV:K Triple S.
750	WBMD	Baltimore Md.- S/off 5:30 P.M. SUN.- Pillsbury N.Y.
840	WHAS	Louisville Ky - S/off 00:10-(Wheeler Pa.
850	WRUF	Gainesville Fla. S/on Wk Dys.- 5:28- Ev.
860	WAMI	Opp Ala. S/on Wk Dys.- 06:00 ev
860	WDMG	Douglas Ga S/on Wk Dys 5:30 Ev.
860	WSBS	Great Barrington Mass.- in Clear in Ill.6:30-6:55- Kraul
920	WMMN	Fairmont W.Va.- S/off 00:00 F Wheeler-Pa.
920	KAHU	Waipahu, Hawaii- S/off 4:03 McCurdy-Ill.
1070	WKOW	Madison Wisc S/on 06:00 Pillsbury N.Y.
1070	CBA	Sackville N.B S/off 23:00 (A .Rugg-Que.
1150	WHUN	Huntington Pa. - S/on 05:00 Kraul-Ill.
1230	WCMA	Corinth Miss. S/on 5:55- Bowab-Ala.
1240	WLAG	La Grange Ga.- S/on 4:59- Bowab-Ala.
1250	WFAG	Farmville N.C F/C Ist Tues Starting Midnight- S/on 5-Morss.
1250	WDVA	Danville Va.- S/on Wk Dys.- 04:25- S/off 00:30 Ev.
1270	WHL	Niagara Falls, N.Y had F/C TT- 12/30- 1:45-2- Ev
1270	WRJC	Mauston Wisc Now on ET's 12/30- Ev.
1320	WENN	Birmingham Ala. S/on 5:00- F.Nittler-Col:
1330	WILT	Dublin Ga.- P/M 4th Fri.- 1:00-1:10- Wheeler- pa.
1340	WOKE	Charleston S.C. S/on 4:55- Bowab-Ala.
1360	KRYS	Corpus Christi Tex. S/off 02:00 Kraul-Ill.
1380	KJET	Beaumont Tex had F/C TT- 12/31- 1-1:10- Ev.
1390	WFBL	Syracuse N.Y.- S/off 00:05- Pillsbury N.Y.
1390	WCSC	Charleston S.C S/on 05:30- Ev
1440	WGEM	Quincy Ill.- S/off 1:10- Kraul-Ill.
1410	WMYR	Ft Myer Fla.- S/on 5:30- Kraul-Ill.
1420	WGAS	S.Gastonia N.C.- S/on 04:32- Bowab-Ala.
1440	KEYS	Corpus Christi Tex.- S/off 02:00- Kraul-Ill.
1480	KAUS	Austin Minn. - S/on 06:00- S/off 1:05- Ev.
1490	WAJF	Decatur Ala. says A.N.- Ev.
1550	KKHI	San Francisco- Cal. #Radio San Francisco" S/off MON at 4.
1550	WAAY	Huntsville Ala. S/on 05:58- Ev
1560	WRSJ	Bayamon P.R. S/off 1:05- Pillsbury-N.Y.
1570	CFRY	Portage La Prairie Man.- S/off 1:13- Bowab-Ala.
1570	CHUB	Naniamo B.C S/off 03:05- Bowab-Ala.
1580	WCGM	Columbia Mo. S/off 6:15 P.M. Ev.
1580	CBJ	Chicoutimi, Que S/off 01:00 -v.
1590	WRGM	Richmond Va. X-WEZL- S/on 5:30 best SUN(Morss.Mass.
1590	WLBK	Lebanon Ky S/on 05:30- Ev
1600	WHBT	Harriman Tenn.- S/on 05:32- Ev Wk Dys.-

That seems to be it for this time, Lets have them. DX season not over yet fellows. Best DX. 73's Ev.

Many members have asked the question "How many Members in the A good way to find out is to send a SELF-ADDRESSED - STAMPED ENVELOPE direct to Maurice Nittler - 1755 So. Vallejo Denver 23 Colorado and ask for a membership address list. This is restricted only to NRC Members. Then by checking renewals and New Members as listed infuture DX News, an up to date list can be maintained. Do not delay as this is last call.

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NATIONAL RADIO CLUB - To those attending NRC 1961 Amarillo Convention.

This sheet is being sent to only those NRC Members that were in attendance at our annual Convention, at Amarillo, Texas/ The subject as you all know was the activities of a certain member.

Before I actually carried out what I had stated during that business meeting I wrote the member who was discussed and the following is his reply.

Dear Ray;

I'd like to join the NRC again just as soon as I get some money I agree with your letter on many points but I would like to know what daytime stations that I've heard at night. Actually I've heard about 55 countries on the BCB and I'm not fooling when I say that. Although I've only been on the BCB for 3 years and heard (definitely) around 2100 stations I don't think that it makes a one bit of difference how many stations you've heard corresponding to the time which you've been DX-ing.

My reports have been changed to very definite information in long written form. When I first started DX-ing I didn't belong to any club and I thought that all you had to hear was an ID to have heard a station. I guess thats changed-Hi.

At the present I cannot include return postage because I have over 6,000 other stations heard than on BC. Some 115 countries and 560 stations have been veried on the SW bands. I'm getting a job pretty soon and then R.P. will be enclosed.

Mr. Roys really got me mad when he said that TIHB ~~wasnt~~ wasnt on 694, then Ernie, in the next issue, logged them on 694 kcs.

I hope to go to Indianapolis in 62 if anyone from this area goes. I know that a lot of people don't believe the DX in F.V's column but as I said there welcome to come for the weekend and hear 'em. I don't believe in H.W's "Supremecy Ratings". This may be alright for some members but I believe that it leads to a sort of destructive competition in the minds of some members. If I were to join it, I would place somewhere around place 17.

Last week I received a nomination for V.P. of the NNRC from the Secretary. Sure hope that I make it.

(Signed) Sam Barto.

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Being all you know what had been shown me at the convention etc and the above reply to my letter informing Barto what had been seen and what had been intended to be done. I as your Exec Sec have no other alternative that to accept Barto's renewal, which has been done. To me his explanation is satisfactory and I am sure that a lot of us have had to learn the procedure of DXing as Barto states above. The fact that he did not use NRC stationery for his reports, the club has no jurisdiction in that matter. He did order 100 Rpt Fms and 500 Sp Rpt Fms in Jan 1961 but most certainly they did not last long at the rate he was reporting stations. He has ordered none since. While on the subject of such reports I seen of Barto's, if we are truthful with ourselves, which is the worst? Sending a skimpy report to a station definitely identified or sending a full report to a station that its call or location was not definitely identified, such as Tentatives)

Now in so far as your Exec Sec is concerned the above matter is closed with this addition. As we all know Barto has had published in the pages of DX News an invitation to anyone to visit his place any weekend for a session of DX. To date I know of no one accepting this offer, so as it stands I feel that all of us have been offered a chance to prove him wrong but none of us have accepted, thus we have no reason to state that he hasnt heard what he has claimed. Again let me state that this sheet is being mailed only to those attending the convention and is not being sent to Barto. Ray B Edge - Exec Sec - NRC.