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SPECIALS

		kc/s		Watts	A.M., E.S.T.
Mon. March 30	H I B Z*	1340	San Juan de la Maguana, Dominican Republic	1,000	3:30 - 4:00 NRC-SS
Sun. April 12	C F S E*	1425	Senneterre, Quebec	50	1:00 - 3:00 NRC &
Sat. April 18	K W F T	620	Wichita Falls, Tex.	5,000	3:00 - 5:00
Mon. April 20	W C W C	1600	Ripon, Wisconsin	5,000	3:00 - 4:30 test

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

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CALL CHANGES

910	K L S I	Salina, Kansas from KQTY	1510	W A U K	Waukesha, Wis., fr. WAUX
980	W A O P	Otsego, Michigan, fr WDMC	1520	W S L T	Ocean City/Somers Pt. WYKP
1300	W H Z N	Hazleton, Penna. fr. WTHT	1570	W A I A	College Park, Ga. fr. WEAD

FACILITIES

810	W K V M	San Juan, Puerto Rico, 25,000 U-3. Move XR XW.
1190	W A N N	Annapolis, Maryland, 10,000 D-3. Changes in pattern.
1230	K C O N	Corway, Arkansas, 250 U-1. Move XR SW.
1240	K O A D	Lemoore, California, 250 U-1. Incorrectly listed previously as 1230.
1310	K F L A	Scott City, Kansas, 500 D-1. Increase antenna height.
1400	K Y O P	Plainview, Texas, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1.
1490	K B R O	Bremerton, Washington, 1,000/250 U-1. Move XR SW.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

540	W Y L O	Jackson, Wisconsin	NRC	1440	K E T X	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC
690	W A P E	Now 50,000/10,000 U-2	NRC	1480	C B Z	Frederickton, N.B.	NRC
860	W A Y E	Now new loc. & 1,000D3	FCC	1510	W J R C	Joliet, Illinois	NRC
1400	W V O Z	Carolina, Puerto Rico	FCC	1520	W D G L	Douglasville, Ga.	NRC
				1500	W N D Y	Indianapolis, Ind.	FCC

"AN" SITUATION

<u>OFFS</u>	750	W S M	SMs @ 3; all AM MMs.	<u>ONS</u>	550	W G R	Is now on SMs, off Tues.
	1600	W K W F			1410	W I N G	Is AN SMs, off MMs.

D X NEWS
V E R I E S I G N E R S

590	W V L K	Paul Dunbar, CE	G	1410	W S N E	Joseph Wheeler	B
600	K SqJ B	Harvey G. Van Erem, CE	C	1430	W EqN O	Andy Jones, E	C
	W TqA C	Robert Garner, CE	C	1440	W N P V	Leroy Nuss	B
	W S J S	C. Leon Lasley, M, R.Eng'gD	D	1450	W F T R	Ronbert Pearson	B
620	K S T R	Charles Price	B	1470	W B I G	James D. Nichols, CE	E
	W VqM T	Burtis Dean, CE	G	1480	W Y Z E	R. L. Leake, CE	D
930	W M G R	E. S. Page, CE	G	1490	C K A D	W. A. Schofield, CE	A
980	W A O P	Martin A. Cheever, CE	F		W O P A	Sidney Schneider	B
1090	K AqA Y	Felix McDonald, CE	D	1510	W L U V	Angelo J. Salvi, O, GM	H
1110	K FqA B	(unsigned v/q)	D	1550	W P X Y	Richard Winslow, GM	C
1170	K S T T	Fred Wood	B	1560	W G L B	Frank A. Stelloch, CE	AG
1220	W BfC H	John Meder, CE	G		K RpC B	E. Mitchell Shulman	G
1230	K R S Y	Jay King	G	1570	W E E R	James Thoroman	B
1300	W J D A	James D. Asher, Treas.	A		C F O R	Hordon E. Smith, P	E
1310	W I F E	Jerry Weist, CE	G	1580	W SpK T	Harry Morgan, O	G
1340	W KmS N	Burton O. Waterman, CE	I	1600	W L N G	E. E. Eichhorn, SE	G
1380	K G M S	K. Taylor	B		A - K. Murphy	E - W. Woodfield	
	W T O B	G. Ray Volger, CE	C		B - K. Butterfield	F - H. Tyndall	
1390	W IeS A	Ronald T. Cushing, CE	D		C - W. Snyder	G - E. Johnson	
					D - R. Johannes	H - G. Collins	
						I - E. Cdeper	

C O N G R A T U L A T I O N S

To Mr. and Mrs. John Sampson, of Freehold, New Jersey, on the birth of a daughter two weeks ago. The Sampsons now have two girls. Congratulations, John!

D A T E S O F P R E S I D E N T I A L P R I M A R I E S

California	June 2	Massachusetts	April 28	Pennsylvania	April 28
Florida	May 26	Nebraska	May 12	South Dakota	June 2
Illinois	Apr. 14	New Jersey	April 21	West Virginia	May 12
Indiana	May 5	Ohio	May 5	Wisconsin	April 7
Maryland	May 19	Oregon	May 15	Dist. of Columbia	May 5
<u>PRIMARY DATES IN OTHER STATES (not PRESIDENTIAL)</u>					
Alabama	May 5	Kansas	Aug. 4	New Hampshire	Sept. 8
Alaska	Aug. 11	Kentucky	May 26	New Mexico	May 12
Arizona	Sept. 8	Louisiana	July 25	New York	Not set yet
Colorado	Sept. 8	Maine	June 15	North Carolina	May 30
Connecticut	Not set	Massachusetts	Sept. 15	North Dakota	June 30
Delaware	no primary	Michigan	Aug. 4	Oklahoma	May 5
Florida	May 5	Minnesota	Sept. 8	Rhode Island	Sept. 15
Georgia	Sept. 9	Mississippi	June 2	South Carolina	June 9
Hawaii	Oct. 3	Missoufi	Aug. 4	South Dakota	June 2
Idaho	Aug. 4	Montana	June 2	Tennessee	Aug. 6
Iowa	June 1	Nevada	Sept. 1	Texas	May 2
				Utah	Aug. 11
				Vermont	Sept. 8
				Virginia	July 14
				Washington	Sept. 15
				Wisconsin	Sept. 8
				Wyoming	Aug. 18

O N T H E S T A T I O N ' S S T A T I O N E R Y

Dear Mr. Tyndall:
 "Radio Station WDMC has been sold to Allegan County Broadcasters with the new call letters WAOP--same frequency. In going through papers we found your letter and no note of an answer. I was not the engineer at that time but have checked and found that we did have an equipment test on ----, 1961. We were pleased and surprised that you were able to pick it up at that time through a break in the Montreal station. Thank you for writing us." (signed) Martin A. Cheever, Chief Engineer, WAOP.

Ralph Johannes tells us his letter from KNBR-680, San Francisco, became this from KNBC on 11/11/62. Sked is 8:30-4:00 weekdays, 8:45-4:00 Saturdays; 10:00-4:00 Sundays, noAN!

Carl Dabelstein - 12524 C Street - Omaha, Nebraska - 68144

While lamenting over Creighton University of Omaha's poor showing in the N.C.A.A. District Tournament in Wichita, I thought I would write a musing. Creighton was shot down by Wichita 63-52. They ended with a 22-7 season record but against such teams as Arizona State, Utah State, U.S.L.A. and N.Y.U., that isn't half bad. Latest veries are: KGO KRSI WSHN YNOL KHVH WAOK WGY WGNU WFRB KCRG KLEE KCNI KNCK KSTN KFDI KNUJ KOGT. Total is now 581. I notice that some members are getting veries from stations that won't verify for me. Can someone supply me information on getting a verie from: TGJ KDIO Belize KWOW KLEO KWBB HJBI YSS KSDN? Any help will be appreciated. So much for DX. In addition to the NRC, I have been in the ARRL and AIPA (a TV DX Club). I still think the NRC is the best. I would like to thank Ernie, Ray, Pete and Ev for their diligent work in the Club affairs. To steal a popular line from a TV commercial, "Us NRC Members would rather fight than switch!" As Cassius Clay says, "We are the Greatest." So 73s guys, and swing loose.

Roger Winsor - 3306 South Clinton Avenue - Berwyn, Illinois - 60403

Dis Place Has Been Hoppin'! Veries, stations, the works, have been coming in like wildfire for once. The WVOB TEST was in pretty good, but there was a lot of noise in the air. Copied them from 3:56 to 4:29 s/off. Also, another bit of news is the new WYLO-540 is on ETs 9:00-7:00 off and on for about two weeks and then will be on RS about 15 days later or about 4/15. More as that comes up. He will be a verifier and wants everybody to write. Of course, they protect KWMT, but will be beamed to the Chicago area. At last, a new station that I can hear decently. Veries this last week: KGMR with CM, WLUV also with exaggerated CM, WBOL, WPUV-QSL-CM KPOW for my first Wyoming, WKIC-CM, KSYX WXTN WCOJ KFVS. New stations: KBRX WTOT WHAB with "Dixie" repeatedly, WVIC WVOB KWYO for third Wyoming, KBRI WMOZ WHUB WEMB. Almost all are off f/c list. This third Tuesday was a morning like I've never seen for r/cs. I have logged most of them, but I'm going to write for veries now. Paul Bartoz called up and we had a chat. Mentioned he hasn't been receiving DX NEWS recently, also the 15th issue. I'm back to normal now. Sure is good to see CHEC with a test. Haven't heard them in five years or so - maybe four, now that I think. WCWC got OK to go 5,000 U-4 recently. KVNI, Coeur d'Alene got 1,000/250 on 1240 too. WYLO just came on at 9:30 real great. Letters off to KBRX WTOT WDMG WHAB WDXN WVOB KWYO WDUZ WFOL WRIN WLDS WOAP WLUV WKRS. I'm starting to write to the Illinois stations that are away from the Chicago area, but on RS daytime here. Good response so far; five for five. 3/17- WDXN had TT noted 2:20-2:23 and then off after phonetic ID. All others as per list. 3/13- WOAP KHMO WLDS all noted 9:00-9:15 with the sun well up and the big boys out of the way; WRIN finally on RS the same day. WFOL log finally taken on 6:45am s/on, and WDUZ RS also on 3/14. KWYO test in strong with WYNR off at midnight here, possible new s/off time. As they say in Jackson, Wis., "WYLO." "Will You Listen Often?"

Ev Johnson - 504 16 Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX very slow here. In February and March, only ten stations heard that were needed/ in my verified collection. Veries also slow with 20 reports out since 11/1/63 not verified. On 3/6 I heard WRAP-850 on AN and MM 3/13, WVOB-TEST was heard. Veries since 3/1 are from KRCB-1560 WING-1600 KRSY-1230 WBNE-DX of January '63, two cards in two days. WARO-DX WGLB-1560 and WSKT-1580 for 1/63 report. All my DX is put in DXDD so no use filling space here. DX will soon slow down here until I get a new RX next summer. This S-40-B is about done for. I have had it since 10/52 and it has done a tremendous job. Wish you all the very best in DX the rest of the season, and 73s. Mr. Jay King of KRSY-1230, Roswell, N.M. would like to know of anyone who plays Chess by mail. So if any one of you members knows of someone who does, please send me his address or write to Jay King of Radio Station KRSY, Roswell, N.M. Thanks.

Russell R. Barr III - G6062 Detroit Street - Mount Morris, Michigan - 48458

Well, here goes. I just joined this week & I'll try to set up a regular Musing habit. I started DXing when I heard WBAP-820 by accident (1/63) & here I am. My equipment is nil: an AC/DC five tube and an eight transistor portable (since 12/63). Some old veries: WBAP-820 WBZ-1030 KMOX-1120 WOAI-1200 WHO-1040 WFBC-1330 KOA-850 KNCO-1050 KFI-640 KVOO-1170 KCIJ-980 (they sent a 45rpm record) XEG-1050. Recent veries: CBK-540 WIEW-580 CBW-990 XEWA-540 CKWW-580 (pre-programming test, Windsor). Log totals 191 stations 96/63 veries, 32/28 states, 4/4 provinces, 3/2 Mexican. New call, WXOX, formerly WWBC on 1250, Bay City, Mich. I guess the FCC is right sometimes, huh. Do XERF & KOMA verify? (Welcome the the NRC, Russell, and we hope that your new habit sticks, hi! -ERC)

Bill Woodfield - 7318 Yorktown Drive - Norfolk, Virginia - 23505

K has really picked up here for March. In fact, I have more new stations logged in the first two weeks of March than I had for the entire month of February. March DX: /4- WCPC-940 5:45-6:00pm s/off. 3/9- WCOV-1170 u/WWVA at 6:25pm, WADO-1280 8:38pm. 3/10- CMCA-730 in with EE from 6:30-7pm. I also noted CMCA @ 6am in EE on 3/16. The WNJH-TEST-1580 heard fairly well, 3/13, @ 12:01am. 3/15- WQAM-560 at 2:48am, WEMP-1250 Milwaukee at 3:55 for state #31 heard. WCIN-1480 @ 4:33; WMEX-1510 for brief log from 4:58-5:02am. KSTP-1500 5:05am, WVLK-590 5:30. WCLS-1580 @ 5:51am. That was my best SM DX this season with nine stations logged. 3/16-MM DX: WVOB-TEST-1520 boomed in very well for its mighty 250 watts at 4:06-4:30am. DX NEWS listed them from 4:00-4:30 but announcement stated they were on 45 minutes, starting at 3:45am. Also 3/16, WYZE-1480 at 4:31am; WQOK-1440 at 4:58 for 32nd state heard. Also HJED-820 Cali, Colombia, 5:20-5:45am for first South American, finally! Veries in: v/1- WBIG WGH WPLO WDDY KCMO v/c- ~~WPOP WLW WJBO KGBS CHML WDAK~~ WPOP WLW WJBO KGBS CHML WDAK. This brings verie total to 149/99. Veries were coming in very well until total hit 99 - now the drought has lasted 14 days and 14 nights! States now 3/29. 73s and best of DX.

Walt Snyder - 710 Stewart Avenue - Apt. 1 - Cornell University - Ithaca, New York 14850

Greetings once again. Another night of sleep was lost SM 3/15, in favor of DX. WHOK-1320 in at 4am, WKAT-1360 at 4:30, battling out on top of WKMI, then WTOB-1380. WIL-1430 at 4:50 S-5 u/heavy QRM, KELI-1430, Oklahoma, surprise at 4:55 also S-5 heavy QRM. WWOD-1390 s/on 5am, WCLS-1580 in the clear, WQOK s/on 6am, fished out at 1280. Finally WIBW-580 Kansas in clear at 6:15 (no more CKEY) and WPXY-1550 at 6:30am u/CBE cl mx. WX Cloudy, rain, 35-40°. Notes: WGR-550 is ON SMs, WSB off SMs (3am) WING on SM (all contrary to condition of Frequencies list). WHOK noted on at 4:10am. 5:00 am s/ons: WRDW (exactly) & WWOD. 6:00- WPXY; 6:30 WNJH, 6:43 WTOD, 6:57, WFBL. Forty-six out of last 58 reports in (at least two months standing). States 41/50, provinces 8/9. Veries just in: WEMP-1250 KSJB-600 and including CMs. WPXY-1550 and WTOB-1380. Things look fine now, mail all cleared up, and NRC still seems to be in good shape. 73s.

Matthew Geller - 61 Silver Spring Road - Short Hills, New Jersey - 07076

DXing quite successful throughout February and March. 2/24 brought many new ones. KMOR-1510 @ 1:30, KFDA on ET @ 1:41, KXLF-1370 @ 1:47, and to top it off, KVOR-1300 @ 1:48. KVOR, KFDA verified. Next came KENO-1460, KBOM-1270, and WBNB-1000-DX. WIVV-1370 s/on noted at 4:28. 4:53, WIMA-1150 s/on, WHIO-1290, WBCM-1440 @ 5:03. 3/4 was most fantastic DX night ever. I got suspicious when WLBHpl170 in Mattoon, Ill. 250w., was killing semi-local WWVA @ 6:03pm. Verified; farthest in at least 2 1/2 years. I also heard WCPC-940, WLDS-1180, WLPO-1220 WSAQ-1550 @ 6:55. WCPC heard recently. I called WCPC collect, and taped five minutes of DX talk for them, plugging NRC. They played it back. Ray, how many thousand Mississippians have just joined NRC? Also heard KLPW-1220 @ 7:07pm. Verie says mine is farthest report in ten years! Also WCBL-1290 @ 7:01. KADL-1270 @ 7:08 with Pine Bluff WX, and KCTA-1580 s/off @ 7:15. 3/9 brought KGA-1510 for first Washington @ 2:58am. 3/12- Brought KCHA-1580 s/off @ 7:15 73s and Long Live the NRC!

Ken Murphy - 60 Plymouth Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut

Have added nine stations to my heard log since last report and am now only two away from my target for this season of 1,450. Would like to start off next fall with 1,500 but it will probably be closer to 1,475. Logged the new CBZ-1480 twice this past week. 3/21 - Heard tone on 1470 so stayed with it and took log on WMBD at the same time. Unn. WBIG testing so will send report as I still need their verie. Then found out the tone was from WRBD (ex-WPOM) so copied three stations for reports at the same time. Other new calls entered were WKIC-1390 KXLW-1320-test WMLP-1380 WSEM-1500 WVOB-1520-TEST WFIG-1290 WHAB-1260. Receive fine two page letter verie from CKAD-1490 with studios in Middleton and XR in Wilmot Station, N.S. They are one of the three stations in the Evangeline Network, the only private network in Canada. They also enclosed road map, brochures and beautiful full color brochure of Nova Scotia. Very nice indeed. Nice friendly verie from WJDA-1300 and WGLB-1560. Veries also from WKIC-1390 WOAI-1200 WNJH-1580 and WXYZ-1270. 73s.

Don Eggert - 1925 East Bowman - South Bend, Indiana - 46613

Things have been happening around the shack since last week. I got out the old bottle of reliable No-Doz, hi. 3/15- 1:33am, KWKY-1150 r/c per list; 3:48 WKLY-920; 4:55, WCIN-1480; 4:55 WYZE-1480 s/on, SSB. 4:59, WMEX-1510. 5:00, KSTP-1500 s/on 5:09. WKCW-1420. 5:30, KFEQ-680. 5:35, WAPO-1150 s/on. 5:45, WJAZ-960. 6:15, WVOP-970(P.5)

(Don Eggert) s/on with "America." 6:32pm, WMIX-940. 6:41, WTCW-920. 6:54, WEKZ-1260. 3/16- 1:07am, KOB-770 poor. 1:32, WDIA-1070. 3:00, KRAK-1440 s/ff (fourth Californian). Who is SS on 1140 at 3:00 s/off? 3:00, KING-1090. This is tentative, WTIC slopover heavy; report out. Sure hope they'verie. 6:43pm, WBOV-1230. 7:00 WVNA-1590. 3/17- 7:30pm, WAMO-860 with CJBC lull. 3/18- 6:03am, WKCT-930. 6:05, WLIV-920. 6:43, WHOW-1520. Total logged so far, 436. Verie percentage down to 62%; verified 29 out of 34 states. WLOU-1350 in Louisville proudly announces they are the nome of the "Heavy-weight Champion of the World" followed by a little tape of his prettyness, greatness, and so on. Last MM the AN session gave me the "flu" that day in school, hi. No veries this week, again. I've been in the NRC only two months and already I can clearly see the DX NEWS is the greatest! Had tentative HJEL in MM but WOWO OC interfered. That's ll this week from the home of the Fighting Irish of Notre Dame. 73.

Ben Dangerfield III - 202 Governors' Drive - Sproul Estates - Chester, Pa. - 19013

haven't a great deal to report this time, and confess my last report to a station was ver two weeks ago. And I have missed two Ms in a row! Thank goodness I'm feeling uch better, and to make the situation more attractive, I believe the next several ays could be part of a cycle of real good long distance reception. But going back a ew days, here's a little DX. 3/9- Noted WDXN-540 signing off with "Dixie" at 7pm, nd HJXJ on 755 kc/s. still drifting. I took a couple of good logs on the Senegal-764 owerhouse that week, but did not feel up to reporting. Since they are heard nightly ow, I can probably report any time, maybe today, 3/22. On 3/13 I found WNXT-1260 a- op their frequency at 10pm with flood bulletins. 3/17- KWMT-540 in quite strong at pm, followed by CBT at 7:15. Also noticed KOAM-860 almost equal to CJBC at 7:30pm. any TAs were heard on 3/19, mid-evening, but the only new one for me was Bucharest-854 ogged at 10pm. The following evening, 3/20, was a great night for reception from Spain, plus an unID on 998 kc/s. at 8:05pm. Ron Schiller heard it too, and thought maybe it was a German. I don't know. I logged Kishinev, U.S.S.R. there a couple of months ago, but later. Four veries have come in recently. WSAO-1550, letter on 3/12 for 3/5 report. Ljubljana-917, card and letter for 12/23 log. This is #3 from Yugo- slavia, and #100 from Europe. 2YC-660 for 2/10 log, a very welcome v/c, and #2 from New Zealand. Finally, YVLO-1370, letter re my ER report of 12/2, a very friendly letter from the owner.

Ken Butterfield - 624 Arthur - Plymouth, Michigan - 48170

Greetings everyone, especially to all CBers. To start off with, a CBer is short for Citizen Bander. That is, the business band radio on 11 meters. To all members await- ing letter from me, stand by. I'm behind due to, believe it or not, skool! Hi. Well, latest DX: 2/27- WNPV-1440, 12:15am. WSWW-1590, 1:15am, r/c. 2/29- WOPA-1490, 1:30am. WFIW-1390, 1:45am, r/c. 3/2- CHOW-1470, 12:45am RS. KFJZ-1270, 1am s/off, with WXYZ off early, and also heard a s/off too weak to copy u/KFJZ. 3/4- WSRW-1590, 6:45pm s/ off. 3/7- WCBA-1350, 2am ending a f/c. WBRN-1460, 2:20am, r/c. 3/16- WTPR-710, 4am r/c. WVOB 4:01am, TEST. WSIP-1490, 4:25am, r/c. WOKE-1340, 4:50am. Just before they started their f/c, there was a real weak f/c-TT under them. I couldn't get the total call, but it started with a K. Anyone got any ideas? WLOK-1480, 5am s/on. WLAP-630, 5:10am, RS. WHBT-1600, 5:30am s/on. 3/18- WAMY-1580, 6:56pm s/off. Latest veries are as such: v/q- KBOM WOR WARO-TEST. v/l- WBIG WBER KSTT WNPV WSNE WFTR KSTR and KGMS. On the KGMS verie, I have no record of logging them, but I sent a report to KGBS in Los Angeles on the same date as the KGMS verie is dared! But, KGMS isn't in Los Angeles. What the heck goes? Latest totals are 670/522, heard and verified re- spectively. Latest Domestic Contest totals are 187. May end up with a little luck, with a subscription next year, but there's still a lot of time left in the Contest. Look at Lodge vs. Goldwater in New Hampshire Primaries. Same thing could happen, hi. Well, I'm still waiting for these QSLs from the NRC's only Maine DEer. Where is you? Well, 73s for now, best of luck in DXing, and let's hope the good old NRC stays togeth- er. Right, Ernie? 73s.

Dallas John - Colorado

This will be my last musing for a long time to come because I have a very busy college sked & have just taken on additional work in the form of typing. Also I find it impos- sible to support a Club whose government has become so incompatible with my philosophy. My membership runs until March of next year because of the '63 Domestic Contest, & I believe I'll keep it in the event of the always possible metamorphosis. Better not pu my address on, Ernie. Someone might send me coercive or invitational material. You should extend your protection frcm new members to all those reporting to the Musings Section, or they might possibly suffer the same fate.

Joseph Fela Jr. - 167 Goodwin Avenue - Newark, New Jersey - 07112

Veries are v/l's from WQOK-1440 WTAG-580 WKIS-740 WTON-1440 WIVV-1370 KXLW-1320; v/qs from WARO-540 and WHAM-1180 and one from WKIC-1390 on their CM. Recent DX: 3/2- 3:05 am, KDBM-800 copied on f/c-M with some difficulty. Surprised to hear them at all. 3/5- 6:26pm, WEEP-1080 battling WTIC; 6:29 s/off WEEB-990; 6:42 KAAV-1090 o/u WBAL. 3/6- 6:15pm s/off's from WPTX-920, WHYL-960, and WCHA-800. 6:20, WBAM-740 S-9 and atop the channel; 6:30 WAPE-690 strong, then switch to nighttime operations and out like a light which left WVOK and someone signing off with SSB; who? 6:40 WCPC-940 strong. Still sounds like a small town station with many ads for small grocery stores, full minute ads at that. Why do they need 50kw. for this? 6/58 s/off, WAMY-1580; 6:59 s/off WOKJ-1590; 7:00 s/off WLIJ-1580. 3/7- 6:11pm, WKIS-740 atop the channel, 6:24, speech on 760 in EE against the British Colonial Officer in British Guiana. Very anti-British. Guess ZFY but don't see why they would allow something like this to on on the air. 3/8, SM- 1:10am, CBL-740 s/off saying they would return at 8am. NOT off AN the following Sunday. Silent period perhaps every other Sunday or something? 1:23, WUNO-1320 noted; 1:30 WJVA-1580 ET/OC-TT and saying PoP. 3/9- 12:20am, KOMA-1520 and SS even, who is the SS? 2/23, WKIC-1390 AN for flood NX; 3:01 KXLW-1320 test in OK; 3:23 KORL-650 again in but not good enough for a report; 3:40 WFEB-1260 ET/OC; 4:05 WYZE-1480 already on. 3/10- 6:15pm s/off, WSVS-800. 3/15- 4:18am, WKLO-1080 AN u/I guess, KRLD. 4:21, WHN-1050 off, CBCer there atop XEG/CHUM again. Can this be CJIC by any any chance? Help! 4:50, KAAV-1090 weak; 5:04 CKCY-920 strong; 5:06 KFH-1330 atop the channel saying next NX at 5 - I thought they were off on SMS. What gives? 6:30pm s/off's on 940, one saying 5,000 watts (must've been WNRG), the other saying 1,000 watts (unn WGRP?); 6:31 s/off WLSI-900. 3/16- WHOL-800 f/c-TT from 12:30-12:43am, all but buried by WKWF/KCRG and only 50 miles away at that; 1:00 KKOK-630 weak; 1:19 KIFG-1510 f/c-TT; 1:35 "Q" Radio atop of 1280, guess CHIQ NSP. now? 1:39, KXLF-1370 "Radio XL" 2:01 s/off with SSB u/KENO-1460, who? 2:05, KWYO-1410 on r/c-TT, very clear. 2:11, WSEM-1500 f/c. 3/19- 6:58pm, noted FF on 764 while local WABC-770 had NX. Guess this was the new one from Senegal. 7:00, CSB9-782 well above S-9. 3/21- 10pm, BHBS-834 well above S-9, close to local strength. Remember, your f/cs come here! A disturbing number of stations haven't replied to my report. What gives this year? 73s.

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Milestones: Veries now 6,275. Biggest news is a coon's age is an airmail verie from St. Lucia. Confirms receptions of 3/14/61 on 840 kc/s. and 3/18/62 on 830. This was like landing a tarpon on a trout rod, a long, tough fight. Wonder why so many in these islands are so coy? Now have St. Lucia and WIBS, a heavenly pair. Montserrat and Antigua, another fine couple. Add Martinique, Guadeloupe, ZNS2 and PJA10 and a feller can be quite proud of the little family. Hard to hear and hard to get in the landing net. Almost forgot WBNB-1000. They finally kicked in, over 13 months after that Special, maybe the new report on latest DX helped. Comments on the "splinter" action, to quote Bart Brown, continues to be of interest. Lengthy opinions on this subject would seem to be needless, after that fine Muse of Brother Brown's. Wonderfully expressed, and he missed litte. I wish I could claim parenthood for such a fine opinion. Hank Wilkinson added one more item I like. He noted that whey DX NEWSes don't arrive on time, "you are unhappy." Sure - because something real good is always missed. How about taking Ray Kraul's advice and send in a buck for additional postage and get your DX NEWSes on time? As Ray states, I can do likewise - my copy never misses on Monday AM. It's worth it, fellas! Probably no member has failed to have a minor gripe at some times or other - proves that nothing is perfect. I don't use tape, nor care for tentatives. Some of the abbreviations confuse me and I have always cast any SCs and CMs in the waste basket as I have no room for them. But I do not growl about it because we do not tolerate too rigid rules in our hobby. Thus, we persue it as we wish and we do not need any group of directors to tell us how. We want fresh DX material and our editors and publishers strive to give it to us. What more could anyone ask? May I go on record as stating that I am satisfied with the unselfish labors of Edge, Cooper, Taylor, Ev Johnson and all who contribute towards making the NRC the finest BCB Club in the world! 73. (Those are fine words, Hank - thanks so much! -ERC)

Stan Morss - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

Verie from CHLC-580, Hauterive, Que. for AN Christmas show on f/up. 3/14- TT-1410 2:05 to after 2:30, no ID. WBER-950 Moncks Corner, S.C. test, 2:58am, c/w mx u/WWJ. WRDW-1480 Augusta Ga. test, cyw, 3:20am. PM, WMBT-1530 Shenendoah, Pa. 5:20-5:35pm for(P.7)

(Stan Morss) a report, QRM by WTHM/WCKY. 3/15 WYRE-810 Annapolis, copied 6:05-6:15pm s/off, u/WGY and o/WCEC but both WGY and WCEC were running Pres. Johnson's interview, so easy copy. WCEC also s/off 6:15pm. 3/16- KCKW-1480 Jena, La. f/c-TT 1:53-2:05, some QRM, new for me. WSEM-1500 Donalsonville Ga. f/c 2:10 am. WNMP-1590 Evanston, Ill. test, 2:11. TT 1430, no ID, 2:15. "Radio Senegal" good on 764 to 2:20. WOKO-1460 Albany test, 3 $\frac{3}{4}$ 25am. WVOB-1520 Bel Air, Md. test 3:50am for a new one. CBC Show on 920 topping CJCH- who? A note for those having late bulletins. With first class mailing and DX NEWS is always here Monday. Keep up the good work!

Richard Gula - 56 Sears Street - Middletown, Connecticut - 06457

First veries in about three months have finally come through. New ones are v/c from AFN-872, WPRO-630, and v/l from CKLG-730. Now to DX: 3/7, PM- ZFY-760 came through but not enough for a report. 3/8 AM- WFLA-970 @ 2:12, WTOL-1230 @ 2:30, WAAM-1600 @ 2:35. 3/13, PM- WGBR-1150 6:05, KTOK-1000 @ 6:59 (Heard ABC NX - only ABC station on 1000). 3/14- St. Pierre, Miquelon-1375, @ 6:40pm. 3/15- Dakar, Senegal-764 @ 7pm s/off. 3/16 AM- WCBA-1270 @ 4:53, WIRE-1430 5:05, WHLL-1600 5:07. 3/17 AM- CBK-540 @ 1:28-1:44 logged and reported; CKDM-730 @ 1:45-2 logged and reported, KLO-1430 @ 2:11-2:28 logged and reported, WDMG-860 @ 3:10-3:15 logged and reported on f/c. 3/18- KELO-1320 @ 1:59-2:04 s/off logged and reported for first South Dakota station. WAKY-790 @ 2:25am, WUNO-1320 @ 2:34. 3/19 AM- WAFC-900 @ 1:11f/c, KPMC-1560 1:36, KGH-1470 @ 1:55 f/c, CFAM-1290 @ 2:09 s/off, WQIC-1390 @ 2:26 f/c. 3/20- WISR-630 @ 5:45am s/on. Will someone please tell me where WAAM is located? (Ann Arbor, Mich., ex-WHRV -ERC) Also, does anyone have KXLF verified? I sent them two reports, one with PP card, no answer as of yet. Same with KRDS-1190. If anyone has veried these two, please write and tell me so. Reports out this week to KLO CBK CKDM KELO WDMG Barbados-795. Are there any active SWLs in the NRC? I'm one - would like to correspond with one. Who always seems to have a carrier on 1600 at night? Recently, I've been receiving a station behind WCCO at night around 9:30-10pm. Anyone have anything on it? It's in EE I think, though not positive. Really gives WCCO a rough time here. (WNYC, Rich -ERC) My RX here is a Lafayette model HE-30, and antenna is a 100' longwire, running NE/SW. Anyone know of any North Dakota stations which can be heard around here? New England DXers, how about starting a Pen Pal Club - exchange letters, or anything else? Don't worry, Ernie - I'm not trying to secede from the NRC. Anyone interested, please write. 73s and good DX and all that baloney to all faithful NRCers.

Roy H. Millar - Box 91 - Marysville, Washington - 98270

Back again! At least I'm helping keep pages of DX NEWS full - guess that's what we all want to see! Due to some limitation in space in IDXD, and perhaps some confusing reporting on my part, I'd like to take the space and time to review the "TA" cycle of 3/2 which was experienced here. We had just come home (Sunday evening, 3/1)PST, and I was preparing to set up radios and recorders for MM DXing when I noted a real good signal (mx) on about 880 kc/s. WCBS should have been off by this time, about 1:50am EST, so I stayed right there, turning recorder on. Shortly I was amazed to hear WX report for British Isles, then local WX for Wales, followed by time signal and BBC NX. This was without question the finest TA signal ever logged here, and of course, the latest at night of any such. A quick run of the band shortly after 2am EST disclosed following: 1425 EE, presumably um Thile, AFRTS; 1457 EE, presumably BBC, but not loggable; 1466-FF, I am certain "Radio Monte Carlo" but I just couldn't bring it up to a loggable level; surely must have been broad daylight there. The following evening naturally saw me watching the band very closely, with first TA activity noted on 1196 shortly before 11pm, with um VOA-Munich ID @ 11pm. No other apparent TA was noted immediately, but about 11:30pm, mx was noted on 764 with real rough WJR QRM; seemed to be too early for Switzerland, so wondered if I had Iraq, but mx was not of Arabic nature. When voice was finally heard, 'twas EE - process of elimination seemed to indicate SABC/Pietermaritzburg, South Africa, as IT. Then, activity popped on a couple of splits a bit higher in the band; 1034 had a woman announcer, and 1025 some mx at a good level with man announcer. Both of these heard as late as midnight, both definitely EE - so, again pretty much by process of elimination, language, and accent I claim these as, respectively, SABC/Johannesburg on 1034, and SABC/East London on 1025, both South Africa! That rounded up what appears to have been the hottest 24 hour TA cycle I've experienced - a period I'm not likely to soon forget! Will bring you up to date on recent DX doings, veries, etc., next week. Mr. Editor, do you know of a WEEP on 790 kc/s.? Can't seem to locate such a call in my records. (No, Roy, WEEP is Pittsburgh on 1080 -ERC)

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Ralph M. Johanns - 11 East Chipewa Street - Buffalo, New York - 14203

A drizzly Saturday PM 3/21 and ET-M by new Windsor Voice, CKWW-580 saying 24 hours when completed (phooie). I sent 'em report and tol 'em to lay off MM. 3/21- 1440 @ 5:47, WHIS Bluefield, W.Va. and 5:48, WJLJ s/on. 3/20- 1140 @ 6am, SSE & KLPR, Oklahoma City nice, then KSOO RS @ 6:10-7:10am topping WRVA; WAVY-1350 again ET/M and WGKV-1490 AN; 100%, WGRV-1340, Greeneville, Tenn. @ 5:30. 3/19- WNKY-1480 ending f/c-TT @ 2:42; on 1300 was WFBR @ 4:12 and again 5:53-6:05 etc. RS topping WERE AN. 3/18- r/c-TT WSOY. 3/16- WSYD-1300 Mt. Airy, N.C. @ 5am s/on to 5:15; Special WVOB-1520 3:45-4:29 s/off nice and a thank-you card sent to WKBW for stand-by. Did you? 3/15, SM-VNLC-1510 RS 7:30 and CKOT 8:30am; a SS "Programa Nacional" on 840 5-5:30, who? 5:50, WPIK & then WACE Springfield, Mass. @ 6-6:15am. Received new NRC Membership Card by Ray Edge, the only man I've ever met doing so much work for such a selfish lot of NRCers. I'll chip in to get him an NRC Plaque made, to be presented at his retirement, NRC Convention Day. What say, boys - let's do it! V/l plain paper, WAAB-1440 fill-in; KFAB-1110 v/q, CM and a 1 1/2 line v/l (oh boy); v/q and sked, Radio Norveste-1390, Isabela, P.R.-00663; new 1,000/500U. V/l and v/q by Felix McDonald, CE, Box 231, Wrightsville, Ark. for KAAV, "Radio 1090", Little Rock. The three 500' towers catch it during electric storms and off air then, AN, with MMs off, KTHS call was changed 9/62. V/l, CM by KXLW, St. Louis 17, Mo. I got an OK LA Station List. In my 3/21 Musings, line 4, correct is: CM, program and 5x9 v/q by WAVY-1350, Portsmouth, Va. and other 1350 is WLLY, and for KNBR, old call, KNBC. Dick Russell: TGGH, Trackmen Go Goofy Here, as they say in Ecuador. That's WYSL, "Why You Should Listen", as they say in Buffalo; TGDV. To Good DX from YNRC - Your NRC, said Guatemala to Nicaragua. (Hope that's the end of those "call sayings". Happy Easter, all.

Glen Kippel - 4370 Calle Ricardo - Palm Springs, California - 92262

Greetings from the other half of the SP-600 Owners' Club, hi. Not that I've had much time for DX lately. Finally received my 2/22 DX NEWS, and in the interests of Truth and Enlightenment may I point out that my comments in that issue were written before "that other club" was formed; as of this writing I have not seen their bulletin and so am in no position to judge the comparative merits of either club. Needless to say, the NRC is no longer a monopoly. Anyway, as DX NEWS is supposed to be a "DX only" publication, I resent paying for full page editorials which impugn the motives and integrity of not only myself but my friends and fellow DXers. Hope somebody can take a hint. DX: 3/12- KPOJ-1330 s/off 3:03; 3/14- LA on 822 s/off 2:03, maybe Costa Rica; 2:30-3:30 had a weakie on 1205, a TA? Oh, I just figured out my verie percentage - overall returns are 91%, and since modifying my report procedure two years ago, returns since that time have been 100%. Would like to hear from anybody who can tell me how to improve my verie percentage, hi. That's it - 73.

Roger Bowman - 3506 Midiron Drive - Winter Park, Florida

Well, this is my first report since I joined the NRC, so I hope it's all okay. My RX is a Knight R-100A, which is fed by a longwire 60' long, and up about 20'. I live next door to WABR-1440, and it is all over the dial during daylight hours. Some stations from the last few months: 1/13- WHAG-1410 4:36am. 1/20- WANS-1280 2:53am; WSUN-620 4:23. 2/10- Radio Barbados-795 5:00am. 3/16- WVOB-1520 3:58am. Not many veries in: ZNS WKBN WOAI KONO "Radio Belize" WHAG WPEO - WGTM. My activity has been limited due to a death in the family, but things are getting back to normal now, and I hope I can report more often. By the way, Radio Barbados-795 has a fine signal at s/on, 5:00 am until about 5:45. 73s and good DX to all. (Welcome to the NRC, Roger, and we too hope for regular contributions to "Musings" from you - ERC)

Andy Rugg - 16 Lake Breeze - Pointe Claire, Quebec

New veries are KQAQ-970, Sottens-764, AFN-Munich-1196 BFC-1295 and YVLO-1370, making the total 1,162. DX: 3/16 - Pretty positive CBAN-1140 AN 2:58am but will check with CBI before sending CBA a definite report (signal was much too weak to be CBI, who must have a MM silent period; you know if or of not, Ernie?) (I don't know, Andy- WNEW-1130 too broad for me to tell -ERC) UnnCJON-930 AN o/u WPAT 3:54; WVOB-1520 TEST 4:01; YVOZ-1200 s/on 4:29 or so; WMDD-1480 u/WYZE 4:51 and decimated by CFOX-1470 s/on 4:53 but still got a report off; Barbados-795 s/on 4:57 and RS through to 5:12 fadeout. I withing/CJAD TT OC or anything to bother 'em (790 splash varied in effect) giving me country #40 logged on BCB. Unn Senegal-764 noted once or twice @ SSS; they verified a SWBC report in 1960 and hope the BCB service is as rapid. With exams coming up (last half of April) I go into DX hibernation effective 3/23, once WDEL-1150-DX is logged.73.

John Daller - 19997 Ward Avenue - Detroit, Michigan - 48235

Hi, guys. My national survey plan is just about formulated but a ways from going into operational effect. As Paul Bartoz says "you'll be just about the best organizer the NRC ever had if you can swing the national organization for surveys - good luck, but I doubt it." Oh well, back to the drawing board, hi. Last Munday I talked with Lavoyd Kyney, Detroit and Michigan's newest NRCer (along with Bob Mallory) and he credits his membership to a generour gift by Bill Hutchinson of Baltimore, I believe, who also was kind enough to send his tapesponding buddy his year-old Broadcasting Yearbook to urge him on in this hobby of ours. Nice gift, eh? Lavoyd, who is deply SW-oriented, better do at least some ECB DXing to reciprocate, at least I hope so, hi. Hope he'll Muse soon. After no sleep last week for exams, I catch up on Saturday night, thencomes a no-sleep MM. After a couple of months of weekend DX, if that, a MM is realfine for yipping those totals, and seems worth it when 13 new ones are logged, hi. MM 3/23- WHOT-1330 1:12 (all AM) (This station had to have 13 towers to switch from 1570 just to go AN, I believe), WLDY-1340 r/c 1:44-1:59, WAIR-1340 N.C. Scramble Song "earliest post-mark" 1:48, WEVE-1340 Minn. r/c 2:01, WKBW-1520 2:11 r/c (unn, ni), WJOC-1340 N.Y. 2:01, WARK-1490 Md. 2:15; WTAX-1240 Ill. 2:21, WJOL-1340 2:36, KABL-960 San Francisco 3:30 plus (hint from Larry Bassett, thanks) WFPG-1450 unn, "on the Steel Pier" as always, WJBO-1150-DX 3:10 not too well, WDEL-1150 DX 4:07 plus well, WILS-1320 Lansing, Mich. 4:25 with very nice DX announcement prepared and read three times daily by staff between power change at 4:00 and 5:15am. Heard same announcement Saturday morning at MSU in East Lansing and was hoping to hear it here when I got home for vacation to send a 4¢ stamp for that "beautiful 6 1/2x8" postcard QSL" and heard it, hi. 710 w/rr/u-WOR (with rr mx and under WOR for those new), who? WHLT-1300 TEST 4:35, tones earlier, hard to get with "Kleener" on AN (WKNR, keener, hi), WFTR-1450 5:17 r/c, WBLG-1300-Ky. 6:03. Above equals five new on 1340, about 13 new - yeah MMs! Just bought \$5 worth of stationery and report forms with check from WJIM Funtest. Report forms will come in handy, saves a lot of typing. WMRT-1010 Lansing little DX for Illinois contingent came off one night earlier, sorry, guys. DX high and Muse too. 73. NRC's swell, too.

Rardall J. Seaver - 2119 30 Street - San Diego, California - 92104

It looks like 3/2 was a heckuva morning! Congrats to Roy Millar on his GREAT catches. DX continues to come in fairly regularly. 3/15- KPOJ-1330 finally through KFAC @ 5, a rocker behind both. 3/16- Went looking for Colombians on possible ER, but the NOISE was on below 910, so I stuck to the domestic scene. Unk signal on 1000 @ 4:45 with an ad for "Kokojet Dog Food" or some such nonsense, anybody hear him? WCGC-1270 on RS @ 4:51 for my best 1 kilowatter, WFBL-1390 @ 4:56 for my furthest 5 kilowatter, WGUS-1380 s/on @ 4:58, WHIO-1290 s/on @ 5, two unk s/ons @ 5:01 and 5:05 on 1260, KSON-1240 OC distorted it too badly, WTOB-1380 @ 5:06, and WSPD-1370 @ 5:07, a loud SS-830 @ 5:51, who? 3/21- KOLD-1450 s/off @ 2am. 3/22- Unk foreign on 870, so weak I couldn't get language, @ 5:04 and in and out until 6:00. Unk s/ons on 1370 and 1380 @ 6:00, the 1370 through KEEN. All the delinquent DX NEWSes are in, 2/29 issue coming 3/20. Will the WTRC, Elkhart, Ind. Mystery Man please standup? DX high & happy and Barry Ho!

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33 Street - Berwyn, Illinois - 60403

DX the past couple of weeks hasn't been too exciting as CX haven't been the best. However, these stations were heard MM 3/9- KIJV-1340 f/c-TT 1:20-1:25 amid a mess, then KXLW-1320 test 3:05-3:20 in well. 3/10- CKTB-610 RS 11:38-12:00 midnight while looking for some New Hampshire stations with ER - no luc,. 3/11- KTDL-1470 r/c-TT 1:30-1:48; then a nice one in WATW-1400 f/c-TT 2:00-2:15. Final logging of the AM was r/c of WMOX-1010 2:33-2:43, mostly OC. 3/12- WRFD-880 on RS 8:00-8:15am. Only new one MM 3/16 was WVOB-1520 TEST in like a shot in spite of local UHNL (that's Ultra-High Noise Level). The afternoon/ff 3/16, WYLO-540, new in Jackson, Wis. was noted on daytime ETs. Veries received from WBNB WARO KXLW WATW WMOX WWBZ KIJV and WRFD.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island, New York - 10302

3/23, I logged the big, new, Radiodiffusora de Senegal, Dakar, North Africa, as my only "across the Pond" station of this season, thanks to Ron Schiller's telephoned tip. They came through with a fair signal on 764 kc/s., at 1:30-2:00am. Along side of them was "long absent" KOB-770, Albuquerque, N.M. till its 2:08am s/off. A cycle tone behind very loud WERE-1300, Cleveland, o. at 2:15 might have been WHLT's all night PoP test. Any Western DXers needing a Connecticut station should be able to log easily, "loud and clear" WTIC, Hartford, on 1080 kc/s. any MM, AN.

AS THEY SAY IN NORTH SYRACUSE, N.Y., "WSOQ." "WE'RE SMOKING OUT QUIET MEMBERS - to send in Musings regularly. Let's all do it - make it a habit - a good habit, too! All!

Jeff Lob - 93 Oakview Terrace - Short Hills, New Jersey - 07078

Long time, no nothing. DX dribbles in when homework dribbles out and winter DX has proven somewhat interesting. Semi-decipherable scrawls on the back of old history reports tell of half-asleep reception of the following during the past winter: Barbados-795, KGU-760 weakly behind Cuban ANer for my third Hawaiian, TIOS-822 giving HJED some competition, WFBM-1260 on test, KGGM-610 r/c behind WIP, BGBS-560 for interesting evening reception to parallel Demerara-760, repeatedly excellent signals from 10kw. "Radio Paramaribo" on 600 kc/s. in Dutch from Surinam. Surprisingly enough, few members have reported RAPAR while I found them behind WICC with the loop all summer long. Similar Indian-type chanting as found on 640. By now CKEY-590 fighting it out with WARM-land. KLTR-1580 made it thorough on 6:15 January s/off several nights and the continuous c/w mx from CFCO-630 lacking LDs caused no little waste of time. Better catches of late are KSVC-980 r/c with prompt v/q back. CX15-730, my second Uruguay with frequent mention of that country around 2:00 on MM. R/cs from KCKW-1480 and KDEE-800 came through. Now to dated DX: 2/29, beautiful reception of Dakar-764 with Senegalese language with occasional words sounding like a badly mutilated FF. 2/16- WJIM-1240 apparently AN, KGER-1390 s/off 3am just as WYNR blasted through with opening test announcement. WSIZ-1380 on test. Received my World Medium Wave guide and found it to be fairly accurate insofar as it was compiled a year ago. WRH publications, though very helpful, are frequently sloppy. One evening, having become rather fed up with lack of real DX, I tuned up past 1600 kc/s. and found not only police radio from Manchester, N.H. and Cincinnati, O. but also a distorted LA station on about 1670 kc/s. who IDed as being in the Rumbos Network of Venezuela and made mention of "Radio Carupano"-940 and others. Tried to ID it, but static and distortion made it impossible. So any of you lads around Westport, Conn. know that W-MM-1260 began as a "ham" radio station, run by four high school students? I read an article to that effect. WQXR-1560 is getting boozed up! (Thanks for the "PS", Jeff! -ERC)

Ron B. Sculler - Box 456 - Monmouth Beach, New Jersey - 07750

Eight veries drifted in this past week to make the score 1,354; letter on the back of a CM from WGLB-1560; letter and CM from WDLA-1270, saying they don't often get DX reports but ARE interested in same! Two v/fs from CKEY-580 for September report, one f/up. PP card from KGNO-1370; pretty v/q from WHBC-1480 after four tries; plain v/c from KOKX-1310 for November report; v/f from Tirana-1088 for country #37 and a post-card showing the town from La Coruna, RNE-728, back and forth in ten days! New loggings aren't many; however, a goodie in the batch: Israel-1025. Believe they are now 300kw., logged for a few minutes prior to 6:34pm s/off on 3/21 with native singing, chimes, trumpets, and mention of "Kolyisrael." Asian #1 logged here, though I have heard hets from Baghdad-908 but haven't a squeezed him out yet. 'Twas a good TA night, as Cairo, Rome, Yugoslavia-917, Tunis, etc. all readable. After Israel went off, I heard WAJB for the first time 6:40-7pm s/off with fair signals. Also separated RNE-989 Madrid but want to get a longer log before reporting. 3/22, caught the tail end of WMTN-1300 s/off at 6:43pm. And heard a TA on 827 at 12:15-12:45am playing American rr and pop records which doesn't sound like Sofia, so I am in the dark on that one, though Bratislava and Tirana were doing fairly well at the same hour. 3/23, racked my ears trying for TPs but nothing doing, just weak carriers on 650, 780, 880, 1000 had the Brazilian PRB9, as did 840 (PRH9) and 660 had an LA holding forth. Only new one was much-nearer WYZE-1480 local-like at his 4am s/on and subsequent c/w program. Had a visit from Bob Foxworth on Sunday and enjoyed DXing with his set alongside the HQ-180. Couldn't find much difference between his RX and mine and concurred that my location must favor TAs a bit more than his, in Summit, N.J. We hit a "fair" TA night with the RNE bunch doing well on 683, 638, and 728, but the band seemed to dip off after twilight (6:30pm). The half hour just prior to sundown had excellent TA reception.

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That's Sunday afternoon; the date for the get-together at Ron Schiller's. Be there?

FUTURE DX NEWS SKED

In order to come out with the usual 34 issues for this 31st volume of DX NEWS, we will continue WEEKLY through the month of April. Then, we will issue the summer DX NEWSes under these dates: May 16 - June 13 - July 18 - August 15. Then, Volume 32 will begin with its first issue on September 20. We hope you'll support these next four weekly DX NEWSes, so that they'll be full of reports of current DX by all you boys. Take a few minutes, please, from your busy sked and help to swell DX NEWS in April, everybody!

Stan Morss - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

3/19- TT-920 at 2:10, no ID. WJVA-1580 South Bend, Ind. Pop, mx, & TT 2:52, and on. WXYZ and Cuban again only signals on 1270, evidently WSPR off AN. KOIL-1290 o/u WICE 3:25am. Verie # 3,450, YVLO-1370 Valle de la Pascuma, Venezuela, for ER report in December. 3/22- CBZ-1480 Frederickton, N.B. SM s/on 6am, but too much competition for report. WBLU on top and at least two others, plus the fact CBZ used show and operatic mx. 3/23- HOS23-1295, Panamanian, to 2am. 1304 had FF at 2:00, seemed to be in parallel with Senegal-764, strong, so must have had a power boost - both out by 2:10. WJRC-1510 Joliet, Ill. ET/TT 2:12am. WDGL-1520 Douglasville, Ga. ET 2:28am. WHLT-1300 Huntington, Ind. PoP 3:10am u/WERE and equal to WTIL. C/w on 950 at 4:15 but no ID. It faded out at 4:35.

Gary S. Collins - 26 Holly Street - Cranford, New Jersey - 07016

Hi gang! Not much new in the way of DX but I've passed a DXing milestone and had a big surprise. The surprise was a verie from WLUV on 1520 for a 2/25/63 report which moved that station off of my ever-lengthening list of "dirty-bird non-verifiers" and into the realm of true adoration. The milestone was my one-thousandth station logged. New DX: Senegal-764 like ten tons of bricks on 3/16 and regularly thereafter (I'll have to send a Sottens f/up fast), KLMS-1480 r/c-TT 3/23 1:34-1:45, Cuban-660 (RS MM 2:10am), WKSM-1340 in Jamestown, N.Y. for a call change, WJRC-1510 ET/TT 3/23, 2:36-2:48, and my 1,000th logging, WKBO-1230, r/c-TT 3/23, 3:47am. I was noticing the cycloid pattern which is obtained when a loop antenna and a close-by vertical antenna are phased in the proper way. I am stumped as to how to couple the two antennas together. Has anyone ever done any practical work along this line? I'd really appreciate a little help. Instead of a figure 8, the cycloid gives one sharp null and a broad peak everywhere else. Very handy for stations nearly 1800 apart. I got the "souvenir of the month" for a question on the domestic services of Czechoslovakia. I wonder who heard the program on SW on 3/24? It's good to see all those reports!

Ernest R. Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn, New York - 11226

Hi, Ralph J. - we NY-NJ area members had the same idea - I'll write you soon! Again, a one-verie week, this time WKSM-1340, ex-WXYJ, who say they are silent 3:00-7:55am SMS only. They're mostly rr on AN sked. I hope all the area members will be at Ron Schiller's on Bay 24th (not 5/25 as I said last week - 5/24, a Sunday afternoon), for we want to "try something on you" - you'll be guinea pigs, as it were. Nothing more on this until 5/24 in Monmouth Beach! Suffer! Not too much accomplished this week, except for glorious MM. I did hear the SSS s/off of WNIK-730 @ 6:15pm on 3/21, and also same time, s/off on 740 by needed WBCI, but not enough yet for a report - this is a TV Whistle Stop on my dial, hi. Let's get into 3/23, then: I got up at 1:50am and hardly had the HQ-180 warmed up when I had a new one - WDGL-1520, Douglasville, Ga., on ET/M, asking for reports. When WKEL had their r/c 2:05-2:15, WDGL was knocked out, but they were back, o/KOMA as soon as WKEL went back to bed. Did you Buffalonians get this one? Then, right next to WDGL another brand new one turned up - WJRC-1510, in Joliet, Ill. on ET, mostly TT, but some mx, and was still going at 3:45 retirement. Third MM in a row for an ET/M from WNMP-1590, u/o WAKR. WWRL-1600 ET/OC most of AM, with an rr-er with 5kw. behind, probably WEUP. WCOP-1150 AN (alternate MMs?) and again, radiating a signal on 1110 - what goes on up there, Boston-area boys? Someone holding up a mirror? WHLT-1300 not heard at various tunes-in until 3:18, when they used varying TT pitches & ID @ 3:30 u/WERE. Noted unnn WJAL-630 ET, 3:08. 1520 seems wide open now every MM, 3-5 or so. Dave Oved, how about some summertime TESTs on 1380 from 3-4 (WBNX off 4-5 EDT then, & channel otherwise clear in E) and 1540 MMs, KXEL quitting AN in the summer? 3/24- SS CX prevailing in the evening; logged HIAJ-1573, "Radio Union," 6:45-7:31pm, with CKLM very weak on 1570 making it possible. YVQJ-1080 topping WTIC at times, even though WTIC is within 100 miles of me. I surely hope Sheldon M's HIBZ-1340 DX gets in, for that is one dan-dan-dandy DX program! My congrats to Sheldon on his accomplishment on getting them on the air for the good old NRC! Let's keep the reports rolling in to Musings, boys, but let's not forget Pete Taylor's IDXD - let Pete know what you are getting in the line of foreign DX. 73 till next week & "Let's Go, Mets!"

J. ART RUSSELL PASSED AWAY

Ray Edge was so notified in a letter from Hank Bennett of AFWLC. He was a long-time DXer, from San Diego, California.

AS THEY SAY IN SAN JUAN, PUERTO RICO, "WITA." "WEEKLY ISSUES THROUGH APRIL." So, let us make sure they are big, bulgy, and newsy DX NEWSes. This means cooperation by YOU!

" DX DOWN THE DIAL".

March. 28, 1964.

Send all "TIPS" to Ev. Johnson-504-16th St Mendota, Ill. (E.S.T.)

FREQ.	CALL.	REMARKS"
570	KVI	Seattle, Wash. has no Silent Period.- (H. McClain-Wash:
590	KUGN	Eugene, Ore is now off A.N. Sched-McClain-Wash.
600	WSJS	Winston-Salem, N.C.-S/on 05:00 Sun 7-Off 00:00-Johanns-
630	WLAP	Lexington, Ky.- S/on 05:55-(Don. Eggert- Ind.:
690	CBU	Vancouver, B.C.- has N.S.P- also 44 CBC Relays on 730- 740-860-900-1070-1110-& 1240 Kc/s HMcClain-Wash.
730	KVOD	Albuquerque, N.M, had F/C 2/13- 2nd Fri- 2:14-2:28-(Walt.
870	WKAR	E. Lansing, Mich.- S/on 7- Off 6:45-P.M.-Morin(Snyder-N.Y
930	WBEN	Buffalo, N.Y.- S/on SUN at 5:58-(W. Snyder-N.Y,
940	WCPC	Houston Miss.- had ET/M- 3/3-02:00-W. Lewis-Tenn.
960	WVRT	Prestonsburg Ky.- S/on 6:10- a.m. D. Eggert, Ind.
970	WVCP	Vidalia, Ga.- S/on 6:15 a.m.- D. Eggert-Ind.
1090	KAAY	Kittle Rock Ark.- at hrs exc. MM 1-6-(R. Johanns, N.Y
1150	WAPO	Chattanooga, Tenn.- S/on 05:35. (D. Eggert, Ind.
1150	WJBO	Baton Rouge, La.- S/off 02:00-(Bill Woodfield- Va.
1120	KMOX	St Louis, Mo.- S/off MM at 03:00-B. Woodfield-Va.
1150	KWKY	Des Moines, Ia.- S/off 01:00- Ev.
1230	KRDR	Gresham, Ore.- has N.S.P-(McClain-Wash.
1240	WECN	Staunton, Va.- S/on 5:56- Sun 6:56- per Veri(Schiller-N.J
1320	WHOK	Lancaster, O.- S/on Sun at 4:10-(W. Snyder, N.Y.
1360	KMO	Tacoma, Wash.- has N.S.P.- (McClain-Wash.
1360	WIBG	Harrisonburg, Va.- S/off 6:15 P.M. Mar.-R. Schiller-N.J.
1370	WGRY	Gary, Ind.- S/on 06:30-S/off 7 P.M.- (D. Morin-Ill.
1390	WWOD	Lynchburg. Va. S/on SUN at 05:00-(W. Snyder-N.Y.
1390	WFBL	Syracuse, N.Y.- S/on Sun at 6:57- W. Snyder.
1400	WGAP	Matyville, Tenn R/C 3rd Tues. 00:00-00:15- ET (Ev.-
1420	WENB	Harrodsburg, Ky.- had ET's 3/21 until 1:57' Swanson-Ill.
1420	WKCW	Warrenton, Va.- S/on Wk Dys- at 04:00-(F. Wheeler, Pa.
1430	WTTT	Amherst, Mass.- S/off 6 p.m.- (R. Schiller N.J.
1440	WAAB	Worcester, Mass.- S/on 5:30- SUN 7- till 00:00-(R. Johanns
1460	WJJZ	Mt Holly- N.J.- S/on 6:15 Wk Dys. (R. Schiller-N.J.
1470	WJDY	Salisbury, Md.- S/off 6:15 p.m.- R. Schiller
1480	WYZE	Atlanta, Ga.- S/on 04:00 Sun 5-(Eggert & Johanns,-
1480	WRDW	XXXXXX Augusta, Ga.- S/on Sun at 5- W. Snyder
1500	WIBK	Detroit, Mich.- on A.N. 3/18- Ev.
1500	WEAC	Gaffney, S.C.- S/off 6:27- P.M. R. Schiller N.J.
1500	KGMR	Jacksonville. Ark.- had F/MTT 3/2 1:25-1:42-W. Lewis-
1510	WJRC	Joliet, Ill 500 W Days. on ET's 3/23 1:50-3- Ev.
1520	WDGL	Douglasville, Ga on ET's 3/23- 03:00- Ev.
1540	KBVU	Bellevue, Wash.- has N.S.P(H. McClain-Wash.
1550	WKBA	Vinton, Va.- on F/M 00:13-00:15 3/14. F. Wheeler Pa.
1550	KGMO	Cape Girardeau, Mo S/off 7:02-P.M.- (D. Morin-Ill.
1550	KDAB	Arvada, Col- Off at 8 P.M.- D. morin-Ill.
1550	WPXY	Greenville, N.C. - S/on SUN at 06:00-(W. Snyder. N.Y.
1550	WBAZ	Kingston, N.Y- R/C 2nd WED.- 00:05-00:20- Curran-
1560	WIOD	Toledo, O.- S/on Sun at 6:43 A.M.- (W. Snyder, N.Y.
1580	CBJ	Chicoutimi, Que, Hrd on R/C 3rd WED 2:45-3:02- Ev.
1580	WNJH	Hammonton, N.J S/on Sun at 06:30- W. Snyder. N.Y.
1580	KESM	Eldorado Sprs. Mo.- Apr. S/on 07:00. J. Swanson-Ill.
1590	WTVB	Coldwater. Mich.- had ET's 3/11 at 1:29 F. Wheeler-Pa.
1600	WKBJ	Milan, Tenn.- S/on 6:30- Off 7 p.m.- (D. Morin-Ill.
1600	WEUP	Huntsville, Ala.- had test 3/23- 2:15-3:10- Ev.
1600	WNGA	Nashville, Ga. had test 3/23- 01:00- on- Mx. Ev.
580	CKWW	Windsor, Ont has been testing daytimes and evenings (Pop) F/Cs being heard- 3rd MM- WHOL-1600- 00:20-00:35 T-

WWJC-1270-1:00-1:15 T- M.-WKSK-1600-1:45-2:00-T/M-WSEM-1500-2:15-2:30

WTHB-1550-2:25-2:35-T/M WCCN-1370-2:30-2:45-T-

4th MM WEER-1570-00:15-00:30 T- WCHV-1260- 00:30-00:45 T- WTON-

1240- 00:45-01:00-T- WRAK-1400- 1:15-1:30 T- "

4th Tues- WCOJ-1420- 00:00-00:30-T- WWDS-1050- 00:30-00:45 T-

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

Edited by Peter V. Taylor, c/o KFOG, 420 Taylor St., San Francisco, California 94102
 Senegal-764 is making it from coast to coast. Hope they verify! Elsewhere:

- 566 Athlone, IRELAND verie in, form letter, signed by Miss M. Byrne, and complete program schedules as broadcast for dates of 1/23-24 which I reported. Also two mimeoed pages on history of b'casting in Ireland (HR)
- 505 HJKL Bogota, COLOMBIA S7-8 2230 3/18, S6-7 2200 3/19, S5-6 0545 3/23 (HJW)
- 515 YNM Managua, NICARAGUA S5-6 2227 3/18, S7 2155 3/19, S7-8 2305 3/22 (HJW)
- 625 TIRICA San Jose, C.R. fair 2240 1/29, pops, mostly slow ballads (HR); S8 2205, 3/18 (HJW); nice v/c for 1/29 report (HR)
- Haeju, NORTH KOREA S6-7 with sporting event 0547 3/23 (HJW)
- 629 ---- Vladivostok, USSR S4-5 for new minutes 3/23 (HJW) (new QRA per WRH-pt)
- 630 4QN Townsville, Qsld. AUST. v/1 in, Brisbane office, GPO Box 293E (CHF)
- 644 ---- St. John, Antigua LEEWARD IS. heard frequently now around 1700-1800 (HR)
- 6 YSS San Salvador, EL SALVADOR "R.Nacional del Salvador" S7-8 2205 3/19, extremely loud & clear 2230 3/20 (HJW); verie letter in which was mailed Jan. 16 via air per postmark, arrived without delay for Sept. report (HR)
- 660 YVLH Maracay, VENEZUELA S8-9 2140 3/18, S9 plus OLLO 3/20 (HJW)
- 2YC Wellington, N.Z. Happy to receive card from 2YC, 2nd NZ, for 2/10 rpt (BD)
- 728 ---- La Coruna, SPAIN nice colorful v/c from RNE for 2/2 report, v/s Enrique Marinas, El Director (HR)
- 755 HJXX Bogota, COLOMBIA hrd S9 3/9, 3/10, now gone again (RNH)
- Timisoara, RUMANIA continues to amaze. It so often is the strongest of all Central Europeans, when many more powerful & nearer stations are not heard at all. Hrd 3/19 S9 after 2200 (BD)
- 764 ---- Dakar, SENEGAL. Checked freq for kicks 0130 3/17 and it was THERE! Heard several times since, no later than 0145 though and not enough for report yet. Mostly Arabic so far (PVT); logged 0100-0206 3/19 per phone call from Pete Taylor. Report out via air. Also heard after 0101 3/20, and was S5 0130 3/21 (HJW); heard well 3/16 1832-1901 s/off with what sounded like anthem. ID given "Ici R. Senegal" and pgm included light mx, FF songs, some EE pops (LD); noted with tone, some FF, Arabic, 1250-0106, weak (CHF); now strongest TA, better than Agadir-935, S9x20 3/13-14 1830 (RNH); Noted with long tone 0100 3/19 but nothing else since. Question raised if it was SABC or Senegal I heard 2330 3/2; not 100% sure it was SABC but wish I could determine if Senegal was ON at that hour. What's the rumor that AFRICA's been logged in California? (RNH) (True! Sked 0100-1900-pt); heard 1814-1900 3/13 and several times since thanks to tip from Stan Morss. New country for me, never had any luck on 1536 (HR)
- Sottens, SWITZERLAND verified for my #36 BCB country, Berne sent standard SBC card (AR)
- 780 YVOD San Cristobal, VENEZUELA. Verified 12/2 report, v/1 & pennant. V/s Gonzalez Lovera, Director. Air mail took 2 months to get here, paragon of LA postal services (AR)
- 785 ---- Pyongyang, NORTH KOREA S4-5 and later AM of 3/23 (HJW)
- 790 HIL Santo Domingo, D.R. s/on 3/16 0500 with MA and slogan "Voz del Tropico" for 1st positive logging of this country (RNH) (Up-HIL battle, Roy--pt)
- 795 ---- Black Rock, BARBADOS. Form air ltr rec'd from Barbados after swapping with Dave Johnson who got mine, and vice versa. Station still heard here evens but poorly for most part (HR); despite CJD's vile QRM at SSS and frequent testing around 0500, they were for once absent 3/16 & from 0457-0512 this station fluctuated from poor to very good levels giving me ctry#40 log (AR)
- 800 YSAX San Salvador, EL SALVADOR verified reception of 1/3 with hand written ltr, plain paper, signed by Samuel A. Blanco (RNH)
- 809 ---- BBC Regional, SCOTLAND. Friendly & specific verie ltr rec'd from J.R. Spankie Ass't to Head of Engineering, BBC, Scotland for Jan. report addressed to Scottish Regional Controller. Reports to various regions seem to get good results--anything sent to BBC London gets the standard QSL from K.R. Sturley C.E., External Broadcasting (HR)
- 810 YVLP Valencia, VENEZUELA returned International Reply Card signed by Santiago Sanchez G. (HTT)
- 795 --- Radio Barbados V/L gives sked as S/on 0500; S/off SUN thru FRI 2200; S/off SAT 2300 (RWJ)

- 818 ---- Cairo, EGYPT UAR heard signing on strongly lately 2200(RNH); heard here regularly around 1700. WRH lists as Batra II not Cairo V. Don't seem to have the right touch here as 6 unanswered reports to date(HR)(See last week's comments on this outlet. I am awaiting further clarification of just what this facility is now--pvt)
- 828 YNOL Managua, NICARAGUA S7 2240 3/18 (HJW)
- 834 ---- Belize, BRITISH HONDURAS regular here every night S7 or better. Verified promptly for me(HJW); regular here eves(HR)
- 840 ---- St.Lucia, Castries, W.I. T.K.Archer verified reception of 3/14/61 on 840 and 3/18/62 on 830. Don't ask me how many IRC's I sent Michael Ferry(HTT)
- JOQK Niigata, JAPAN S5-6 0430 3/23 (HJW)
- Nanchang, CHINA S7 later at 0605 3/23 (HJW)
- LARK Rockhampton, AUSTRALIA heard under JOQK 0430 with ABC announcement preceded by 3 soft tones (HJW)
- 854 ---- Bucharest, ROMANIA logged for first time 3/19 2200, running // to, but weaker than Timisoara, described above. Bucharest clearly separable from 855 (BD)
- OAXLA Lima, PERU S6-7 2236-2255 3/20, ID "R.Nacional del Peru" 2255 (HJW)
- 875 TISS San Jose, COSTA RICA "La voz del Tropico" S7-8 2245 3/18 (HJW)
- 880 TGJ Guatemala City, GUATEMALA S7 at "R.El Mundo" ID 2208 3/21 (HJW)
- 881 ---- BBC, ENGLAND. Standard vague BBC card received for Welsh home service & copy of original report then sent to A.B.Oldfield-Davies, Controller, and very friendly and specific reply received from Rowland Lucas, Information Officer at Wales. Written at Mr.Oldfield-Davies' request, it gave me exactly the information I had requested (HR)
- 895 OBXLX Lima, PERU IDing as "R.El Sol" 0610 3/21 and also quite good 3/19 verified after several followups (HJW)
- 917 ---- Ljubljana, YUGOSLAVIA. Finally sent v/c & letter re my 12/23/63 report. Letter & card sent from Belgrade because only Belgrade has foreign service department. Does verify Ljubljana as such. This incidentally was for log with s/off 1836, so anyone hearing early eve station here, not SS, take note (BD)
- 920 TGTL Guatemala, GUATEMALA "La voz de la Telefonken" Apt.Postal 343, air mail verie, signed by Eduardo Mayorga, L. (Director) (HTT)
- 970 HLCA Seoul, SOUTH KOREA. Letter acknowledging receipt of "report and appendd tape of our medium broadcast," together with book on KBS & 5" reel of Korean music; all very fine but no QSL nor do I know which of several reports they acknowledge (RHM)
- 1010 YVPC Cagua, VENEZUELA air mail verie, v/s Jesus M. Labrador, Dir. Address is Av.Bolivar 26A (HTT)
- 1033 HJGE Bucaramanga, COLOMBIA S6-7 2205 & later 3/18, verified rather promptly several years ago (HJW)
- 1034 CSB2 Lisbon, PORTUGAL being heard around 0200 end of Feb. (HR)
- 1040 ---- Peking relay, CHINA booming in after 0620 3/23 (HJW)
- 1045 HOJ2 Las Tablas, PANAMA S6-7 2315 3/20 (HJW)
- 1088 ---- Droitwich etc., ENGLAND. Usual BBC card stating report was in accordance with published schedule for Dec. report. No freq specified on these, nor location (Midland Region.) Report sent to London (HR)
- 1106 ---- Munich, W.GERMANY v/c in for 1/27 report, #4 German on BCB (AR)
- 1125 HOJ Chitre, PANAMA in clear with basketball game 2220 3/20 (HJW)
- 1147 HVAB loud and clear, 1146kcs 0540 3/23, Port au Prince, HAITI (HJW)
- 1175 YSCB Sonsonate, EL SALVADOR S3-4 2308 3/21 (HJW)
- 1178 ---- Okinawa, RYUKYU IS. very good 0537 3/23 (HJW)
- 1195 TICA Puntarenas, COSTA RICA S4-5 2303 3/21 (HJW)
- 1200 YVCZ Caracas, VENEZUELA "R.Tiempo" in quite after 0430 s/on 3/16 (AR)
- 1250 ---- Khabarovsk, USSR (RFSSR) logged at reportable level 3/22 0730-0740 with strong "R.Moscow" IS then EE nx (RHM)
- 1259 EAJ3 Valencia, SPAIN logged 1845 3/19 but not readable enough--will go again(BD)
- 1295 ---- NBC Browborough, ENGLAND. Sent usual BBC card to QSL 1/28 report. Had specifically requested letter to answer certain questions (whose answers I knew but BBC letters are much more explicit than QSLs) and I didn't get it, drat it (AR)

- 1340 HIBZ San Juan de la Maguana, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC air verie in EE and photo, "R. Centro" (HT) (Thanks to Sheldon Miller for arranging DX 3/30 and hope it came through for some of you--pt)
- HJGH Bucaramanga, COLOMBIA "Radio del Comercio" air verie signed by Francisco Bueno Burgos. Pennant encl. (HT)
- 1370 YVLO Valle de la Pascua, VENEZUELA. Took 3½ months to verify 12/2 ER report. Jose Rafael Negron, Director-Proprietario, v/s & wants me to visit them if I'm ever in Venezuela. Didja get your verie Stan Morss? (AR)
- 1390 WISA Isabella, PUERTO RICO is 1kw-D, 500w-n, FM 101.5, 3.4kw, Ø "R. Nordveste." V/c in envelope rec'd 3/20 from Ronald T. Cushing, CE. Sked 0500-2300 weekdays, Sundays 0600-2100 (RMJ)
- 1457 ---- Clevedon, etc. ENGLAND West Regional heard here 0130 (HR)
- 1480 WMDD Fajardo, PUERTO RICO tough but copyable thru WYZE 0451 3/16; CFOX 0453 s/on killed it (AR)
- 1502 ---- Warsaw, POLAND sent v/c & v/1 for 1/27 report with information on Poland coming under separate cover (LD)
- 1520 JOP- synchro, JAPAN NHK logged 0453-0520 3/23, heard NHK ID 0500 but no calls. Will send report to NHK Tokyo to see if they can spot the stations for me, maybe yes--maybe no. (HJW)
- 525 HIDL Santo Domingo, DOMINICAN REPUBLIC verified 1/6 report with v/1 signed by Poncio Pou S., Director. #2 D.R. verie (AR)
- 1530 2VM Moree, NSW AUSTRALIA verified promptly and confirmed 500w after 6pm their time so this is my best Oceania (CHF)
- 1575 YNRTS Grenada, NICARAGUA still on this freq 2140 3/20, no verie yet (HJW)
- 1578 ---- Frederikstad, NORWAY picture v/c in for 1/27 report. Heard after 0200. Specified 1578 10kw. They want reports and state that return postage not necessary (HR)
- 1586 ---- Oldenburg, W.GERMANY. Nice v/c from Oldenburg for Jan. report followed with 25 page mimeo list of MW stations of world which can be heard in Europe and 41 pages of same info on SW stations. Also post cards, travel folders, etc. (HR)

AROUND THE WORLD

BRITISH HONDURAS---Despite info to contrary printed & reprinted in many pubs, this remains British Honduras, not British Caribe (RSDXB)

ALBANIA---EE on 1088kcs 1500-1530, 1630-1700 (RSDXB)

PUERTO RICO---Carolina, P.R., WVCZ, 1400kcs, 250w, unl., now in operation

UNIDENTIFIED -- MYSTERIES

- 553 UNID-LA, strong but distorted, heard only once, 2100 3/13(RNH) (YNS? - pt)
- 655-56 UNID. Oriental speaking station had 3 short and one long pip at 0600 3/23. Unable to check the 625 & 785 for similar IDs on same morning but none of the three stations was in // with each other. New Zealand members are logging this station as Pyongyang outlet. "R. Moscow" says it is a "Russian speaking station on 656?" Will work on this freq & station a bit more (HJW)
- 665 UNID. Something here after Lisbon s/off early eves, but too weak to read, maybe Iceland. Heard 3/19 1937 (BD)
- 737 UNID. Another early eve signal that seems to come & go, heard 1932, 2045 3/19. Iceland perhaps but according to info they supplied me with few years ago and also current WRH, s/off is 2000 (BD)
- 746 UNID-TA signal heard here sev. eves around 2200 s/off (RNH)
- 885 UNID. heard testing here 2 eves with quiet mx, no voice, seemed to be test. Deep fades but signal up to S8 at times, around 2000(RNH)(Same as BD's 2/15, Bonaire?)
- 1035 HC??? Panama City s/off 2200, call HOS? or HOF? but slogan not Radio Mia as reported by some. After HOS seemed to be "kilo" and slogan was more like "R. Vignette." (CHF) (No changes reported here from HOS21 Clarence-pt)
- 1105 UNID-FF. Maybe 4VCPS as slogan sounded like "Ici Radio Capique" and WRH lists "Cacique." Hrd 1900-2200 nitely but not strong (RNH)
- 1200 He!p! On 3/15 station believed to be AFRS outlet came in 1700-1800, sports parade, N.Y., like AFRS outlet & gave time as 6:30 AST at 1730 EST. No commercials and all earmarks of AFRS outlet. Have written AFRS. YVQZ atop at both IDs(RNH) (I have a North Korean AFKN on 1200, hi! - nothing else listed here-pt)
- 1385 UNID. Playing slow tempo classical mx 0520-0532 3/23, no amcts, perhaps 4VS as they have been known to play this type of mx at this time of day (HJW)

SUPREMACY RATINGS STANDARDS

Hank Wilkinson has compiled the below in order to give you an idea of just why the Supremacy Ratings are significant in our hobby and to apprise you of standards which should be maintained if the ratings are to be fair and applicable to all members. We are not saying this is the only possibility; it is however a reflection of Hank's continued work in this area and it is a start. Hank will welcome comments. The following are necessary in order for Hank to keep your Supremacy Rating cards current:

1. TOTAL VERIES. This category to include all BCB veries in your file that you personally count as veries. Each member has his own "honor code."
2. FOREIGN VERIES. Under this heading you count all veries except those in the U.S.A. and Canada. Include Hawaii and Alaska. (New Zealand DXers can not count New Zealand veries in this group.)
3. TOTAL COUNTRIES VERIFIED. Count all countries in your total. (Include U.S.A. and Canada.) Use N R C Country Lists as a guide. Watch for revisions as previous lists were dormant too long. We are in the midst of checking every phase of present and past geography to publish periodically lists with additions, deletions, etc. that are fair to everyone in this ever changing world of ours.
4. NORTH AMERICAN VERIES. Count all veries from countries shown on past, present, and future N R C country lists indicating continent of North America. Count Alaskan veries in this group.
5. SOUTH AMERICAN VERIES. Count all veries from the countries listed under South America in the past, present, and future N R C Country Lists. Watch for changes as they appear.
6. EUROPEAN VERIES. Same as above. Watch for changes, especially U.S.S.R.
7. OCEANIA VERIES. Same as above except to be sure to include all Hawaiian veries in this group. Watch for changes. YOU WILL BE ADVISED OF CHANGES IN THE IDXD.
8. AFRICAN VERIES. Use N R C Country Lists of the past, present, and future. This is a continent of rapid changes. Keep abreast of changes with Supremacy Ratings.
9. ASIAN VERIES. Same as above but watch for changes, especially the "states" of the USSR in Asia that are actually "separate" countries within the USSR.
10. BEST VERIES IN EACH CONTINENT. Just what it implies. YOUR "BEST VERIE" for each continent. Exception: U.S. and Canadian stations cannot be eligible for "N.A. BEST"
11. Send in your totals once a month or no less than once every two month. This is important if the standings are to be current!
12. When you verify a new country in your records, please specify name(s) of country or countries when you forward this information to me.
13. Main object of Supremacy Ratings is to show progress of DXers and their BCB veries for the time spent at the dials throughout the years.
14. I would like to know the date that each DXer started in the hobby of verifying BCB veries.
15. DXers should indicate if he has DXed strictly in the EAST, MIDWEST, WEST, outside the U.S., or a combination of any of these locations, in compiling his record of veries and countries verified. Each DXer will be "coded" by this method and this will be reflected in the publishing of "Supremacy Ratings" as the information reaches the writer. The best and only fair method for all concerned.

Please adhere to all the above rules as they apply to each and everyone of us. I know and realize that each of you will have your ideas as to how things should be run but let's get the basics in line first--then we will go from there. We are attempting to set up a solid foundation for the Supremacy Ratings and NRC Country Lists, which is for YOU and YOU. Don't start finding fault until you are willing to support it with good facts and ideas. We are limited as to how much we can put in this publication but we will listen to everyone who wishes for progress in the right direction. -- Henry J. Wilkinson, Jr., 6620 Beeman Ave., N. Hollywood, California.

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You see, it's not hard to fill 4 pages when you all are DXing & reporting. Thanks! Please bring your Supremacy Ratings up to date NOW as per the above. Next week, some EBU and Country List changes, plus more from YOU on this great hobby of BCB DX!-pt