

MAN ON ROUTE TWO SAYS "I'M WITH YOU!"

"The more I hear about the proposed NRC/IRCA merger, the better I like the idea."
Bruce Reynolds - Route 2 - Warrensburg, Mo.

DX CALENDAR

Mon. October 7	WXVA	1550	Charles Town, W.V.	5 kw	TEST	4:00 - ???
Mon. October 14	KMER	950	Kemmerer, Wy.	5 kw	TEST	3:00 - 4:00
Tue. October 15	WBKC	1560	Chardon, O.	1 kw	TEST	11:00 - ???
Wed. October 16	KFLN	960	Baker, Montana	1 kw	r/c - TT	2:20 - 2:35
Non. November 4	KWYS	920	W. Yellowstone, Mont.	1 kw	TEST TT	4:00 - 4:30
Sat. November 9	KECK	1530	Lincoln, Neb.	5 kw	r/c - TT	5:45 - 6:00

WXVA Sorry not to have gotten this info to you sooner, but it was not possible. This was probably on a coast-to-coast clear channel, and we hope many DXers heard them.

KMER This station was unable to make our test dates last year due to unforeseen circumstances. This year they will be working our Special in with some ETs of their new 5 kw XR. This one should be heard widely. Reports to: KMER - Box 432 - Kemmerer, Wy. - 83101, Att: Mr. Bruce Hymas, Mgr. Don't forget to include return postage! INFO FROM PERCY KESTEVEN

WBKC This brand new nondirectional daytimer is still under construction and is not scheduled to begin regular operations until the first of the year. A test is scheduled right after midnight local time from the partially completed station facilities. Test format unknown. Reports to Box 266, Chardon, O., 44024 - attn: Charles M. McCraw. INFO FROM JERRY STARR

KFLN This is KFLN's regular monthly freq check, and they will be happy to hear from DX'ers and to verify reports which are correct. They use cycle tone, with voice ID's, and with 5 kw they ought to get out extremely well. Send reports to Mr. Denny Becker - Program Director, KFLN Radio - Box 539 - Baker, Montana - 59313. INFO FROM DAVE FISCHER

IT'S A GIRL!

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And our sincere congratulations to members Gordon P. Nelson, and Allen Nissen, both of whom recently became daddies of daughters. And, those congrats go to Mrs. Nelson and Mrs. Nissen, even more!

NEW MEMBERS

LEONARD A. JOZWIAK	WILLIAM J. HIGGS	ROGER GIANNINI	KIM RENFREW
FRANK S. MACOLLY	PETER TAYLOR (new???)	JOHN KUSCO	DAVE SHAPIRO

(Wasn't David Shapiro a former member in Va.? - at a School for the Blind, I think - ERC)

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

1270 WUOK Ex-WKYR (NNRC)	1290 WBBS Jamestown, N.C. (NRC)
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"AN" SITUATION

ON - 1540 ZNS Inc. MM, SPU - MoR mx	OFF - 1270 WGGC MMs irreg.
	- 1420 WHK MMs irreg.

NEXT ISSUE OCTOBER 19

Then, weekly once again. Deadline in Brooklyn for Musings is Tuesday, 10/15.

[Front page cut in Boston this time only 'cause ERC couldn't find a single store in NYC selling stencils on Yom Kippur - send info on specials, etc. directly to ERC from now on. Admiral Nelson]

From the Boston Emergency Publication Committee...

We are attempting to bring all aspects of club operation immediately up to date. If you have written to HQ in the past regarding new member kits, unfulfilled orders for club supplies and the like, and have not received a reply, please drop us a card. The sooner we can get past business brought up to date, the more efficiently we will be able to attend to your future correspondence.

The next bulletin will be in two weeks and will be dated October 19th. We then expect to resume our weekly publication schedule. A two week spacing is necessary at this time in order that the annual factory overhaul of the mimeograph machine (usually done during the Summer) may be completed. Bulletin size will be temporarily frozen at 22 pages per issue and each editor has been assigned a weekly page-limit to guarantee that vital information does not have to be held over by the publisher. The limits for individual sections have been agreed upon by the editors and are in the same ratio as the material which appeared in the bulletin last season. See each individual section for that editor's particular editorial policy. Your cooperation will be greatly appreciated.

The NRC Domestic Log described last bulletin is already better than one-third sold and many of you will probably have already received yours by the time you read this. If you've neglected to order yours, you'd best delay no longer - remember this log is being sold on a first-come, first-served basis and that once the first batch is gone there won't be another for at least a year. Full details appeared in the last edition of DX News.

The acting Secretary-Treasurer, Tom Holmes, reminds you that you will continue to receive two renewal notices before your plate is pulled and your bulletin is no longer mailed. Because each address change requires the purchase of a custom made addressograph plate, please remit \$0.25 when you change your address in advance. A charge of \$0.50 will be required for address changes made without advance notice.

Please make note of the following addresses, effective until further notice:

General NRC communications: Box 99, Cambridge, Mass. 02138

Renewals, address changes, and orders for "Cut & paste IDX Log": Box 99, c/o
Tom Holmes

Musings, DX Specials, changes of cx: Ernie Cooper

Orders for NRC Log: Peter V. Taylor, WJIB Radio, Commercial Wharf, Boston, Mass.

International features, mechanical filters, technical material, reprints:
Gordon Nelson

International reception and QSL's: Bob Foxworth, GPO Box 2111, N.Y.C., N.Y. 1000

Domestic DX Digest: Randy Kane

Supremacy Ratings: Norm Maguire

Complaints regarding postal service: U.S. Postmaster General

From the merger Committee of 10:

A draft Constitution for the proposed merged club is now being prepared. It, along with a skeleton set of bylaws concerning elections and responsibilities of the proposed BOD, is expected to appear in the next bulletin. The initial estimate for dues in the new club, \$8 third class and \$12 first class, still appears to be realistic. Present cost analysis suggests that each member of the merged club could receive up to 44 pages an issue (22 from each coast), 34 times a year, under a dues schedule of \$8/\$12. Last year the NRC averaged 28 pages a week and IRCA about 26; it now appears that a member of the merged club would receive more pages for his dues dollar than he now receives in either club. The Committee is also presently studying the communications addressed to it preparatory to voting on an interim format. Merge is contingent upon a favorable vote in the IRCA referendum (ballots in 10/19 issue).
(by GPN for NRC Comm. 10 reps.)

Jerry K. Conrad - Box 952 - Haines City, Florida - 33844

Hi all. I'm finally getting settled in the Sunny South. DX CX here are not bad at all. I've been very pleased w/early results. First verie in from WINT so verie totals are now 1 all over. Best DX here was a surprising WONE-980 the other night @ about 10pm. I thought they were null this direction. Some local info: WHOO-990 is Countryopolitan NSP. WA'R-1440 NSP Top Gun (c/w) & has dropped HI night show. Other NSPers here noted: WSUN-620, WVOJ-1320, Jacksonville, WDBO-580 Orlando. Lots of Cubans (censored) NSP too. There are unIDable hets here everywhere. It sounds like the whole world is testing each w/a different frequency tone, hi. Sorry I missed the big doings at BOSTON but too much after the big move here. ST. LOUIS '69 eh! I'll try again. Maybe I'll make it this time. What is this about collapsed VW tops at the Fenway? Tsk tsk! You boys mustn't throw water balloons. Some of you guys owe letters, money, & tapes. I too owe letters & tapes. I'll try to get to it soon. Till then, 73s. As they say in Haines City, WHAN - "We Hate All Non-musers." Keep up the tremendous job you are doing. It is much appreciated.

Chuck Hutton - 1521 Fara Drive - Atlanta, Georgia - 30329

Second Musing in six months, as I live in an area where Summer DX is impossible. The Summer static seems to be year-round w/peaks on nights I DX. Coincidence? Work has begun on an RF pr3selector for my homebrew DX RX, which has three IFs, limiter, & one tuned RF stage. I have enter4d the Domestic DX Contest, & have some suggestions. Why is it that a 5,000 or 1,000w out West on the same channel as a local, receives only two points? I'd like to see a point for each 500 or so miles. Down to DX: On 9/8 the following were received: WABB-1480 w/a steady signal, first time in a year. WAAY-1559 500w. w/mx "Five minutes earlier." WIL-1430 w/a fading signal. Are they c/w? WMBD's "Mx Till Dawn" is a regular performer. WRKT @ 5:04 w/Harper's Bizarre. Georgia members, please write me. C U N 112.

John Sampson - 4148 Wycliff Drive - Winston-Salem, North Carolina - 27106

Greetings from N.C. After two years in California we have been moved to Winston-Salem, where I will be working w/Western Electric on the Sentinel project for several years. I was sort of hoping to make the BOSTON Convention, but we were all tied up w/moving that week, so no go. I was sorry tp leave Cal. as we enjoyed our stay out there (even though Cupertino was one of the worst DX locations in which I've ever lived) but NC seems like it will be fun, too. We're located on the NW edge of W-S, about three miles from WFOB-1380 WBSJ-600 & WAAAG880. They cause some splatter during the day, but not much & the other locals (WFGM-1550 WKEX-1500 & WAIR-1340) are not troublesome. The only AN station here is WAIR-1340 who is off all MM (s/off @ 12 or so): Last minute veries from Cal. include KPGM-1380 for a call change, KIMS-1250 KGFJ-1230 KMMG-1360 WMPG-1520 & KBOI-670. I had a goal to verify as many Cal. stations as possible while out there & ended up w/about 160, w/major holdouts KGRB-900 KDOL-1340 KCHJ-3010 KCEY-1390 & KAHR-1330. I haven't done much listening from here yet, due to the usual jumble of boxes due to the move, but I will start in a month or so, I hope. I was surprised by the merger announcement, but I think it is a good idea, & hope it does smothly. Till next time I write, whenever that is, 73. K Keep up the good work, Ernie, & I'll be looking for you to continue as Musings Editor

Jeff Kadet - 8047 Park Overlook Drive - Bethesda, Maryland - 20034

Domestic totals now at 1,560/308, w/ten new additions in recent weeks. On 8/20 WVOJ-1320 copied for their new call coming in very well w/c/w. And on 8/27 another new call, WOVU-1350 o/u WSIR. 9/1 produced WONE-1550 at their 1am s/off. They were heard the next Sat. /N on RS but I'm not sure whether it's regular or not. They play mostly MoR w/a little c/w & religious mx. 9/2- Gave us two new Utah stations: KLO-1430 @ 2:08 s/off u/o CKFH. This was a surprise & they had a good signal but I didn't get enough for a report. KNEB-590 was also heard on their r/c u/CKFH from 4:22-4:27am. Other new ones were WAFF-1510 BE/mx-ing around 2:30 along w/a WRAN 11/00 & CJRS-1150 AN in FF. WIXE-1190 copied from 6:19-6:28pm on 9/4 for another new station. Then on 9/5 we finally heard WETS! r/c-between 12:01-12:08:45am end w/IDs given twice, but it was very weak. Lastly, WKOO-1550 copied for new call on 9/7 between 3:16-3:35 on r/c. Reports also out to WRVK-1460 r/c & WRNE-1550 FF/mx on 9/8. The newest veries here are WRIT WBLC WDAV WRMK WBSA WADR WANI WJSE KQAK WACR WCAP WHIN WJCE WJJC WAIF WKKL WJER WPKL KSUB WNOP WQBS WIXE, many due to f/ups. I'm still waiting for one 110m WCRS, John. 73.

Ken Murphy - 77 Colonial Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut -

Now that Summer is over I can report I have heard my first Alaskan, also my first logging of the Yukon! Of course I had to go there to do so, so naturally they are not entered in my heard log. Yep, I took a rather extended trip covering W. B.C., the Alaskan panhandle & up to Whitehorse in the Yukon. KTKN-930 Ketchikan should get down into Wash. without too much trouble but the Juneau stations are really surrounded by mountains & don't get out too well. I visited both Uneau stations & both were real friendly. Each has a single operator & personnel at each said they were glad to verify correct reports. KJNO has a beautiful setup in the lower level of Juneau's best hotel. They had a report recent from Maine but the DXer said only he heard their calls & wasn't even sure on what frequency! They did have a good, verifiable report from Puerto Rico. KINY is in a VERY crowded first floor setup on the main street. It is their original location but their TV has moved in w/ them & they are desperately in need of more space. The CE said they don't get many reports but will verify correct ones. He is real young & has been there only a little o/a year, & calls Sam Bright, NJ his home. The PM will answer reports. I did not see the station in Whitehorse (CFWH-570) but it is located in a commercial building. It should get out fairly well as there are no real high mountains in the immediate area. I was surprised to find Whitehorse a rather busy little place & even sports a Dairy Queen & a Col. Sanders Ky. Fried Chicken house! It is a main location on the Alaskan Hwy. While in the real wilds of B.C. I noted a big black box on a telephone pole while going through New Hazelton. On getting home I checked & sure enough, it has a 40w. LPRT on 1170. If anyone is wondering, yes, I'd like to go back someday. Alaska is mighty fine country. NRC Report Forms will soon be available from Walt Rogers in Hialeah, Fla. They are being printed up now w/ some minor changes in wording. Apparently not one member has suggested anything new in the way of report forms! Aren't there any new, fresh ideas on an improved report form? Thanks go also to Gary Peterson who also volunteered help in getting NRC Report Forms back in the hands of the members. Info as to price (lower than previously) & how & where to order should be available by next issue. Have a real good DX season.

Martin Blumenthal - 10 Cutler Street - Worcester, Massachusetts - 01604

Hi all. BOSTON was fun & I was glad to meet many of you o/the Labor Day weekend. The beer was good too, right, ERC? (Huh? -ERC) CX are improving all the time as the static continues to go down. MM 9/16 saw the first real DX session of the new season. Times EST. 12:15an; unID TT-580 strong. 12:10, unnn WCLS-1580 w/rr, a new NSPer? 12:22, weak TT u/WLW-700, Jamaica? 12:32, HJED-820 L&C as usual. Without doubt they are the best LA heard in these parts. 12:36, TGJ-880, w/"R. Nuevo Mundo" IDs. 12:50, a new one in WVOJ-1320 ex/-WZOK w/c/w u/CKGW. 1:20, WENZ-1450 at good level w/Dr. Pepper ad & rr. 1:25, WCHB ET w/a brief ID through CKPM powerhouse. I have now heard the three Mich. on 1440, WBCM & WDOV both are verified. Reports sent to WVOJ & WCHB. 9/16 SSS: 5:50pm, unnn WRCP (Radio Recipe?) slicing up WPTK-1540. 6:08, I had a real puzzler on 1580, a station in SS turning out to be WNJH, of all things. 6:15, WVPO-840 s/off-SSB. 6:22, strong LA o/WBT-1110. 6:32, HIPJ-890 w/NX & many "R. Continental" IDs. For 5kw. they really put in a good signal here. 6:35, strong rr in briefly o/CBM-940 but no ID; probably needed WMAZ but could have been anyone. 6:44, a real shock to find WBBR-1580 in very strong at their s/off. Unfortunately, not heard long enough to take a log. I have a new RX; a Westinghouse Navy surplus model. It has double RF (no more images!) & covers 200-2000k. Sensitivity excellent, selectivity fair. NRC Loop is next on the list. xRecent veries: WVPO-840 WABC-770 WKIM-980 WFOD-1560 WDEN-1500 WMBT-1530. Still nothing from WSKT-1580 who promised to verify for their 7/28 ET. To all who sound off about PP/cs one way or another: Noone really cards how you feel. It's bad enough to see this stuff in the Musings, but editorials? Ecch! That must be 30, so 73s.

Jay Murley (no address given)

Some members seem to go into hiding temporarily. I'm afraid I'm one of them. I moved home to Cal. Specific home address: 2107 Baycrest Rd., Newport Beach, Cal. 92660. Please change records. (Send IT & 15¢ to HQ -ERC) In the process, I left KLFN in Phoenix to become a station rep, w/the Henry I? Christal Co. The station list is familiar to all, I suspect, as the average member has probably at least 16 of 18 logged: WAPI-Ale, KFI/KFMB, Cal; WTIC-Conn; WHAS-Ky.; WJR-Mich. KWKH-La., WNBC WBEN WHAM WGY WSYR, NY; WPTF-NC, KOIN-Ore., WJAS-Pa., WEAN-RI, WSM-Tenn; WBAP-Tex. & WIMJ-Wisc. Individually or collectively they're far cries from lkw. daytimers in the Ariz. (P. 5)

October 5, 1968

DX NEWS

(Jay Murley) deservrt! But the DXing was good there. Living on the ocean a third of the way from L.A. to San Diego should be a DXer's nightmare. So far it has been. I will try to cure it w/highdy directional antenna. Since I have NOTHING in the way of catches, please send me DX NEWS so I can properly envy everyone else's handiwork.

Bill Raczkco - 3015 East Lincolnshire Boulevard - Toledo, Ohio - 43606

And I, too, want to see MUSINGS continue with YOU as the Editor! The Convention was a lot of fun, & so was the two-week vacation of which the Convention was part. Gen. Greene & I visited about 75 stations on the two-week eastern trip. We saw 15 states, two provinces, & two national capitols. Bob Shaw (FYB) also was w/us on the trip as far as Boston. At WSME on Labor Day, we found out they'll verify correct reports now, so send a f/up to Bob Smith, Jr. if you still need a verie. At the Convention, I enjoyed meeting many NRCers & renewing a few old acquaintances. And of course the FYB gang knows all the real action (?) was in Room 315! We visited the new CKJD on the trip home, & they've had two reports so far (mine, & I believe, Morris Sorensen) They came on the air 8/3 & are very severely directional to protect almost everyone on 1250, hi. They throw most of their signal N. We inquired about veries, & they said they were getting v/qs printed, so they whould verify eventually (where have we heard that before?) The shocking news of the merger was pleasant to me, because I had always thought of an RCA/NRC merge as an "impossible dream". I believe it will truly help the hobby as a whole, & will prevent printing the same info twice. But, as ERC says, what would the bulletin be without the flavor & personality of MUSINGS? Special thanks to Ralpie for the info & miscellaneous articles! To those who sent me their WITTO WCHO WPOD & WMGS reports for veries, hang on! Work & other things are preventing me from going to the stations, but I may be able to get there soon. Veries: OAX4A-854 WSIG-790 KWRC-940 WHBC-1480 3AM2-1466 WPAQ-740. DX: none, but I hope to get back in the groove this month. As Arcane Editor says, The NEW CLUB lives! CKJD-1250 is AN-6, off MMs. WITTO-1520 is on-till 2:00 LT now. 73.

Dave Carlson - 516 Hickory Hollow - St. Louis, Missouri - 63122

Needless to say, the merger idea came with quite a shock - I just hope it works out for the best. I can see some problems w/renewal; if you renew w/the BOSTON group in the new Club, the news might be delayed in getting to the other coast & consequently an issue or two might be missed, Ernie, I'm all in favor of having the METIS here next Labor Day - that might be the day the CARDINALS clinch the pennant, hi! My senior year in high school looks tough, & is bound to cut down my DXing time. So it's nice I'm getting a few veries back. v/q- WPTR-1540. v/1- WSAO-3550 KAFE-810 KSIW-1450 KPDN-1340 & my best from Cal., KDAY-1580. v/f- KIXZ-940 KCJB-910, & my first v/PP c came from KQV-1410 which is apparently the only way to QSL them thdse days. Thanks to IRCAer Morris Klein for help on KQV. Also, KGYN-1220 v/r & mentioned target date f r 1210 is 11/1. Total, 282 w/hopes of 300 by 1969. Most of the veries were from recent tests or f/ups. No reply yet from CKCK WFLI or WABD. Thanks to all who voted for ST. LOUIS in '69. That's about it so 72s & best of DX.

Stewart Drake - 2108 South Simpson Street - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania - 19142

Not a heck of a lot of starrling news here as I seem to be in a lull on catching new stations. On 8/29 I did manage to get a few minutes from WAHT-1510 the new Annville/Cleona Pa station on RS @ 6:40am. On 9/10, thanks to a tip in DX NEWS, I got WHYD-1270 Ga. testing on r/c @ 11:01pm. This is a third Wed. tester but runs the f/c on DST in the Summer. On 9/16 I took copy on WUST-1120 Washington ex-Bethesda. This was rough copy as I seems to be having a new interference problem. I can't seem to get a year without someone getting a new appliance that raises 16 dozen different noises, hi. On 9/11 I got a very nice Air-Letter reply from Sierræ Leone-1205, verifying my 8/19 reception. This was my 53d country verified, & again my thanks to the Admiral & Goenn Jacobs for the tip. And all you Domestic Contest DXers beware, I am entering this year & already have 56 stations logged w/o/170 points scored. The total could only go up if I get better stations per state later on in rhe year. One more point re PP/cs. I see some members are still wont to take a few snipes at us PP/c/users. The last one I read says PP/cs can be faked. Well, I take the same attitude & say that any verie on a CM rate card or SC is a fake. I can write any station & get a CM or SC & so can any other CXers. I don't even need a reception report. Then getting one, just type my verie on it & affix a signature from thev/s list. Voila! a QSL! No - let's face fact/s, fellows. PP/cs are here to stay so learn to live w/them. Good DX to all & let me be the first to wish you all MERRY CHRISTMAS.

Bob Pietech - 420 Canal Street - San Rafael, California - 04901

My farewell Musing from Sunny California. I'm being transferred to New York City effective 9/30. I am really looking forward to a brand new set of DX & logging Europeans, certainly the AN situation in NTC couldn't be any worse than in San Francisco (could it?) (Oh, couldn't it? -ERC) I have had a very inactive Summer DX-wise re: 7/23- KBOI-670 1am; KPNW-1120 1:34am for first night on new frequency asking for phone calls, so I obliged & got a dedication on the air. 8/25- KPUR-1440 8:16am w/ gospel mx. 9/2- KTOH-1350 for first new Hawaiian in a long time, good signal, 4:30. Verie situation a disaster - KPUR-1440 is all. Totals now 716/450. Needless to say my seven years as a member on the WC has been a thoroughly enjoyable period, & I have had the pleasure of knowing some great people who share my DX craziness. I would like to extend my special thanks to Don Kaskey for his many tips, & for making me the initial member of the almighty powerful ERBA. We really had some great time (what we can remember of them). So it is w/a sad heart that I say goodbye to Cal., but I am looking forward to meeting you ECers. I hope to make it to one of the publishing sessions in BAD-land once I get settled. (Welcome to the EC! -ERC)

Larry Van Horn - 502 Adrian - San Antonio, Texas - 78213

I'm back again for another Muse from Taco Town (San Antonio), the HemisFair '68 city. Sorry I didn't report last issue. I hope the Convention turned out to be a blast & that everyone had a good time. I should go to the '69 Convention, wherever it may be. I finally did some DX: 9/2- XEWA-540 1:24-1:41 w/excellent signal, S-9, for a tape. KFH-1330 2:08-2:35 for a report. Do they verify? XEL-1260 2:47-2:51 w/SS pop mx & ID. KNUZ-1230 2:52-2:54 w/cl mx. XEB-1220 2:55-2:58 w/LA mx & ID. WBRC-960 4:20-4:22 w/cl mx. I then did some daytime DX & came up w/KAWA-1010 Waco, Marlin w/c/w for a report. 11:15-11:30, KHFI Austin for a report w/cl mx & WX. Reports out to XEWA KFH WHO KAWA KHFI KEYS WBAP. v/q- WFAA WOAI. v/1- KGNB (a nice full page letter) KHRB. I'm calling San Antonio stations & finding out if they verify, to whom to send, etc. & just general info. I will present it to you next issue, I hope. I talked to CE of KTSA & as you most likely know they aren't verifying because they are understaffed. They are going to try to get v/qs printed so where all they have to do is fill it in & he wanted me to write & give details, so I did. Keep your fingers crossed. Thanks for all the letters & tapes. Keep them coming. The rest of my DX should appear in DXDD & IDX. Best wishes for the best of DX seasons to everyone.

D. Gene Mattocks - 208 Gross Avenue - Marysville, California - 95901

For those who find mine an unfamiliar name, let me introduce myself. I'm 27, a Right of Way Agent (Appraiser, Negotiator, & condemnor), married, w/first child due 10/16. DX statistics here are: 450-plus heard, 219 reported, 174 veries; 37/25 states, 5/4 provinces, 18/8 countries. I for one, fully support the proposed merger primarily due to my great trust in the judgement of those who lead our Clubs. The present duplication of efforts is unnecessary & the publishing responsibilities too burdensome. As a passive member of both Clubs, I have tremendous admiration for the active members (publishers, editors, contributors, etc.) & hope I can contribute more in the future. I'm certain there will be many baby-initiated midnight DX sessions in my future & further ERBA sessions presided over by the illustrious DKK to whom I owe so many DX tips. Good DX to y'all.

Glenn Hauser - 1312 West Oak - Enid, Oklahoma - 73701

Seems like it's the season for change! Glad to hear of the proposed merger. It's really been a pity to have all that duplication for so long. Nevertheless I was on the verge of joining IRCA too. I look forward to even greater things in the future, & I'd like to express my best wishes to all those affected by the change, especially JAC. As for the name of the new club I feel "National Radio Club" is too valuable to scrap! The big change in my own life is I've joined the USAF & write this as I undergo basic training at Lackland AFB next to San Antonio. There's no point in giving the address here since I'll be leaving in a few weeks. As some know, basic is virtually isolates a man & restricts or abolishes many of his freedoms, but we DO get mail & are allowed visitors. Should any of you be in San Antonio for GemisFair, or any other reason, I'd welcome a visit. Just call Lackland AFB, give them my name (William G. Hauser) Squadron 3709 & Flight # 1102. Already I've had the pleasure of meeting Wayne Plunkett & Andy Rugg on the way to CA. I first learned about the merger from them. And I'd have gone w/them if the draft had not been so imminent in the USAF. I have been found 'qualified' in Radio-TV production which will probably mean overseas soon if there's an opening. My second career choice is language specialish. (P. 7)

October 7, 1960
(Glenn Hauser) Not the least chance to do any DXing here, but I'm hoping to be assigned to nice spots during the next four years. 73. (Best of luck, Glenn! -ERC)

Jerry Starr - WHOT Radio - Youngstown, Ohio - 44505

Greetings again. No DX here recent enough to be of much interest, but I would like to make a few observations as, I'm certain, most every Muser in this issue will be offering both pro & con. When I first learned of the merger of both Clubs the day before the formal announcement at the banquet I was just as surprised as anyone. I think you will find, as I did, after some serious thought on the subject that the new Club has so much to offer it can only work to the advantage of every BCB DXer. The two separate clubs have such a wealth of talented DXers, why should their efforts be wasted by producing two publications w/basicly the same info? Why not offer a combined effort to improve our hobby & make it available to all DXers? That is exactly what the New Club will have to offer. Not to slight anyone by not mentioning their names, may I use a FEW names as EXAMPLES of the way I view the situation. Why shouldn't the excellent technical info of GPN; the amazing "DX Encyclopedia" mind of ERC be made available to our brother DXers now in IRCA? These are things the NRC is right in, why shouldn't we share the wealth w/our fellow hobbists? The very same holds true for those in the NRC who don't have at their disposal the talents of such fine, professional DXers as Randy Seaver, Ed Krejny, Eric Floden & Mike Northan. These are a very few; I could fill this page w/names. I offer these as examples of what both clubs have to offer each other. As I see it, we have everything to gain by consolidating our forces. The time has come to 'bury the hatchet' & WORK FOR THE HOBBY! We haven't lost the NRC or the IRCA - we have simply improved them by joining together into what will be the undisputed leader in BCB DXing IN THE WORLD. I don't think we can ask for any more than that. The DX season is coming so let's all join together in the relationship of the hobby, OUR hobby; yours, mine, the NRC's, the IRCA's. The New Club Lives! It's the biggest, best group of DXers in the world - be proud you're a part of it. (Well spoken, Jerry! -ERC)

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Another season is upon us & what better way to get started than to Muse? This Summer was better than usual w/many new domestics being logged for first time. The latest results since 9/1 follow: WCBK-1540 Ind. s/off @ 7pm o/the pack. 9/7- WBZY-1140 Pa. brand new, first heard while in New Castle vicinity, fairly weak days here w/WAWK-Ind. nulled. 9/11- WRRZ-880 NC ET w/c/w @ 2:54am, off @ 3:05; XETRA-690 @ 3:45am w/Extra mx for Los Angeles - bet I'm the last one to log this one. 9/15- WRPL-1540 NC s/off @ 6:30pm. MM 9/16- WJR-760 off until 3:30, so I logged KEABC w/EE-rr, SS ID, R. ABC, @ 3:10. Also CMCI w/NX & frequent SS ID, Reloj Nacional. I swear I hear WQOK-1270 Md. w/c/w, AEN NX @ 7:0pm - I thought WQOK was on 1440 in NC - anyone know if call change? (WQOK is on 1440, but in SC -ERC) 9/17- WROL-1490 Tenn. w/c/w, ID as Countryopolitan Radio @ 3:38am; WJPA-1450 Pa. @ 6pm w/end of Mutual NX & ID like local. The news of the tentative Club merger & elimination of duplicated efforts caught me off guard but I agree the hobby can best benefit in this manner. I do hope we can retain this informal Musing type format in the shake-up & that ERC remains in charge of at least a portion from the EC. There will be some give & take from both clubs in the merger, but I see no reason for some members I've communicated with to get excited & take up banners protesting everything proposed. Let's support rather than protest, unless it is constructive criticism. 73.

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Hi again. After being undecided whether to go 100% FM & TV, I decided to go back to BCB for at least another season. So far one verie has come in, a v/f from WPRW-1460. Recent DX leaves a lot to be desired but here it is: 9/4- 6:16pm s/off WPAW-1540 on top right after WRCP left. 9/5- 5:25pm, WNTN-1550. 9/10- 6:26pm, WPRW-1460 extremely strong during the early evening. 9/11- 6:14pm s/off of WVOB-1520 & WMBT-1530. 9/13- 6:15pm s/off WKOB-1570; 6:17 WNLG-1510 way o/all, unusual. 9/15- 6:34pm s/off WBSC-1550 who's fulltime I guess, the other six days. They gave their nighttime power in s/off, hi. 11:04 s/off WINF-1230, I think CKMP also there at same time. 11:10 WGMF-1500 ET/TT, off @ 11:15 so I suspect a f/c. 11:19, WLOB-1310 way o/all so I guess atill AN MM-rr; 11:30 WKAP-1320 TT-f/c 5kw. 9/16- 12:32am KFJZ-1270 by itself, WCGC not noted, off AN? 12:35, WDIC-1430 r/c; 12:49 KWLA-1530 r/c; 12:51 WTYN-1550 r/c-mx; 12:54 KKNX-1070 in, 1:09 WVOJ-1320. 9/18- 6:13pm s/off WSOQ-1220; 6:15 WGSA-1310 s/off for a big surprise; 6:30 s/off WANB-1580. 9/19- 6:30 s/off WILA-1580. To Ralphie; WHOM-FM isn't AN so i'd think their AM isn't. Their FM is mostly SS also. 73

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For once I am glad I did not attend an NRC Convention! I have little DX to report this time, but, included are a few s/on & s/off times that might be of use to someone. 8/30- WBBW-1240 O. heard s/off @ 12:06 $\frac{1}{2}$ w/male group vocal SSB; & WFMJ-1390 O. conducting TT w/WFBL from 12:34-1238 (& longer). WTRY-980 had recorded religious programs at 2:25, & then into rr @ 2:31. 9/2- WSAN-1470 Pa. s/off 12:37 w/band SSB, giving s/on as 5am. 9/4- WSNY-1240 NY @ "The NOW Sound in the Capitol District" noted @ 1:14 w/rr. 9/5- WTOD-1560 ran an ET/rr, sounding like RS & even gave public service announcements 12:28-12:38 tune-out. 9/6- KFVS-960 Mo. r/c made it here L&C @ 12:10 tune in to 1:15 s/off, "conducting monthly test & asking those listening to send comments." Also apologized for lack of rx, & said the 1,000-TT was the best they could do, hi! 9/10- WLRV-1550 Ky. tested w/"Indian Lake" repeatedly played 12:31-12:38 s/off & WTVU-1580 Va. on r/c 12:25 (tune in) to 22:30 s/off. 9/14- CHYR-710 Ont @ 6:47pm had brief announcement for listeners to shift their dial from 710 to 730 for continued programming on CHIR. 9/16- KDKA-1020 Pa/ s/off @ 12:07, then tested AXR 12:07-12:14 w/MOR rx. 9/17- WGRP-940 Pa. gave WX @ 6:28pm "The Big G in Greenville, WGRP." S/off @ 6:30, no SSB. Gave s/on as 5:15am. 8/18- CFOR-1570 Ont. s/off 12:06 w/Instrumental Oh Canada. That's about all I have. I am disappointed to learn of the demise of our Club. (I'm sure a pleasant surprise will be yours in the not-too-distant future, when, hopefully, we'll all be one -ERC)

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Hello from the home of the NAD Guys, Boston. I am getting settled & DX will start slowly I'm sure. I've had a chance to meet Randy Kane, Gordon Nelson & Tom Holmes. I've even collated the NEW NRC Log in JAC's basement, sans JAC. I am now behind the merger. I wasn't at the start since I am a dual member & wanted two clubs for me. Now I see that two coast sections & the best of both clubs will make for less duplication & a better all-round bulletin. For all the Wolkman Jack fans I think he has a new outlet. HISD-620 Santo Domingo. I heard him at 7pm on their 9505k frequency. I think they parallel this w/their BCB frequency. Though I'm sure this bulletin will come too late, the WXVA-1550 TEST on 10/7 @ 3am will be a good one cross-country. The frequency promises to be clear w/CBE off @ 1am. Speaking of CBE I caught them FF last night 9/21. They were not CBC net originated as I checked the band. What's going on in Windsor? I start a show on WECB-640 in about a week. Don't check VJ, it's carrier current at Emerson College. Back to the NRC Log. Order it quickly, though there are many copies to be had. You will find the info great, accurate & needed such as address & skeds of all stations. We have collated up to P.80 & about 20 more or so are coming by next week. Buy two! I am interested in contacting anyone using and/or having an AN/ARN 6 or 7 so I can steal beg or borrow their power supply schematic. I have one & all it needs is the supply. I would appreciate any info available on it also especially current drain. As the say in Maysville, Ky., WFTM. "Why Fight the Merger?" (He'd rather switch than fight, hi -ERC)

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Another survivor of the '68 Convention reporting in. I travelled up w/Driver of the Year George Greene & "Bowo" Racwko. They will probably detail our three-day excursion as to stations visited, etc., so I won't, except to say - small world! On Thursday I must have walked right past our new Port Washington member's house to visit an CWU girlfriend who lives on his street. Many unanswered questions re the Convention. Is Daller really psyched up for a Musing? In Ky., would Hays be a stud? Was 315 ever centered as water balloon HQ by the Ferway staff? Does the Cincy Play-boy Club condone kilt-wearing? It was fun meeting y'all (I do not have a Boston accent) & support our new Acme Radio Club (Hays' joke), it will be worth it. So I talk too much here is recent DX. 8/26- WSGB-1490 AN-rr, PoP or what? 9/10- WBBS-1290 ET/TT concluded 12:12am. WYTI-1570 11:49pm ET/TT/OC. 9/11- WHEB-1600 in Aurora CX 6" 21pm. WSKT-1580 s/off, preceded by SSB, 6:45. WMPL-1580 rr 6:51. 9/12- WKIK-1370 W/TT 1:05am. Long-wanted WVKO-1580 R&B 6pm & later, w/no WPGC. CKJD-1250 6:20 WZYX-1440 6:45 s/off w/Bixie. 9/13 brought WSEL-1440 (now my best frequency 2/24) @ 1:35am ET/TT/DT. WKID-1580 r/c-TT 12:15-30, 9/14. Total heard now 940. You notice the 9/10-14 report, this was a period in which one rainy night I figured there are 873 possible points in the Contest - although LPRTs could push it o/900. Including DXes 950 should be enough to win. I expect to return to school in Jan but until then I'll try to run up an insurmountable lead, hi. Greene, Flanagan & I had better luck on Convention MM than the mountain climbers: We got a powerful signal on 764 at Wintthrop Beach, New North Beach.

October 5, 1988

DX NEWS

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First, my comments on the situation that has arisen. Like many others, I am shocked & stunned to see the end of the NRC after all these years, of which I have participated in four. However, it is easy to see the load on the personnel involved in producing this publication is too great. I often participated in these sessions and saw what work was involved. It is not surprising to see JAC resign - I expected it long before this; & it is not surprising that nobody will assume the responsibilities. My hope is the new club & bulletin will be much like that of our NRC, & also that our editors will remain the same, to some extent. I really don't think the Musings would be as good as they are without the work of our great Editor, ERC! I've never met him personally, but I think he's a real great guy as are the rest of the team up in the Boston area, many of whom I know well. In closing on this matter, I too would like to see the NRC continue as is, but since it's not feasible, let's hope we'll keep our present membership & retain some or all of our present editors. Future good luck to the BEPC! Now, down to FX. Vrie back in Milford for the WEVA-860 test, also one from WVPO-840 for Haledon. Reports now out to WVAM-1430 WCED-1420 & newly-logged WTCR-1420, Ashland, Ky. w/c/w. All three were reported from Haledon. And, since that'll do it for me (I must be nearing 30) I'll say 73s for now & good DX.

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I wish to give my full support for the new Club. It will benefit all NRCers & IRCA-ers by bringing together more DXers to write articles, give tips, etc. The only thing wrong I can find about the merger is it would give the new Club a near-monopoly in the MW band, thus lessening the competition that would improve a club. All members who regularly contribute to any part of the bulletin should continue to do so, to insure that all parts of the bulletin would be continued. Local WNBC has dropped most of its talk shows in favor of MoR, much from Monitor. Long John Nebel still has his AN talk show, however. WMCA still plays rr, but Gary Stevens left for Switzerland and Harry Harrison quit - he's a DJ too. NYC is probably the only major city without a c/w station, either AM or FM, although WJRZ-970 & WTTH-1520 serve the Met. area. Recent verkes include: v/q- CJAD WOKY WHBG WMDD CBJ XELO (back in a week!) WCBM WLAC. v/l- KVOL WPAR KFVS WVSC WOOK WAWZ WFAD WYTI. v/f- WRKY WHLI. v/r- WVOJ XERB. In my second Musing, my v/l's were listed as v/qs, & a few readers were probably confused by that. Here's my DX: 3/8- WMDD-1480 PR was heard 2-2:30am in SS, this is RMJ's AN SS (WHOM still s/off at 12, LT). MM 9/9- Midwest DX were terrible, w/WHO barely making it & WCCO not even audible. I did get a new station ETing, WBBS-1290, Jamestown, NC @ 12:45 w/mostly OC. That evening R. Belize was heard w/s/off @ 11:34. 9/11- YVMN-1000 heard all alone w/R. Mil ID @ 7:45pm. 9/13- WPAT was off for about an hour, WSAZ W.Va. heard poorly o/u WSOC, also an unID SS. 9/14- WKID-1580 Ill. r/c 12:19-12:30, WCHL-1360 NC testing w/OF @ 1:40. 9/15- YVQO-640 Ondas Portenas in well, and easily loopeable from CMQ @ 12:50am. MM 9/16- KWLA-1530 Ia/ r/c w/WCKY OC; WFAD-1490 Vt. had a brief ET/TT 3:0k-3:06. 9/17- KPLC-1470 r/c @ 12:15. 9/18- WMMR-620 (3-ERC) W.Va. s/off u/WVWJ @ 11:01. 9/19- WAPA-680 PR in SS dominating to 11 s/off. 9/21- WROL-1490 Tenn. frequently atop w/c/w. I'll be in these abbreviated pages next issue

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It is very gratifying to see how many of you are solidly behind the IRCA/NRC merger plan. I'll admit it took me a while to view it with an unjaundiced eye, but now that the initial shock has worn off, it looks to these old eyes as though a really GREAT and gigantic BCB Club is about to become a reality. I know the guys in Boston - the so-called BAD Guys - are working hot and heavy these days and nights to effect this dream, so what say, we all get behind their efforts & do everything we can to smoothe the waters in the ocean that lies ahead? Veries: v/l- WIDG-940. v/q onf/up- CBY-990. v/PP- WNTN-1550. I can't see that sending a PP/c is putting words into anyone's mouth - it's only making it easier for over-worked station personnel to be able to verify for you. Would YOU sign an untrue statement? Then why assume somebody at a radio station would? DX: MM 9/16- Unn WTYN-1550 heard s/off f/c @ 1am. TT r on 1220 @ 1:05 & on, who? Somebody from CARACOL heard on 1090, AN. WINS-1010 on, as they have been the last three MMs, so alas, seems to be NSB. WVOJ-1320 AN o/u WCOG's ET, c/w, for report - much commercials, hi. An f/c-DT ended @ 2:40 on 1230, who? Report w/PP/c sent to WNTN-1550, twilight reception. MM 9/23- WEEI-590 AN/NN. National Emblem March heard @ 2:20 on 1190k, who? ET/mx on 1060, unID. 9/24- Unn WQVA-1530 on top @ 5:05pm. MM 9/30- WWRL off/on TTing; ZNS-1540 AN-MoR. KLTI-1560 on TT, off at 12:38am. TT-1430 u/CKFH, who? TTer on 1090 o/u XERB. 1:53am. TTs on 1220 & 1330.

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DX back in full swing as the autumn leaves fall. The IRCA/NRC merger should improve quality/quantity of the BCB DX hobby; I'm for it. But I hope the NRC DX NEWS format doesn't change too much. I am waiting for the NRC Log. Not too much DX to report. Here 'tis: 8/7- KBZB-920 TX w/NX 12:03pm, KDJW-1010 WX w/NX 1:07pm. 9/3- XEJP-1150 Juarez, now on w/SS & Soul mx. (XEJP is 1150, Mexico City, no? -ERC) 9/6- UnID-1120 w/KMOX nulled - possible KPNW. KBOI-670 IDw/FB w/WMAQ looped 11:05pm, XEGM-951A Tijuana w/NN mx 11:30. 9/7- KZZN-1490 TX & MoR mx, 9:35pm. 9/12- KRAN-1280 TX s/off w/SSB 8pm. KOB 1540 second harmonic I&C @ 30/S-9! 8:02. XEHI-1470 noticed w/spur on 1505k, w/SS mx & definite taped ID 9:30. XEWU-1438A 9:45, there are several Mexicans that don't seem to keep on frequency. Two unID Mexicans noted on 1469A & 1328, R. Bonita 10:28pm. 9/14- KAWA-1010 TX s/off 7:30pm w/mx, KMUL-1380 TX s/off late, 8:20. 9/16- KPOF-910 w/religious mx 9:10pm. 9/17- KAFF-930 Ariz. s/off 8:30pm, XEBH-920 Son. I&C 8:40pm, KSEI-930 ID @ s/off 8:59pm, KOB-1540 harmonic noted again, 10:30. 9/19- XEIQ-960 Son. w/SS announcements 1:13am, KSCB-1270 OK @ s/off 10:30pm, KOB-1540 weak harmonic again, 10:42. That's the DX. I've bagged an engineering position w/ General Electric $\frac{1}{2}$ in Syracuse, so it'll be back to NY in December, to brave the snow & cold. Wishing you all a successful DX season, & 73:

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Hi. The more I hear about the proposed NRC/IRCA merger, the better I like the idea. I hope all the contributors to Musings will write to the constitution committee urging them to continue ERC's Musings column in the new bulletin! Let's show ERC much we appreciate his column. OK? DX: 9/6- KPLT-1490 in @ 11:58om s/off. 9/7- WSHN-1550 r/c-TT as listed. Local KOKO moved to their new studios on 9/7, & s/off was @ 6:15pm. I didn't get home to DX until past SSS, but did get WDSG-1450 @ 11:01 pm, WPAD-1450 @ midnight s/off, followed by KWBW's s/off. MM 9/9 brought in much-wanted KDMO-1490 briefly @ 6:57am. 9/17- KWEB-1270 o/KUSN/WHBF @ 7:05pm & WCMR-1270 a surprise cathy o/QRM @ 8pm. 9/18- WOIO-1060 noted on PSA @ 5:51am, WRHL-1060 on PSA @ 6:15 o/KFLL, & KORC-1140 was heard well @ 6:57am. They certainly weren't on w/4.5w. as per PSA list - must have been 250w. Then on SSS, KJCB-1400 left 1kw. on an extra minute, allowing me to catch ID @ 7:16pm. Eight unheard Mo. stations now; including closest unheard, KFBD-1270. Veries: v/r- WVOJ (after f/up) & KWBW. v/l- KOAK WSJS (after f/up) WDSG & WRDB. v/q- KAYC. Totals: 1,337/650. KOKO-s new location is near the intersection of highways 13 & 450, about $\frac{1}{2}$ mile NE of their old site. I hope the DX season will be a good one for everyone! Watch Len Kruse make the 4,000 verie mark this year, using that "Fish Special" loop antenna! 73s.

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Hi. Many things happening here since returning from the Convention. Quite a memorable one - especially since it was my first! I've got a new radio on order from wards Elec. in Texas, an SX-100. Should be an improvement. Also a new antenna has been set up. Now I've got the equivalent of a 150' loop. I'm using four antennas (individually) & get very good NE/EW reception. For example: daytime reception on 1310 produces WLOB-Me. & WICH Conn. on separate antennas. It's really amazing. I've been doing a lot of listening but only six new ones have been received. The Contest has been interesting. Marc & I have been battling - he's at 181 & I've got 179. Here's DX: 9/4- WLAD-800 5:39am s/on. 9/6- WKTJ-1380 @ 4:26. WREC-1420 Pittsfoeld, Mass. has been noted w/rr lately putting in good signals u/WBSM. 9/8- WCVU-1350 for call change @ 12:26am. WVOJ-1320 another call change @ 1:51. 9/13- YVLB-1040 heard @ 10:01pm. 9/15- WQTW-1570 Pa. 6:30 s/off. Dakar also noted - has been in well every day since. This on the S-120. MM 9/16- HT-AN-680 @ 2:55, WCBM? (WPTF-ERC) CKCY-920 heard all AM w/c/w. KSL-1160 very good. CKWW-580 Ont. for newie, this @ 3:16. 1270 rr @ 3:24 "looped" S - is WGC on at this time? CJCB-1270 s/ on w/Oh Canada @ 3:58. 9/17- Unn WEAT-850 @ 7pm w/Chisox. That's it for now, TAs will be in soon, I hope the SX-100 can get 'em. Total now 792. 73s.

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Hi. Yes, I'm still alive & kicking. I have all of 79 days left in this place & can't wait to get back to NJ. After my 30 day leave, I will be assigned to Ft. Monmouth, NJ for seven months & then my Army career will end. I can't really complain too much about the Army - so go in smiling, No DX here in many moons- in fact, I don't even know what a radio looks like any more - too much war, hi! Thanks again to all who have been writing me & keep it up! By the way, I became a daddy last 8/10 & can't wait to get home. 73 from the Monsson Mecca of the Orient.

- 550 New Zealand. 2YA, Wellington noted w/Parliamentary debates 9/15/68. Pre-empted normal programs, which are carried over 2YB-800. Imagine if say, WTOP's programs were pre-empted whenever Congress was in session, and carried over WWDC instead. It is one way to force attention to, if not participation in, the democratic process. (Wood, Ha.) (I had thought the 800kHz outlet carried Parliament sessions at the time IYZ moved from 800 to 860, am I mistaken? Obviously not so now) (Ed)
- 580 Mexico. XEMU, Piedras Negras IDs as "R. Variedades" and a daytime regular in San Antonio; verified last July. (Van Horn, Texas)
- ** 600 Saudi Arabia. Riyadh now back here and very strong evenings 1600-1800 EST. (Ericson, Sweden) (I assume this is once again, 600 and not 602, altho it might be far enough off to het the domestics. Ed.)
- 650 unID. Definitely Mexican, fair signal 2230 ID 9/15 was an uninformative "Radio sesenta cinco" (Kenney, Calif.)
- ** 652 Saudi Arabia. This outlet ex-647 now here parallel 600; hrd 1800 w/QRM from 656 (Ericson, Sweden) Good bet for NE USA, pls watch freq. Ed.
- 680 Mexico. XELG, Leon good at 0342, off by 0405 9/16. This leaves a 15-minute hole for CP34 before WAPA s/on. (Kenney, Calif.)
- 690 Mexico. XETRA noted well w/Cuban looped 0240 9/8, good mx. (Starr, O.) New SID is "Extra Music" and silent 0400-0700 MMs only. (Van Horn, Tex)
- 723 Jeddah, Saudi Arabia hrd weak about 1800 w/bad RFE QRM (Ericson, Swe.)
- 725 Surinam. S.R.S. noted 9/10 at ~~043~~ 0420 altho s/on listed for 0430. (Kenney, Cal.) Very potent nightly, copied for 6th report 2122 9/14. (Raczko, Ohio) Let us know if they verie, Bill, believe they've recently cleaned out a backlog of rpts; new QSL cards being sent. Ed.
- 760 Cuba. CMCI, Havana. This supposedly 1 kW stn hrd anytime in the evening w/S-8 signal, still carries Reloj Nacional pgms. (Van Horn, Texas) Noted MM 9/16 while WJR silent, in well w/frequent IDs and TCs 0315-0330 when WJR s/on. (Truax, Ohio)
- P.R. China. CJKT Peking excellent w/Mao talks 9/9 0650. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 764 Senegal. Dakar hrd s/off 1904 9/16 then carrier cut. (Conrad, Ky.) Dakar hrd S-1 or so 0206 9/16. Predict at least one MM before the end of Oct. when Dakar will be readable in the SW after KOB/KFMB s/off. (Kenney, Santa Monica, Calif.) (who gives freq as 764.1)
- ** 782 Syria. The new strong TX at Tartus has now settled on 782 and hrd every night very well, over DDR, until s/off. Often after 1800. Guess power in 200 to 600 kW range. (Ericson, Sweden)
- 785 PDR Korea. Pyong-yang, Korean cl mx 0540 9/9 (Wood, Hawaii)
- ** 790 Argentina. Radio Mitre, LR6 Buenos Aires. Noting excellent SA CX, tuned here for SCN but noted only instrumental SS Mx. Clear "R. Mitre" ID hrd and signal remained good about 20 minutes. Got very clear tape and report/ Programming very un-exciting for SS stns, just a monotonic male ancr between light SS selections, much dead air. Hrd 0505-0525 on 9/8; well worth staying up for. (Starr, Ohio) Believe a first, Jerry
- 800 NWI Bonaire. Religious pgm in PP 0345-0400 9/2. (Father Jack, Cal.) Hrd 2340-2355 w/no XELO despite antenna being pointed to XELO. Glad to hear something on besides Record Roust every night. (Van Horn, Texas) (have you ever tried WBAI? Hi --Ed)
- New Zealand. 2YB Wellington carries the continuity pgm. of 2YA-570 whenever 2YA carries parliamentary sessions. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 818 UAR. Batra, Egypt strong 2210 9/22 well enough to cut through TVI sweep harmonic (appx 819.0); Koran readings. (Nelson, Mass.)
- 830 unID. SS here 0105 to 0158 (date? Ed) featured long cl selections, has an IS of the first 4 chimes of Big Ben, noted 3 times in this period. WCCO looped but still too much for an ID. Help? (Starr, Ohio)
- 831A British Honduras. Belize separable from WCCO 9/14 2100. Anyone have an exact msmt this date? (Raczko, Ohio) (If you assume WCCO is 830 kHz exactly, you can match the audio het against an audio oscillator tone; a 1200 cps tone would put them on 831.2 for example. Ed.)

- 845 Italy. Rome noted at good level w/multilingual AN pgm 2000-2300 on 9/22 (Nelson, Mass.) Is this the only thing on 845 evenings now? E
- 860 New Zealand. IYZ Rotorua steady S-4 to 5 at 0400 NX 9/3, probably the best bet for midwest/WC DXers needing NZ. Clear channel on Tuesday AMs and unlike 2YC-660, lots of verifiable material. (Kenney, Calif)
- 870 Cuba. CM?? La Voz de Cuba S-9+ 0230 9/8, bye-bye HCNV2 (Starr, Ohio) Also, Gray Scrimgeour rpts this one, plus an OC on 875 at 0130 9/8 which I would guess just might be a TI signal?
- 912.1 unID. SS here 0325 9/8, too much static for ID, not noted before. Bears watching. (Starr, Ohio)
- 925 Costa Rica. TIJC-3 now using R.C.N. ID; US style MoR mx, nitely. (Rogers, Fla.)
- 928.6 Colombia. HJCS Radio Continental, Bogotá msd here 0340 9/8. This is the one hetting 930, easily split off for good copy. (Starr, Ohio)
- 940 New Zealand. 2ZA Palmerston North outstanding w/local ID 0605 9/9 (Wo
- 955 Burma. Rangoon pling-plong mx good 0850 9/9 but still no sign of Indi. (Wood, Hawaii) (Richard, you'll just have to follow the crowd and go to Nepal for a year...they say you don't need a radio to hear DX...Ed
- 968 PDR Korea. Pyongyang news in KK 0600 9/9 separable 970 (Wood, Ha.)
- 970 South Korea. HLCA Suwon news in KK hrd same time as 968 item above. (V
- Hawaii. KPUA Hilo found here 0350 8/22 with light mx, news 0400 and considerable QRM. Not sure whether KCHV is still AN--perhaps I was ju
- lucky. (Kenney, Calif.)
- 990 Hawaii. KTRG Honolulu poor 0400-0430 8/22 news followed by talk pgms. Lots of KTKT QRM; first time hrd since KTKT went AN. (Kenney, Calif.)
- 995 unID/Ecuador. Second weak carrier under a very strong HCEW-2 at 2030 9/15, no audio from the second stn at all. DF is Caribbean so probabl the wandering R. Cacique in Haiti previously logged around this freq. Very weak at best. (Nelson, Mass.)
- 1010 Peru. OAX4U Lima, Radio America easy at 0500 9/9 with "R. America" and "La Voz de la Noche" IDs (Kenney, Calif)
- 1016 Germany. Here are 2 Germans: (1) Südwestfunk and (2) Radio DDR-Ferienwelle, Warnemünde which is only on the air during the summer and closed down Sept. 30. Both were quite strong. (Ericson, Sweden) (Believe "Ferienwelle" would be akin to "Holiday radio"; Warnemünde is a port for international pleasure boats in the Baltic etc. I see the East becomes more like us every day. Ed)
- 1035 Haiti. Cap Haitien is in almost every night from just before LSS to s/off usually around 2130. (Raczko, Ohio)
- 1040 unID. SS R. Caribe noted 9/15 and 9/16 w/mx and SS ID 1900 and 2000 both evenings but deep fades + strong WHO KOed. Who? (Truax, Ohio) (I can suggest YVLB R. Carabobo who often dominates at LSS in the winter; HION R. Central; or else the real Radio Caribe last reported on 1050. Only hitch is that I believe Caribe uses Dutch or Papamiento. E
- 1060 Cuba. Actually unID, presuming Cuba. 9/9 0120-0200 MoR mx w/many US style instrumentals; occasional female ancr with "R. Social" and phonetically similar to "Santiago" "R. Republica" and "Musica Maniera". Led me to believe it might be CB-106. Lots of slow fades w/much flut (Kilroy, D.C.) (LARRY GODWIN-can you say if this could be CB-106?)-E
- China P.R. Kwangtung PJKT, Canton. Mao pgm in Cantonese semi-local signal 9/9 0645 (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1080 PDR Korea. Pyongyang play in Korean 9/9 0645. (Wood, Hawaii)
- ** 1106 Cameroon/Germany. First traces of Douala finally noted 9/16 after several years of fruitless attempts. Fairly good 2355-0016 fadeout but enough audio for positive ID, DF series right through Cameroons that night; European most definitely ruled out. Carrier not noted again until 9/21 but it was all AFN by then. AFN should be in after Douala until next Spring; apparently no chance until then. Just a chance or a SM after 0000 s/on since AFN isn't on until 0100 on SM (Nelson, Ma

- 1129 Colombia. Em. Rio-Mar about S-7 at 0030 and 0048 IDs 9/8. Here from 1135. (Scrimgeour, Ont.) Rio-Mar, Barranquilla good, steady signal all alone on the freq. during 9/8 SA CX 0445 (Starr, Ohio) (who gave freq. as 1130 but, being all alone, hard to tell exactly, no?)
- 1130 Hawaii. KLEI Kailua 0215-0235 with "Public service" pgmg, IDing as ten thousand watt KLEI, sounding like 100 kW. Too bad they're not on a clear channel-much better than KORL-650. (Kenney, Calif.)
- 1140 South Korea. HLCX Chonju. Call in EE, many commercials 0550 9/9, could loop against VOA-Phillipine 0559 s/on. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1146 Haiti. Here now with either reduced pwr or DA-nights. I've noted loss of carrier several nights at 1840; back on a minute later much weaker than before. In FF with woman ancr at this time of day. (Conrad, Fla.) (the 764 item of Jerry's should also read as from Fla. and not Ky.-Ed.)
- 1149V unID. Drifting around here now, easily split off from 1150 but which one? None listed for 1150. I've hrd several "Libre Territorio de Amer." IDs out of them. (Conrad, Fla.) I assume this is a Cuban, Jerry? *Ed.
- 1160 South Korea. HLKU Pusan, Korean commercials 9/9 0620. (Wood)
- 1170 Hawaii. KOHO Honolulu noted weakly 0344 8/9 w/Japanese thru KVOO OC. The nominally NSP KVOO apparently does conduct ETs some MMs and sometimes shuts down the xmtr in the process. (Kenney, Calif.) Probably the work of some little old lady in Tulsa who likes WWVA...
- 1190 unID. SS 0200-0215 9/2 talk and typical MX, hit S-6, never heard anything like an ID or locatiön. No sign of KLIF. (Van Horn, Texas) I'd guess, at a glance, Colombia altho I don't know just what's there on this freq. now. Did it sound like RS or perhaps a fiesta? Ed)
- ** 1205 Sierra Leone. Freetown had a S-8 signal here 0108-0133 fade 9/16 and not noted again. Pgm was C&W of all things, many were a male-female duet including "Send me the Pillow You Dream On" and "Walk On". Deep fades of 30 to 50 seconds, anncr sounded a little "hollow" but music modulation good, static high. Country 42 and African 3 (Starr, OH)
- 1210 Guatemala. TGED in and out 2334-0000 9/9 w/"LA MX" and numerous "R. Mil Doscientos Diez" IDs (Kenney, Calif)
- 1235 Bermuda. ZBM-1 Hamilton noted at 0127 8/26 very weak. Good DF. Unneeded but very rare here, even in mid-winter. (Kenney, Calif.)
- 1260 Mexico. XEL, Mexico, D.F. good signal around 0150 9/2 w/LA pop mx and "R. Capital" IDs (Van Horn, Texas)
- 1269 Cuba. Cuban tic-toc very loud at 0100 on 9/8. (Scrimgeour, Ont.)
- 1270 Hawaii. KNDI Honolulu jazz pgms fair to poor many mornings under KFJZ. (Kenney, Calif)
- South Korea. VUNC United Nations Command, Kanghwa Is. semi-local, EE ID 9/9 0535. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1292 unID carrier from South, extremely strong at times 9/8 just after midnight. No audio. Approx. 1291.5 kHz with vernier. (Scrimgeour, Ont)
- 1380 KPOI Hawaii; Honolulu rock mx fair-good 0220-0240 9/9 (Kenney, Cal)
- 1403 Guinea. Conakry definitely still here, msd 1402.56 kHz poor to fair signal around 1850 9/14. (Nelson, Mass.)
- 1420 Japan. JORF Yokohama sports in JJ 9/9 0545 (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1450 Japan. JOKF Takamatsu best Jap 9/6 0510, often best JO signal (Wood)
- 1466 Monaco. Monte Carlo nice sig just preceding sked s/on 2345 9/15 during ET (equipment test-Ed.) very high for so early in the year. (Conrad, Fla.) (I think this season should be slightly better than last for TA's tho the difference may be apparent only over a very long term base-E)
- 1500 Hawaii. KUMU Honolulu very likely 0315-0430 9/15 Fair signal at time but KBBQ (?) OC made this almost impossible to read. Quiet pop mx program. (Kenney, Calif.) (It may be useful to head for the biggest public library in the area and ask for a copy of the Honolulu Star-Bulletin for Sunday-which they might have-and check the listings for radio programs; this might help ID the format. I think KSTP may be another possibility here, too. An idea, anyway.)

we'll continue with another listing for...

- 1500 Mexico. Most likely this one here, XERH with variety show. Good over KSTP. Hrd "Yucatan" mentioned several times, first time noted here. (Kilroy, D.C.)
- 1515 unID. SS with pop records 0320 9/9, thought some advertisements were heard. Bothered by OC from 1510. Possible HJLQ or HIBL? (Kilroy) (These two drift so much I'd hate to guess. Does anyone know what's on this freq. now?)
- 1555 unID. SS spkr here looping eastern Caribbean noted 2100 9/13 while looking for ORTF-1554. Too much WOKJ slop to do anything with it. Wh (Conrad, Ky..oops, F)
- 1580 Thailand. FARS Free Asia Radio Stn., Takh Li w/locally produced pgm in EE 9/1 0800, their own ID, end of EE at 0830 and anncd. will resume EE at 1900. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1586 Germany. WDR Langenburg very nice almost every evening. Best so far 9/15 at 2330 when reached S-7 for a while. Much fading as usual. (Conrad, Fla.)

= = = = = VERIFICATIONS = = = = =

- 800 NEW ZEALAND. 2YB, Wellington. V/q. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 840 ST. LUCIA. R. Caribbean International, Castries, finally verified my third report w/letter; v/s is: A.F.K. Joynes, Mgr. (Raczko, Ohio)
- 854 PERU. R. Nacional del Peru, Lima signed and stamped my PP/c on a f/up with help of the U.S. Embassy in Lima. V/s was Dirección General. (Raczko, Ohio)
- 860 MEXICO. XEMO, Tijuana, B.C. Card via San Diego from L. Chase. (Wood)
- 1430 JAPAN. JOVF, Wakayama, W.B.C. Letter and 2 cards from Katsumi Izumoto, Producer. (Wood, Hawaii)
- 1466 MONACO. 3AM2 verified my f/up with standard v/q in English. It was addressed to "Mr. East Lincolnshire, Toledo, Ohio 43606" so it's a miracle I even got it. Country #37 verified. (Raczko, Ohio)
- 1530 MEXICO. Radio Onda, México. QSL-text stamped on picture postcard specifying XEUR but should also verify all other stations of the Nucleo Radio Mil: XEPH-590, XEOY-1000, XECO-1380, XEBS-1410. So, another Mexican network has begun verifying, in this Olympic year. V/s was Jorge García P. (Wood, Hawaii) Perhaps we should have the Olympics a bit more often...
- 1540 BAHAMAS. ZNS sent mimeo v/letter for Country #41.

 That's all the material on hand as of Tuesday night. I checked 2111 every day for the past several days and had nothing at all; I can only assume that CX have been very bad lately and that has been the reason for the lack of mail. Gordon tells me that MR will have a 6-side limit, so we will have the capability to fit in quite a bit more material, which I'm sure will be forthcoming soon enough! I'm still not sure how the letter density, and the margins, will turn out so if anything is a bit off, we should have it ironed out in a week or so. My work schedule being what it is, I'd like to have tips arrive at Box 2111 on Tuesdays and I'll most likely be picking them up late in the afternoon.

I also collect U.S. coins; if anyone wants to write and talk numismatics, do so. And, if anyone should ever have occasion to telephone be sure and make it at station-station rates as no one answers at the number except myself.

I think this ought to be at least a fairly good season; NOW is the time to be looking for the TA's and I hope everyone has good luck this

William Paul Kilroy - 2113 Fort Davis Street S.E. - Washington, D.C. 20020
I've started to give the new HQ-180 its Fall premier work-out on the BCB. But CX didn't seem too good at all. Also the antenna needs some reworking to increase the sensitivity on the 540-1040 part of the spectrum. Some FCC info: KOBY-1550 Nev. is not yet on the air nor licensed to broadcast yet. Their CP was 1/30/68 to 9/30/68. An extension is expected. CPs for the 720k Las Vegas station & 780 Reno station are still "docket cases" & no CP has been granted yet. Probably by a year before they get on the air. R. Kuwait has 200kw. on 1345k, listed on an SWBC QSL. They have an EE broadcast from 11pm to 1am EST but unk if it is aired o/BCB XR. Kuwait sounds like a real challenge. DX: Latest catches have been nothing startling w/only one station heard for first time. I did not hear KVRA-1570 SD skeded TT 3:30-3:45 on 9/9. Did anyone else hear them? No QSLs received but f/ups to KRDS-1190 & CKRB-1460 Que. for Special Test were sent. Heard: 9/1- XERH?-1500 11:25pm w/variety show & much mention of "Yucatan." Good, o/KSTP. 9/9- WYSL-1400 NY (first time here) 3:11am WX. WCRO-1230 Pa. mx. WATR-1320 Conn. 4:07am, mx. WMEX-1510 Mass. 12:25am TT & Pop mx, ruining DX for other stations. UnID SS on 1060 1:20-2am w/MoR & female announcer between dach selection, IDed as "Radio Social" plus. My best bet is Cuba but propagation fades & other SS words & phrases makes a possible CB106 in Chile, though doubtful. I did hear what sounded like "Miniera" & "Santiago." I do hope to hear ~~more~~ on the proposed merger of NRC & IRCA. It has its advantages but the details may present some difficulties in "ironing out." Here's hoping for a good season; & that's the top of DX as it looks from here.

Morris Sorensen - Box 93 - Emsdale, Ontario

Time for another report - my last before I go up to Sudbury for my second year at Laurentian U. starting 9/16. At registration I got talked into transferring to the four year honours history course so it will be a few more years before I can get back to serious DXing again. However, according to my timetable I will have no Monday classes until 1:30pm so I may be able to do some MM DXing. MM 8/26- WSAL-1230 Logansport; Md. s/off 11:58pm (actually 8/25 EST), unID FFC s/pff w/o Canada midnight. 8/26- WJAB-1440 Westbrook, Me. 6:16pm. MM 9/2- WNEB-1230 Worcester, Mass. 12:34am, apparently AN, as announcing further programs. 9/4- CJTT-1230 New Liskeard, Ont. my closest unheard (except LPRTs) @ 133 miles finally IDed @ 6:32pm but not enough to report. 9/5- WIGS-1230 Gouverneur, NY w/ID as "serving northern NY & SE Ont." 5:57 pm. 9/6- WMIC-1560 Sandusky, Mich. 5:18pm. 9/13- WRAN-1510 Dover, NJ 6:52pm. As you can see, I've been concentrating on 1230k, a very interesting frequency here. Veries received: WABY-1400 Albany NY, WJAB-1440 Westbrook, Me. (claimed to be in Portland) KIOA-940 Des Moines, WBNS-1460 Columbus, WSNY-1240 Schenectady, & CHNO-900 Sudbury who finally stamped their call letters on both pages of my report & mailed it back after three reports. A lot of work, especially since I enclosed an SASE, hi. I have heard the FFC s/off two MMs in a row at midnight EST & I recall Bill Stone mentioning this one a few months ago. Has anyone IDed it yet? 8/24 DX NEWS arrived here 9/14! I guess I will have to renew First Class. Totals are now 503/307. CJTT was #500 logged. I sure wish I could have been in BOSTON but I just didn't have the \$\$\$, hi. 73. (Fly now - pay later ??? -ERC)

Ron J. Ponke - 8079 Dale - Centerline, Michigan - 48015

Hi all! I hope everybody had a good Summer! Looks like the Detroit Tigers will win their first pennant in 23 years, too bad, BOSTON, hi! DX scanty but here goes: 8/24- WCBY-1240 Cheyboygan, Mich. had @ 12:05am w/Tigers BB. 8/25- KSDN-930 Aberdeen, SD, had @ 11:50pm w/"Night Watch" program: 8/26- WMAK Nashville had @ 12:25am. CKPT-1420 Peterborough had @ 12:30am w/WHK-1420 off. 8/27- WBL-1330 Sheboygan, Wis. had @ 11:58pm. Veries: v/q- WBAW WBNS WGY WNBC WIMJ WWSW WCAO WHIO KXOK KNX CBK KRLD KIHN WOKY. v/1- WDUZ WDIC WKMI. One last item: CKJD-1250 Sarnia Ont. had on 9/3 at 1:17am, first time heard. Totals: 563/183, 37/35, 5/4, 19/7. Best state veried: 0., 27, best province, Ont., 22. That's it for now. I hope to have some new DX soon. 73s.

Jeff H. Ross - 125-12 Cronston Avenue - Rockaway Park, New York - 11694

Well, I've just decided I'm not dead after all, hi. A little DX has managed to squeak in (would you believe four stations, hi): 8/21- WVOW-1290 WVa. @ 11:29pm. 8/27- WVOF-1320 Fla. @ 10:45pm. 9/1- WRBL-1420 Ga. @ 11:04pm & last, WTVR-1380 Va. @ 12:30am on 9/7. Only veries zreceived have been WSUB v/r & CM, & WPMR, v/1. I hope the Convention was enjoyable for all. Before I go, I'd just like to mention that the fifth Edition of edition of the JONES LOG is now available. 73s.

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DX'er	Location	Countries	T.V.	Foreign	As a	Test
A. Slater	England	128	508	500	32	KSBU, Okinawa
B. Dansonfield	Pennsylvania	105	VAC 400	327	6	Pyongyang 655
H. Anderson	Virginia	98	VAC 1434	419	4	Damascus 786 10k
H. Gustafson	Illinois	89	VAC 817	273	12	Haifa 1025 500w
H. Robio	Massachusetts	81	252	138	3	Aleppa 746
A. Merriman*	Virginia	75	VAC 1041	206	3	Yerevan 863
D. Reynolds	California	72	VAC 1325	445	55	Thailand 1146 10k
C. Freeman	California	60	VAC 1244	311	30	VOA-Luzon 1140
H. Wilkinson	California	54	VAC 296	281	88	JOID Japan 500w
A. Rugg	Quebec	53	1350	1172	—	
N. Maguire	New Mexico	52	VAC 2837	390	37	JOOC 880 500w
G. Allen	California	52	VAC 2607	465	66	R. Sakhalin 973
S. Drake	Pennsylvania	52	VAC 2272	297	1	R. Baghdad 764
J. Callarman	Massachusetts	50	VAC 740	138	6	JOQC 1220
W. Rutzhan	Pennsylvania	46	3073	366	—	
B. Nittler	Colorado	40	VAC 2327	193	6	JOOR 1210
G. Scrimgeour	Ontario	40	VAC 457	386	26	FEN-Japan 1580 2k
J. Starr	Ohio	37	646	114	—	
J. Conrad*	Kentucky	37	585	90	—	
E. Raczko	Ohio	34	347	57	—	
W. Stone	Ontario	32	2807	2497	—	
H. Williams	Connecticut	32	2411	136	—	
E. Johnson*	Illinois	28	2746	283	—	
J. Neff	New York	28	VAC 280	84	1	VOA-Okinawa 1178
F. Wheeler	Pennsylvania	23	1774	73	—	
P. Kilroy	Washington, DC	23	138	31	—	
B. Reynolds	Missouri	21	623	78	—	
E. Wesolowski	Nebraska	20	1010	110	1	R. Peking 1040
B. Karchevski**	Massachusetts	16	501	113	—	
R. Hays	Kentucky	16	307	29	—	
L. Kruse	Iowa	15	3943	77	—	
E. Floden	Ontario	15	91	63	—	
N. Shacat	Massachusetts	13	147	32	—	
The Haneikos	Pennsylvania	12	191	26	—	
J. Long	Connecticut	11	101	29	—	
D. Carlson	Missouri	10	257	28	—	
T. Davisson**	Ohio	9	350	38	—	
W. Rogers	Florida	9	148	7	—	
R. Edmunds	New York	8	198	40	—	
M. Sorensen	Ontario	7	300	229	—	
T. Hartloff**	New York	6	202	34	—	
Fr. J. Pejza	California	6	79	14	—	
R. Coday*	California	5	327	43	—	
The Boselovics	Pennsylvania	5	174	26	—	
D. White	Kentucky	5	65	5	—	

Please note change of address back to New Mexico for the next three months. Welcome to Walter Rogers and return of Hank Wilkinson to the standings. Sure sorry to list what may be the last standings of our old friend, Hal Williams. Next month, a new listing. Number of Canadian Provinces verified. Please let me have these totals and note N.W.T. or Yukon if you should be so lucky to have either of these verified. Next month will feature East Africa. Remember, send reports to me in New Mexico. 73 and Aloha, Norm.

Please refer to the editing specifications, which might appear monthly.

- A After hours: Midnight to sunrise DX
- 640 WOI-Iowa ET/TT 0315+ 9/16, beautiful signal w/Cuban nullled; have been wanting this one for years. (Jerry Starr, Ohio)
- * 710 WOR/unID WOR off RS MM 9/23, frequent OC. 2nd unID OC/TT w/WOR left air 2343 (9/22). (Frank Waldron, Matawan, NJ)
- * 760 WJR-Mich Off all MM 9/16, TT noted at 2245 (9/15). (Waldron)
- 780 WBBO-NC TT 0130+ 9/30. (Starr, Ohio)
- 850 WKIX-NC AN TT 9/23. (Starr, Ohio)
- 940 WINZ-Fla ET/mx 0130 10/1. (Starr)
- * 960 GKMS-Ont Announcing "now 24 hrs" 10/1, never noted AN before; powerful signal here. (Starr)
- 1050 KOFY-Cal TT 0345+ 8/15, w/ID. Engineer claims he's not allowed to QSL: will pay him a visit. (Dave Kulka, Greenbrae, Cal)
- 1160 unID Telephone talk show w/good sigs; thought it was KSL for a while, but there was mention of a Slavic name (Jzvozko) so will count as Bulgaria. Tnx for the help, Randy- country #4. What power does Kardzali have? (michael b northam, Beaverton, Oreg) 30 gallons, 86 proof. (rk)
- 1220 CHSC/unID Not AN 9/13, 16, but unID AN/OC-TT-mx-crap without ID.
- 1320 WKAP-Pa Ending ET 0202 9/30. (Starr, Ohio)
- 1330 WPOW-NY Noted s/on 0253 10/1 w/WHOT nullled. (Starr)
- WHOT-Ohio Was heard inside the Arctic Circle in Ventie, Alaska, 0457 9/5; very fine report rcvd from Rich Heald. (Starr)
- Do you get any reports from Sweden, Jerry? (rk)
- 1340 WLAV-Mich Noted ANing 0330 9/18. (Starr, Ohio)
- 1390 WFMJ-Ohio AN TT here 9/13 was 5kw local, seems to test every few weeks. (Jerry Starr)
- *1440 WSEL-Miss F/c-TT 0135-0155 9/13, not on F/c List. Powerful signal; square wave modulation produces beautiful spurs on 1435 & 1445. If announcer's accent were any heavier, he wouldn't be able to speak at all. (Starr, Ohio)
- 1460 KERZ-Tex ET 0640, clear ID, 8/19. (Kulka, Cal)
- 1490 KDB-Cal In very well all AM 9/30, MoR, almost no fade. (Kulka)
- WROL-Tenn Hrd for first time 9/21 0128-0200 w/C&W. (Waldron, NJ)
- WFAD-Vt Brief ET 9/6 0301-0306; TT, ID, OC, mx. (Waldron)
- unID F/c-TT & IDs every 5 min 2300-2345 9/15. Nothing listed, too weak for ID- any ideas? (Starr, Ohio)
- *1500 KKRX-Cal Had a rare SP 9/30, was testing 0545-0600 though. (Kulka)
- WGMF-NY New stn had f/c-TT 2300-2315 9/15. (Starr)
- 1510 WINU-Ill Noted TT 0128 9/9. (Starr, Ohio)
- 1530 K/LA-La 9/16 0053 r/c. (Frank Wheeler, Erie, Pa)
- 1550 WPTN-Tenn ET on & off all AM 9/15. (Starr)
- ** WXVA-WVa ET/mx 0100 9/27. (Starr) It might be mentioned that WXVA will have had a DX TEST for NRC/IRCA MM 10/7, 0300-0330. Modulation is downbeat MoR; announcements by BAD-Guy GJ Fox, tape engineering by Dave Kulka. They will again test 10/28-- reports to Fred Kennison, CE.
- *1580 WCLS-Ga AN MM 9/16; NSP now? (Waldron, NJ)
- WVKO-Ohio TT/OC 0048-0100 9/18, ID every 5 min. F/c? (Starr, Ohio)
- 9/18 0055-0102 ET. (Wheeler, Pa)

B Sunrise s/ons, daytime DX

- 740 KYME-Idaho Fantastic signal w/0800 s/on 9/30, RR & wx. Gone in 7 minutes. (Kulka, Cal)
- 860 CBH/unIDs RR stn hrd w/nx at 0355 9/23, cut by CBH s/on w/GSQ 0350, cut by unID OC at 0402. (Waldron, NJ)
- 1300 unID S/on w/2 SSBs, into SS, 0702 8/19. SRDS has KKUB 100% SS. (Kulka, Cal)

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1380 KSRV-Oreg S/on 0800 8/19. (Kulka, Cal)
 KMUL-Tex S/on 0800 8/19. (Kulka, Cal)
 1390 KBLW-Utah S/on w/SSB 0800 8/13. (Kulka)
 1420 KULY-Kans S/on 0700 8/15, rare on WC. (Kulka, Cal)
 KPJS-Okla S/on 0728 8/17, gone by 0745. (Kulka)
 1470 KRBC-Tex S/on 0600 8/19. (Kulka, Cal)

C

Sunset s/off, DK until midnight

900 WSWN-Fla S/off hrd 1900 8/25. (David Citron, Hollywood, Fla)
 960 WBOC-Ild 9/14 2307 s/off. (Wheeler, Pa)
 WDBJ-Va 9/14 2310 s/off. (Wheeler, Pa)
 980 WDVH-Fla S/off 1912 8/26. (Citron, Fla)
 WLOD-Fla S/off 1900 8/22. (Citron, Fla)
 010 WINQ-Fla S/off 1900 8/22. (Citron, Fla)
 1460 WBUC-TVa S/off 1800 9/17, should be 1815 per SR-SS Maps. (Starr)
 1550 WRIZ-Fla S/off hrd 1900 8/25. (Citron, Fla)

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Schedules, other information

1240 WBBW-Ohio Taller tower is nearing completion, watch for ETs with
 1kw. (Starr, Ohio)
 1290 WBBS-NC Verie says RS will begin on or about 10/10. (Waldron)
 1380 KTOM-Cal Salinas, Cal has changed calls from KSBW; Pejza's got
 OK ears. (mbn; Pvt. John Arthur, San Jose, Cal/W Germ-
 any) rk's got deficient information.
 KTSN-Tex 0730-0200, hrd s/on 8/19; pop mx. (Kulka)
 1410 CPUN-BC V/l mentions going to MoR from RR (Kulka)
 1500 NSTP-Minn V/q recd per Religious stn hrd 0606 8/2. See, Randy? I'm
 not always wrong! (Kulka, Cal) Yeah, but how do you
 know that anyone read your report? (rk)
 1520 WAOA-Ala New, Opelika. Per ad in Broadcasting, station is now on,
 Skw-D. Box 2329, Zip 36801. (Starr, Ohio)

Most of Dave Kulka's above DX was heard in Riverside,

Cal.

Welcome to Boston- and to the loose fraternity of BAD
 Guys- to Emerson Freshman GJ Fox. Geoff, a WECB-Man, has already been
 initiated into NRC publishing, among other things-- and is holed up in
 the Back Bay.

NRC and IRCA members might be reminded that, in addition
 to the NRC Log, our club now produces the North American List for the
World Radio-TV Handbook. Although not as complete as the Log, which in-
 cludes skeds, addresses, PSA, etc, WRFVH's accurate List does contain
 directional patterns of all stations, and is a good reason, again, to
 buy this fine publication.