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D X NEWS

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Well once again it's high time to begin this week's Bulletin and at present there only seems to be one subject to talk about and that is "Old Man Static". We certainly found plenty of it here at headquarters over this past week end.

We received a fine letter from Fred Burleigh who did such a fine job on the DX program which was run from station WATR about 10 days ago. He says that although heavy static was reported by nearly everyone that they still received 155 reports but that none had been received from anything or anyone past the midwest. He says that our members came through with reports in fine shape and he is well pleased.

It certainly would appear that Mr. S. C. Kellenberger of Riverside, Illinois was up on his call letters alright for he sends us the following answers to last week's brain teasers. WCK Detroit Free Press, Detroit, Mich; WEBH Edgewater Beach Hotel, Chicago, Ill; WJAX Union Trust Co., Cleveland, Ohio; WOAW Woodmen of the World, Omaha, Neb; WRW Tarrytown Radio Research Labs. Tarrytown, N. Y; WABE Y.M.C.A. Washington, D.C.; WEB The Benwood Co., Inc. St. Louis, Mo. WBAY American Tel & Tel Co., New York City. WNAW Henry Kunzman, Ft. Monroe, Va; WWI Ford Motor Co., Dearborn, Mich; and WFAN Hutchinson Electric Service Co., Hutchinson, Minn. There were only three that Mr. Kellenberger could not identify and they are as follows: CHNC Toronto, Ont. - WDBW Columbia, Tenn. and KFPT Salt Lake City, Utah.

We have some very sad news to tell our members, it is with deep regret that we inform you of the passing of one of the finest little stations that it has ever been the pleasure of "ye editor" to have heard. We learn from the Federal Communications Commission that KFPM the 15 watt station in Greenville, Texas have voluntarily surrendered their license owing to economic conditions. We know that many of our members will be sorry to hear of this for it certainly gave many of us a thrill to hear this little 15 watter from way down in Texas.

Next season the NRC expects to add a short wave column to it's weekly Bulletin and we have contacted a gentlemen whom we are certain will make a fine short wave editor for us, we hope to be able to announce his name next week.

Elwin H. Bullard of Drummondville, Quebec sends us the following information. That WMFD 137 O kyocs. Wilmington, N. C. will put on their first test program on the 9th of this month. Naturally this program will have already taken place by the time that this Bulletin reaches you. However we have mentioned it to you, inasmuch as we felt certain that they will run some additional test programs. We therefore suggest you watch closely for tests from this station. The one on the 9th will run from 1:00 to 4:00 A.M., and we presume that the others will run around the same time.

Ray Lewis one of our Toledo members has asked us to help him in securing the name of the fellow that sign's EAJ7's verifs? He says that he has written the station twice without any luck. His address is Route #3, Box 660, Toledo, Ohio. We know he'll appreciate any help any of you can give him in connection with this station.

Joe Stokes has asked us to call to your attention that he is offering free to all our members who are really interested in DX a circular which describes the percentages of field strength measurements. He says everyone ought to have one of these circulars, inasmuch as there is a lot of short wave news-interval signals etc also included which would assist you in understanding the reports that Joe has been reading for the past few weeks. Address your request to Joe c/o KDKA DX Club.

We did not have the room last week to properly thank Alec Kinghorn for having sent us that up-to-the-minute list of Cuban stations that he printed last week. We certainly do appreciate this splendid co-operation on the part of Alec and we hope you'll all hold this list pending any additional changes that Alec may send us at a latter date. Thanks, Alec, we appreciate your fine work a lot!!!!!!

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION NEWS-Compiled by C.G.Huber, Adv. Chr.  
KFFM 1310 kycs. 15 watts Greenville, Texas have surrendered license because of economic conditions.  
KGA, Spokane, Wash. ordered back to 1470 kycs, its regular frequency, to operate with 5KW effective 3:00 A.M. April 8, 1935.

Applications Dismissed or Denied:

CPS to erect new stations:

N. D. Smith, Jr. Chattanooga, Tenn.

Lafayette Advertiser Gazette Co., Inc. Lafayette, La.

Applications received for CP's to erect new stations:-

1500 kycs. Bend, Ore. L. E. Robideaux. (Amended)  
580 " Pottsville, Pa. E. L. Clifford. (Resubmitted)  
1420 " Abilene, Texas, Guilford Broadcasting Co. (Amended)  
1420 " Denton, Texas, Denton-Record Chronicle Co.  
630 " Rochester, N. Y. Brown Radio Service and Laboratory.  
1370 " Champaign, Ill., Champaign News-Gazette.  
1200 " Pittsburgh, Kansas, Joplin Broadcasting Co. (Amended)  
1200 " Omaha, Neb., Omaha Broadcasting Co. (Amended)  
850 " Visalia, Cal. C. Standiford. (Amended)  
1200 " Juneau, Alaska, Alaska Radio & Service Co., Inc. (Resubmitted & amended)  
1140 " Springfield, Mass. Connecticut Broadcasting Co.  
1200 " Hartford, Conn. The Hartford Times, Inc. (Amended)  
1200 " Columbus, Ga. D. Parmer  
1500 " St. Joseph, Mo. KGBX, Inc. (Amended)  
1370 " Rapid City, S. D. Black Hills Broadcast Co. (Amended)  
950 " Fairbanks, Alaska. E. A. Craft.  
1200 " Chattanooga, Tenn. D. J. Conolly & Co.  
1210 " Cheyenne, Wyoming P. R. Heitmeyer  
1210 " Fresno, Calif. M. J. Hansen.  
15 00 " Roseburg, Ore. Southern Oregon Publishing Co. (Amended)  
1370 " Trinidad, Col. E. L. Sherman and H. L. Corley (Amended)

From the Globe Circlers DX Club we learn that the following changes have been made in the After-Midnight Monitoring Schedule which are held the first week of each month. Add on the first Monday of each month:-  
WIFF 1310 kycs. Plattsburg, N. Y. 2:40 to 3:00 A.M. and KRLC 1420 kycs. Lewiston, Idaho 7:40 to 8:00 A.M., E.S.T. Earl Roberts has advised us that the engineer of WIRE have told him that these tests will not be discontinued but that it is no longer compulsory for a station to put them on. He says that he believes that most of the stations will continue to put on these tests every month as a matter of policy. Thanks for this information, Earl.

Today we have received quite a bit of interesting mail on our Old Time Call Letters which we printed last week and we feel that it might be interesting to continue with them for another week or so. The most interesting letters we received today were from Kermit Geary and Joe Becker who submitted some additional Old Timers to us this week. We are printing some from both of their lists as this week's "Brain Teasers." Let us know whether you like these Teasers, if you do, we'll continue them indefinitely. Brain Teasers Puzzle No. 2.

WABQ	WRK	KUT	KFHA	KFCB	KGIO	KKP
WREC	WSRO	WPRC	KFEY	WMBL	KGIQ	KFUR
WAGS	CZE	WEPS	KFQB	WTHS	WALK	WEAM
WAAD	6KW	KFWC	KEJK	WBET	WSMD	KOW

In the letter from Kermit Geary he tells us of the wonderful record that he has established with an old USL 5 tube regenerative battery receiver during the past nine years. He has heard 555 stations that are active stations, only includes stations now on the air and the call now being used. We believe you could submit some more good Brain Teasers, let's hear from you again.

Joe Becker adds that he received the Lynch Antenna Kit alright and that just as soon as he gets it installed we are to watch his smoke. Go to it, Joe. old timer! Hope you'll find the Kit satisfactory.

Looks as though the Get-To-Gether will take place June 23rd alright. We've had some additional correspondence on it this week and that date really seems to suit the majority of our members who are planning to attend better than any other day. Let us hear from you if you expect to be here so we'll know how many to expect.

Don't forget to try for that "Four Star Special" which has been arranged by Charles H. Hesterman from station WHAM 1150 kycs. Rochester N. Y. on Sunday morning, April 14 from 12:00 to 1:00 A.M., E.S.T. This more than likely will be the final in a series of broadcasts that have certainly been the result of some marvelous work on the part of Mr. Hesterman. We certainly feel obligated to you for your fine work, Chas.

Inasmuch as news is rather scarce we feel that this would be a good time to give you a brief review of the work done by our club this season. We were one of the sponsors of the Inter-Club Co-Operation Plan which began this season, and to the delight of all connected with it, has proven itself to be the biggest step forwards that has been taken by the clubs since the beginning of DX. Our Courtesy Programs Committee under the wonderful direction of C. G. Huber almost doubled the number of programs for our club this season, over the number that we had last year. They succeeded in getting some very rare catches on the air in the form of CHCK, XEE, XEKL, and XEFJ, and several others which we do not happen to recall at the present moment. Our membership showed an increase over last year and we are hoping to more than double our membership next season. In all probability we will hold a "Membership Contest" and will award some very excellent prizes next season to the winners, so that during the summer months we would suggest that you get on the job and have your candidates for membership all lined up till next fall at which time this contest will begin. Our club has faithfully co-operated with all of the stations this season as well as having co-operated faithfully with all of the clubs in on the Inter-Club Co-Operation Plan. We are hoping to go still further and do bigger things in the coming season which is about 4 months off at the present time. If any of you have any suggestions over the summer months won't you please let us have them for we do want to do Bigger and Better things.

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 13.											
WKY	900	Okla. City	1-1:30	--	WHDL	1420	Olean	6-7	CDXR		
SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 14.											
WHAM	1150	Rochester	NRC, IDA	12-1	CDXR	WOS	630	Jefferson City	3-4	----	
XEFE	1370	Nuevo Laredo		1-5	NRC	CKOV	630	Kelowna	3:30-4	----	
WEHC	1420	Charlotteville		1:30-2:30	--	KIDW	1420	Lamar	NRC	3:30-4:30	--
WBIG	1440	Greensboro		2-3	CDXR	CFJC	880	Kamloops	4-5	----	
KOY	1390	Phoenix		2-3	GCDXC	KXL	1420	Portland	4-5	CDXR	
WOV	1130	New York City		2-5	----	1OAK	1200	Stratford	4:30-5:30	--	
VOGY	840	St. Johns		2-5	CDXR	WNEL	1290	San Juan	5-7	----	
KDB	1500	Santa Barbara		3-4	CDXR						
MONDAY MORNING, APRIL 15.											
WDNC	1500	Durham		1-1:30	--						
TUESDAY MORNING, APRIL 16.											
WDAY	940	Fargo		1-4	----						
WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 17.											
WKBB	1500	East Dubuque	CDXR	1-1:30	--	KWTO	560	Springfield	2-2:30	--	
WROK	1410	Rockford		2-2:30	--	WOPI	1500	Bristol	3-5	----	
THURSDAY MORNING, APRIL 18.											
WCBD	1080	Waukegan		2:30-3	CDXR	KMPC	710	Beverly Hills	3-4	CDXR	
SUNDAY MORNING, APRIL 21.											
XEFE	1370	Nuevo Laredo		1-5	GCDXC	KXL	1420	Portland	4-5	CDXR	
CJAT	910	Trail		3-5	----						

CFQC DX TIPS EVERY TUESDAY, THURSDAY and SATURDAY 12:00 to 12:30 A.M.  
 CKCK DX TIPS EVERY SATURDAY MORNING 12:15 to 12:30 A.M.  
 WORK DX CLUB BROADCASTS EVERY FRIDAY EVENING 7:45 to 8:00 P.M. (1320)  
 KDKA DX CLUB BROADCASTS EVERY SATURDAY MORNING 12:30 to 1:00 A.M.  
 KFI DX TIPS EVERY SATURDAY MORNING AT 2:30 A.M.  
 WTCN DX TIPS EVERY SUNDAY MORNING AT 12:45 A.M.

We have just received a card from E. A. Feichtner our Erie, Pa. member who advises us that WLEU 1420 kycs. Erie, Penna. are scheduled to begin broadcasting on April 20 according to their local newspapers. He therefore suggests that all of our members be on the lookout for some tests from this station within the next week. Thanks for this information, Mr. Feichtner, we know all of the members will be looking for WLEU.

At this time we want to welcome Mr. M. Fred Seibert, 823 Walnut St., Collingdale, Penna. as a new member in our club. We hope that you will find our Bulletins a big help to you in your DXing activities.

D. Floyd Smith our faithful member from Greenville, Ill. and also one of our hard-working CPCers has arranged several dedications for the members of our club. The first of which will take place from WMBO 1310 kycs. Auburn, N. Y. on the morning of April 24 from 1:30 to 2:00 A.M. E.S.T. He has also arranged for two frequency check dedications which will take place in May. The one is from WAML 1310 kycs. Laurel, Miss. who will dedicate their test of May 7 from 5:20 to 5:40 A.M., E.S.T. and the other is from WBRE 1310 kycs. Wilkes-Barre, Penna. who will dedicate their test of May 6 from 4:20 to 4:40 A.M., E.S.T. to our members. We hope that you will listen in to these broadcasts and send in your reports to these stations in appreciation of their having dedicated a program to the members of our club. It is altogether possible that these will be the final dedications for our club this season, hence we are very anxious that the stations get some excellent reports from our members. We hope that static will let up a bit until the end of the month, although it hardly seems that we can look for any great improvement owing to the lateness of the season.