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We welcome the following new members:-Jim Walker-Romney W.Va.....  
Stephen A.Mann-Lakewood Ohio....Hal Buttels-Aurora Ill.

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To all you new members do not forget the NRC Special Program over WJBO-1120 kc.,Baton Rouge La the 1st and third Sundays of every month, from 2:00-4:00 AM EST.Mr.Wilbur Golson the Chief Engineer is also a member of the NRC and will appreciate all reports,and its a real program, Wilbur will dedicate numbers to you if you write and tell him what you want.

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Summary of the NRC DX activities for the past three months:-The NRC has added 41 new members,lost 12 old members that did not renew,but from the 12 there were only three active DXers.The NRC has had 31 dedications for the club with 23 of these being reported and three of them cancelled by the FCC at the last minute,these three were WRNL KAST and KCY.A grand total of 70 tips carried in our DX calendar.Now in closing this short summary of our last three months of DX activities it only proper that we send greetings to the clubs and other publications that has been staunch friends and boosters of the NRC and wishing them all a Happy New Year.

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"HAPPY NEW YEAR" to all you loyal NRC members and lets hope that youall enjoy a prosperous year in 1939 in your DX'ing,and at this time I want to thank each and everyone one of you for the fine way that you have co-operate in making the NRC a real DX club,as its not the officers of the NRC that makes the club but you members,when you members fail us them the NRC fails.So if you members want anything just asked for it, when you pay your Fee's into the NRC you are part of the machine that makes it run.Now a word to the Editors of the NRC I want to thank each of you for the fine way that you have kept your news into HQ.The only regret that I have been unable to print all the news that you have sent in but arrangements are being made so that we can increase our number of pages in the NRC,and if this is made we will print all news in the future

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Hi-Lights in the past weeks of DX by the NRC members:-Stations heard:-~~CMKQ CMKZ CMKW CMKJ CMKE CMKY CMDE CMDF CMGZ CMDC CMK~~  
~~CMG CMGA CMKM TIX TIPC WLB XEPC XEPI XEAT XEJEM XEBZ XET XEUK AND~~  
~~HILAN YVSRQ LRA LRS LRA LRA HJ3AEZ LLL CX18 HJ3ABE~~ -read the LPO reports for further details.

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CMKW Santiago de Cuba will dedicate a special DX program to the NRC on the morning of February 5,1939. The program will start at 1:00 AM and will run on untill after 2:00. Since they will be on a new frequency (770 kcs) it will be necessary to have them stay on untill after WBBM signs off. We beleive that this can be arranged. They advise that they are preparing a new transmitter and will have it in operation for this program.They also will use increased power of 1500 watts.

"Mr.Up Paul Knight"

Here we are again after a two week vacation.It wasn't a vacation though,since we had the columns in the mail as usual but they did not reach headquarters in time for publication.We didnt have much news anyhow, so youse didn't miss much.

Dont forget that WHMA,1420 kc.,Anniston Alabama will verify reports on their January and February frequency checks and after that will refuse to answer reports.The time of their check is the second Saturday from 5:20-5:35 AM EST.

Ed Feichtner says that WSTP,1500 kc.,Salisbury N.C. was heard with a test on the morning og the 28th. WSTP will go on the air with their regular programs January 1st. This makes the fifth new station in the last three weeks.Others that are due to start soon include KRBM and WTRY.

Mr.M.M.Valentine of KPAB writes us that he has arranged to give the DX world a real treat.Starting on the morning of January 15th,KPAB will have a DX program every morning from 2:00-3:00am.These programs will continue through February 7th. Heres where the fun comes in...KPAB will send in addition to the regular verification,a very worthwhile souvenir of Mexico to each person sending in a report on one of these program.These souvenirs will include sombreros, sarapes, pottery, feather pictures, jumping beans, dressed fleas, miniature figures and many other characteristic Mexican handiwork pieces too numerous to mention. Hers your chance to add a really worthwhile souvenir to your DX treasures and besides you'll be sending KPAB a report for which they will be most grateful. Let's show Mr.Valentine that the NRC has plenty of live wire members. We presume that the time mention is CST but will check with KPAB to make certain.

Traffic Cop Ray Edge (bawling out lady driver) "Dont you know what I mean when I hold up my hand.?"

Lady Driver(meekly):"I ought to,,I've been a school teacher for twenty years!"

What has happen to the TA stations.The only one that has been reported is Radio Normandie on 1411 kc and they too seem to have been lost for the past week or so. Maybe the boys are holding back so that they can get valuable points in the S & E contest. No use fellows...Nick Evangelista has that all sewed up. Might as well let us have your TA reprts.

Professor; "Whats a skeleton?"

Jack McKenney: "A stack of bones with all the people scraped off!"

The Federal Communications Commission annouced today a decision in the matter of the application of Williamson Broadcasting Corporation Williamson W.Va.,for construction Permit.The application of Williamson Broadcasting Corp,will operate upon the frequency of 1370 kc with power of 100 watts,and hours of operation limited to daytime only.

Well gang,that winds things up for the first time in 1939.During thepast week or so we've been wondering just how much value this column has been to youse all. It it worth continuing? Could the space be put to better use by printing additional members reports? Could we make any new feature for the bulletin that would be more worthwhile? We wnt to give the members exactly what they want so we would appreciate a word or two from each of you that are in favor of this column and opposed likewise. The HAPPIEST OF NEW YEARS to you all.

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EARLE HICKEY-Norwood N.Y. I have finally found time to send in a report of my DX activities now that I am on my Xmas recess from college, Clarkson Tech. Reception was very good this morning Dec. 25 and the following stations were in evidence. HJ1ABN Barranquilla, Colombia on 1190 kc signing off at 2 AM with announcements in Spanish and English and asking for reports, Q5 R7.YV5RQ in Caracas Venezuela on 880 was Q3 R4 at 2:20 AM with signals fading completely out at times and announcing in Spanish. CJRM on 540 kc with church services R5, LRA on 750 kc., at 3 AM with musical selections a good signal Q5 R6-7. Heard one on 625 very weakly and wonder if it could have been TIPG. XEQ on 710 all morning. Ditto for CMQ on 780 and CMCX on 810. KFI was received here with an excellent signal on their 6.095th night of broadcasting. They signed off in a number of different languages. No sign of OAX4A. Numerous other Latin stations and USA stations on but not checked. Heard a station on 615 or 620 with a Midnight Mass in English but sounded like French accent. Could it have been FQN Miquelon Island. Reception was excellent with complete absence of QRM. (Many tnx for this nice report Earle. We hope some of the boys can help you identify the one on 615 or 620. Lets hear from you again soon. By the way OM you are our 75th reporter for the past 3 months, in other words we have had 75 individual reporters)

DICH COOPER-Kittanning Pa. Very little activity over the holidays. Too darned tired after playing Santa to DX on xmas and didnt bother to identify the several Spicks that I heard. Only one new station CHLT. Mails have yielded but one verie the past week. that being a nice letter and card from CJBR. Got third verie from KPAB who say's they are going to DX from Jan. 15 to Feb 8 and give Mexican souvenirs.

ARTHUR ROBB-Topeka Kansas. I put in a good old fashioned DX week-end, a real midnight to dawn affair. The morning of the 24th seemed better to me than the 25th for good catches. LRL, WCLS and CFCT tested the 24th. WMBI was also on just as someone had given as a tip in the bulletin. Sat. am's untill 3:00 EST". Another tip I can thank you for is one on LR3 who I heard signing off on a Sunday morning at 1:00 AM EST just after KMBC went to bed. I heard LRA testing earlier in the month so that I managed to log three Argentines in December. I got up one morning especially to hear WWNC's DX and then caught the station again Xmas morning on regular early morning programs when other stations on the 570 channel took a vacation. It did my soul good tp pick up WIBG testing the 22nd as that is one that has been on the air for years which I had never logged befor. I have been hearing Cubans and Mexicans both on regular evenings hours and early morning hours. A goodly number of them I have been fortunate enough to identify. Among the unknowns are one on 1375 kc., the 24th at 1:00am CST. Announced with a gong note between each letter e.g.c bong, M, Bong.?, bong ? bong. On the am of the 25th, Spicks were on 1340 and 1350 and weak ones were hrd on 1060 1160 and 1225. WCBDB was also on xmas morning. I believe I have heard WCBDB on Xmas morning for the past five consecutive years. I have been able to hear half a dozen announcements plainly from the 1240 and 1460 Spicks. The 1240 kc. one says "Eckis, Ay, Ah, Ee" which to me means XEAI, The one on 1460 kc says "Eckis, Ay, Koo, Kah" which to me translates into XEQK. I have no idea as to the location. I wonder how many versions of call letters you will receive on these two.

## BROADCAST BAND NEWS

Jim Walker-Romney W.Va. Jim is just a new member but is an old time DX'er and we are very proud to have him in the NRC.

Jims starts out his report with a little news about his DXing. log now stands at 349 with 761 verified. LRA has been testing on 750 around 3:00 AM EST. LRL tested last sunday AM. LR4 was on last sunday. New ones since last report: CKMO is on 1410 untill 5 AM. HJ3ABZ heard on 1040 kc 12/8/38 sign off at 1:20 EST. LS11 heard covering TGI 12/11/38. XEQ is on every morning untill 3:00 broadcasting dance music from a hotel in Mexico. WHMA signs on every morning at 6:00 EST "Rise & Shine program" KHUB Freq check pulled thro WFDF 12/8/38. KEAI is on nearly all morning. XEBS signed off at 1:08 12/13 and 16/38. CFCT tested untill 5:30 EST 12/24/38. XEN tested this morning untill 2:30 AM EST, 12/26/. XEBZ tested this morning untill 1:40 EST. New veries KTKC KMED KASA KGDE KHUB KARW KYSM KWJB KFXM KRLC KTRI KXOK KGFV KAWM KOBH KUTA KVI KQRS WSGN WHMA WMRO (50 watts on test) WIBC WGAN WBZA WSAY (after 2 yrs) WPIC WKST CHLT CHLN TGW TGI XEDA PRG2. CJLS comes on at 6:00am with weather forecast, has to be copied thro WFDF. CHSJ comes on for regular broadcast at 6:30 EST. Listen to the Mex on 1150 at 1:15 and it was announced as XEFL really sounds like XELF, but you can understand the Baja California. Also heard XEL on one morning testing. Havent heard a European this winter. Where are they. 12/27/38 Heard a new station XEM testing on 1390 kc this morning 2:30 QRA given as XEM Box 233 Chihuahua Chih Mexico asked for reports also hrd XEBZ test again. At 9:45 last night XET was grming CFRB badly. 12/28 Heard CX18 testing this morning from 2:13 AM. WSTP on 1500 also tested 2:00-3:00 AM. CX18 Q4/R4-7/SS/x covered KFPY up completely.

Joe Becker-Hamilton Ohio. Received a nice letter of verification from CMRT 1580 and Senor Raul Torres Pardal said my letter was the only English letter sent out, it was sent by air mail. Mr Raul Pardal also staes from 10 to 11 PM EST they broadcast a special program for the USA and Canada in this hour we salute all of our friends living in North America, am I the first one reporting a verie from CMRT, letter Dated Dec. 21st. The Spick on 1240 kc is positively XEAI I have sent them 3 reports the first one on Dec. 13th. Log here 1193 Verified 1181. Veries received today from CMBL KQRS. Heard a Spick or rather two this AM an as I understand it, one was CMKZ on 1430 kc., and the other one XEUK on 1460 kc., reception was rather good, but the call was not so distinct. XEUK announcer said send reports to Mexico City.

Stephen A. Mann-Lakewood Ohio. Since I only joined the NRC three days ago this is my first report. I'm 15 years old and go to the local high school. I'M a BCB DX'er only and my log at present stands at 666 heard and 350 verified with about a hundred reports still out. I've been sending reports out right and left lately and they ought to be coming back soon. Receiver is a Sky Chief Jr. three tuber used with an aerial 85 ft. long and 20 ft high of the "Inverted L" type. (Hope to enlarge this in the near future.) I use no ground. Heard a lot of good stuff and missed a lot of good stuff Christmas morning. I logged HJLABN "La Voz de la Victor" Barranquilla Colombia 1190 kcs., that morning. Signal was R6-8 QSA/4. They signed off at 2 AM EST and asked for reports. This is the station that many have been hearing behind WOAI and think it is LS2. Ever since Christmas, their signal about 7 PM EST could be logged thro WOAI without much trouble. I also logged a few Cubans this same morning. But I missed several other good catches. Some friends of mine logged TILS a Colombian in Bogota on 1280kc (Must be some mistake on that one OM as there are no TILS in Colombia all the Colombians calls start with HJ. Editor). and several other good ones this same morning. Mon. Dec 26 in the afternoon around 4-5 hrd a new canadian on 1600, CJGC.

MAX DEMULING-Erie Penna. Christmas morning at the dial Santa Claus brought CMHI CMKG with lady announcer CMKZ and CMJW on 1070 kc. KJLABN Barranguilla Colombia on 1190 carried an attractive program and signed off at 2 oclock with spanish and English announcements. Had quite a battle on 1340 which lasted about an hour and finally deciphered call letters as XEFC Voz de la Yucatan de Merida. Listened to a Spanisher on 830 from 4:20-5:30 pretty sure it was a Costa Rican but not positive of call. Dec 26th Reception fuzzy. Manage to dig out XEFI this bird has Floyd Gibbons stopped for speed. Dec. 29th WSTP-1500kc from 1:05 on equipment test series. Veries in from CMJW CMKL PRG2 KUTA and KOME finally responed and last but not least TGQ with nifty card.

HARRY HAWKINS-Manchester N.H. Two TA's have been heard. Both Frenchmen on 1185 and 1410 kes. Fine veries from CMRT and TIPG just came in. CMRT sent fine map of Havana districts. QRA of CMRT is M. Gomez Num. 120, Guines, Cuba. I notice that the fine stamp on card of TIPG is made by the American Bank Note Co. Recent early mornings have brought DX such as LRL CMKM XEN LRA Etc. Xmas AM was perfect for good DX. Spaniards on almost every freq and even doubling up on some. Was able however to identify these Xmas broadcasters: TIX CMCY TIPG CMBL CMBQ CMKG CMBC YV5RQ (fine signals) CMK CMQ CMCA XEL XEFC (on 1340 kc) etc. New Mexico City station was on all AM on 1460 kc requesting reports. Call I am quite sure, is XEFK. Several French Canadians were also on late. CHLT was one, while others were on 580 1200 and 1310 kc., CBC was also heard later than usual. (Yeap I seen it Harry very nice, very nice.)

RAY EDGE-Buffalo N.Y. Received a verie from KWKH a letter signed by M. Estes, a card from WBLK signed by W.P. Hertzman, a letter from WCAP no signature, a card from KFJB signed by W.D. Bailey Eng. a card from WHBI signed J.L. Shearer, a letter from WRFD signed David Bain, a card from WSAU signed Roland Richardt. I see that some of the boys are tring to identify the spick on 730 kc well I was listening to him Xmas night about 7:30 PM and he announced as CMCU Havana and I also heard him call CMQ, now all that I got to say is that if he is using the power that is listed to him (100-200 w) is that a lot of our American Engineers should go down to Cuba and find out how they throw a signal with that power up here so it covers every thing else on their channel.

NICK WOYTAN-Syracuse N.Y. (Ed Note. Nick use to be one of my best reporters a few years ago, and sure hope that we hear from him real often. HMG) For my 1st rpt as a new member, I hereby will make my 1st report. The OM here has raised his log of 466 stations to over the 500 mark this DX season. Some of the better catches are KRIS KXYZ KIDO CMBL CMK CMCF WILM WDEL CMBQ KVOD KOL CHGS and LS11 on 1310 on CW. (Tnk for that tip on LS11 OM.) I have been haering LS11 on 1310 kc pretty regular using CW with abt an R7 signal. I would appreciate a little help as to the following stations on Dec. 18 around 1:45 AM, Spanish speaking stations were on 950-1310-1320 and 1080 ( Note Nick the one on 950 on this Date was CMKL, 1310 ????, 1320. CMBQ and on this Date CMKM was on with a DX program on 1080 kc. HMG). I think I heard the one on 950 announce as CMKL but am not sure. Latest veries here from WCHS and WILM.

ED FEICHTNER-Erie Penna. New stations heard WSTP CMCH HJLABN in Barranguilla Colombia, new veries PRG2 CMKL CMRT KUTA and TGQ. Heard WSTP on the 28th and 29 and a Spick on 890 on the 29th I also heard LRA WGH KFGW. I heard CMCH on their regular evening programs at 8:00. I also heard CX18 Radio Sport testing on the 28th and 29th at 2:00 AM.

FRANK WHEELER-Erie\_Penna. No Foreigners Dec 25th, at least none I could identify. I received plenty of spanish speaking stations on the following freq, 1410, 1210, 1130, 810 or 815, 1320, 1480 from 1:30-4:00am, some of them were Cubans. Can anyone throw any light on them. I got so disgusted when they wouldnt announce in English, that I went to bed. That AM I received WCOU R7. Thir Dec. 22 I received WMFO on for the NRC I sent them two reports. I received a verie from KRIS, signed by Maydell Wallace Office Secy.

TOM CARBERRY-Buffalo\_N.Y. Well I have the new set here and find it quite all right. It's not the most perfect DX outfit but it brings in plenty of signals to keep me busy for a long time. Havent done as much BCB DX as I expected I would. I've been fooling around the 20 meter ham band and the short wave bands quite a lot, so look out for a report in the short wave section from me very soon. My latest veries are few Letters from WIBU and WCLE. I have reports out to WWSW KSL, CKPC WAPI WIRE WNEW WOW and CKTB.

ELDON ADDY-Marcus Iowa. Dec 28 Reception good unknown Spicks on 890 an 1010. XEQ R5 on till 2:00am CST. WCFL testing at 1:49 R8, KQRS 1270kc., Special program. at 1:30 on. XEMO testing on 860. XEL on 1150 heard announcing call at 3:30 very clearly. Dec. 29. Reception poor but conditions quite from static KFGW testing 1:15-1:30 next test Jan. 15th 1:00-1:30 CST. CJOR 600 NRC special very poor could not get enough material for report. They signed off at 2:30 instead of 3:00 AM. Some Spick on 1010 kc., QRMing WHN till WHN left air, then was to far gone to hear call. Station on same time as KIRO but faded too bad to get call I think LRL was on till this morning but was not sur. Im getting down in earnest to DX so you may hear from me real often.

HERMAN REBENS DORF-Harvard Ill. Did try the dials for a while this AM, and found that there was plenty of Cubans on. Didnt tune in untill nearly 4 AM EST. Was lucky enough to get a report of to TIEP and XEUK, not exactly sure whe ther XEUK is right or not, as there was some static, but the main trouble was the announcer announced the call to fast to be sure, at any rate it was on 1460 kc. XEUK (or whatever his call was) mention that he was in Mexico City. KRIC and KUTA Veri's rolled in this morning both signed by their Chief Engineers. Lyle O. Wahluquist signed KUTA's & Don Mitchell KRIC's. (Say there Ole Pal you said you wish that your letter would fine me up to my neck in club work. My neck its over my head this time. HMG)

MERLIN N. STEEN-Decorah Iowa. (Merlin I was notified this week that your stickers would go out in a day or so. Ed) Dec. 22 KCMO testing 2:40 on, KOH R/4-5 at 2:30am EST. XEQ hrd at 2:45 AM EST. Dec. 24 Who signed off on 1310 kc at 4:00am, KHJ off at 4:02 am, Dec. 25 WIRE had DX prgram for about 2 hours, Hrd WLBC at 2:03 EST, WEAU off 2:25 WRAQ off 2:31 am, WMIN off at 3am (They are on till 3am every Sun Morn) KTRH Q4/R7, WHN off 4am, (Latest verise WABC KQRS WCBS and WIBU) KGCX hrd Q3/R4-5. WATL Q3/R5-6. Herad Cubans on 810 710 and 720 and on 1050 or 1060 at 4:05am EST. Heard Spicks on 750, 770, 1310, and 1320. KASA had special program, said they would verify on this special program only. (Not on FCC test). Heard Mex on 1340 kc at 4:10 am sounding like XE\_\_ can you help me. KJBS Q2/R3-4.

JOHN CURGAN-Philadelphia Pa. Be on the lookout for WSTP Salisbury N.C. on 1500 kc, heard them this am from 2-2:25 am EST with an equipment test. Signals strong modulation terrible.

NICK EVANGELISTA-West Hamburg Pa. (OK Nick we will take care of that S & E for you I will forward your letter to Pat.) Keep you LPO reports coming as is.) Dec. 23 temp 24 deg weather Cld CKTB R/6-8 1:10am, WEXL R/8 130am, KUSD R/7 3:05am, WCLS R/9 3:45am, On Sat 24th. KPMC R/4-7 at 1:30am, KGB R/8 1:50am, KRKD R/6-8 2:15am, XERB R/8 2:30am, CFCT R/4-7 3:45am, WKAR R/8 7:00am, I dont have much to report for Sunday Morn as I was at a wedding celebration and came back a little under the weather but I did hear HJ3ABE from 1:45 to 2:00am and then, I couldnt keep me eyes open any more. (Nick are you sure it wasnt a circle that bothered you Hi.) I tried for VAS last evening the 25th and I picked them up at 11:10am and they signed off at exactly 11:12 P.M. EST. They came in with an R/8 signal. Dec. 26. XEBH R/3-6 at 1:30am, XEL R/8 2:15am, WGY R/7-9 3:31am, WEXL R/7 4:15am, Nick also has a larger list of veries that I will hold over untill next time.

PAT REILLEY-Jamestown N.Y. Dec. 21 25 above-WKBB at 2:25, WOPI at 2:30 LRA at 2:40, WNYC all night, KTHS at 3:14, a spick on 990 couldnt make out call. Too noisy after 3:30 to DX. Dec. 22 26 above. LRA at 3:02, The Mex on 1240 again, WMFO with a very bad signal at 3:17, WWSW at 3:20 but very noisy and quit early, bad wind and snow. Dec. 23 8 above but no signal strength to carriers-KUSD at 3:12, LRA at 3:20, WCLS on a FCC check 3:42-4:04, KRRV at 4:25, Mex on 1240 again. Dec. 24 18 above, but too lousy to DX at all. Dec. 25 20 above-Bad blizzard and noisy, a Costa Rican on 830 all night, A Colombian on 1190 till 2:00 CMKZ on 1430 till 3:08 and a mess of others. Dec. 26 18 above, too much blizzard and noise to even think of DXing. Dec. 27 46 above LRA at 3 but too much noise to enjoy DX cought up with my sleep. Dec. 28 8 above too much blizzard and noises to DX, went to bed early. I want to thank all the boys for their nice XMAS cards but hope the first few months of the new year will be better DX months than the last few of 1938.

BOB BOTZUM-Reading Penna. Bob didnt do much DXing over the Xmas Holidays as he was on a visit in New York.) Well I received my verie from PRG2 and also CMKL. So Im over the 1000 mark in veries now. Dec 28th reception from West Coast very good. LRA on again at 3:00 AM on. With my PRG2 verie card came a Confirmation Card PY-2BF attractive card in 3 colors Red-Green and Black. That must be a Ham verie. Wonder if any other fellows rec'd the same thing.

PETER A. CLARIUS-Port Richmond N.Y. Well here is another report from the Island of Staten: Latest veries from KDNT no signature, KUSD out since last March signed by LeRoy Johnson DX Mgr., WSLI signed by Geo McInnis and last but not least a printed card from KRIC at Beaumont Texas signed by Don Mitchell and cancelled at the Church St. annex of the NEW York City Post Office. On Thursday morning Dec. 22 I heard what I thought was a German station on 850kc., at 4:01 they played the "Gold & Silver waltz followed at 4:05 & 4:20 by the National Socialist March and in between selections I was able to understand the word Murich at 4:25 they faded out, As Bernie Duffy and myself DX nightly I contacted him but he said he hit the hay at 3:00 and naturally missed it however on the 23rd I listened again and to my astonishment and dissapointment they said the following at 4:30am EST. "You have been listening to a special Christmas DX program for our German listeners this is CMCM on 850kc. located in Havana the Republic of Cuba. Dec. 25 I logged the following stations with late broadcasts WGST WWL WBT WISN WHOM WARD broadcasting midnite mass and WKBH and CBM. Would also appreciate if those who have WSAY and WOMT would let me know who signed them.

## --DX CALENDAR--

Call	Location	Club	Keys	Power	Month	Date	Time	EST
CKBI	Prince Alberta	(NRC)	1210	100w	January	7	2:00-3:00	AM EST
WTAM	Cleveland Ohio	(IDA)	1070	50kw	"	8	1:00-1:30	" "
Radio	Strasbough	(IDA)	859	100kw	"	8	1:00-2:00	" "
CFJC	Kamloops B.C.	(NRC)	880	1KW	"	8	3:00-4:00	" "
KYOS	Merced Calif	(NRC)	1040	250w	"	9	6:35-6:50	" "
KFJZ	Fort Worth Texas	(NRC)	1370	100w	"	9	5:15-5:30	" "
XEFV	Juarez Chih	(NNRC)	1210	100w	"	10	3:00-4:00	" "
XEBO	Irapuato Gto	(NNRC)	1310	25w	"	10	3:00-4:00	" "
XEAP	Obregon Sonora	(NNRC)	1340	50w	"	10	3:00-4:00	" "
CKCV	Quebec Quebec	(NRC)	1310	100w	"	12	3:00-4:00	" "
CHAB	Moose Jaw Sask	(NRC)	1200	100w	"	13	3:00-4:00	" "
WHMA	Anniston Ala		1420	100w	"	14	5:20-5:35	" "
CHLT	Sherbrooke Que	(NRC)	1210	100w	"	14	3:00-4:00	" "
XETB	Torreon Coah	(NNRC)	1310	125w	"	15	2:30-3:30	" "
CFAC	Calgary Alta	(IDA)	930	1kw	"	15	4:00-5:00	" "
CHRC	Quebec City	(NRC)	580	100w	"	15	2:00-3:00	" "
KVEC	San Luis Obispo	(NRC &)	1200	100w	"	16	3:00-5:00	" "
KGY	Olympia Wash	(NRC &)	1210	100w	"	21	3:00-6:00	" "
TGL	Guatemala City	(IDA)	1310	200w	"	22	3:00-4:00	" "
CMHJ	Cienfuegos Cuba	(NRC &)	1160	175w	"	22	2:00-6:00	" "
PRF3	SOA Paulo S.A.	(NRC NNRC)	960	5kw	"	22	3:00-4:00	" "
CMHM	Cienfuegos Cuba	(NRC &)	1145	100w	"	28	2:00-4:00	" "
CMKW	Santiago Cuba	(NRC)	770	1½kw	February	5	1:00-2:30	" "
KGAR	Tuscon Arizona	(NRC)	1370	100w	"	9	3:15-3:30	" "
KSUB	Cedar City Utah	(NNRC)	1310	100w	"	18	?? ??	?? ??
WEAU	Eau Claire Wisc	(NRC)	1050	1kw	"	24	4:30-6:30	" "
YSS	San Salvador	(IDA)	638	??	March	22	1:00-2:00	" "

Another station on the Canada Promenades CHWK Chilliwick B.C. January 11 from 3:45-4:15 AM EST. This is the only time they will DX, they test the second Wednesday of every month at this time.

## DX TIP PERIODS

Wednesdays-12:30am	1390 kc., KOY Phoenix Ariz	1kw	(Tips)
"	1:45-2:00 PM 780 kc., WTAR Norfolk Va.	1kw	(Tips)
Thursday-1st and Third	2:45-3:00 AM EST 1130 kc. KSL Salt Lake		(NRC)
Saturdays-10:30 AM	830 kc., WEEU Reading Penna	1kw	(Tips)
"	2:30-2:45 AM EST 1280 kc. KLS Oakland Calif	250w.	(Tips)
Sundays-1st and Third	2:00-4:00 AM EST 1120kc., WJBO Baton Rouge		(NRC)
1st day of each Month	4:00-4:30 AM 1370 kc., WPAY Portsmouth O		(NRC)

## LATE TIP-- Sent in by Bill Stone:

Dear Mr. Stone--Will you please inform all members of the National Radio Club, that this station will conduct a special program for their benefit on the morning of Sunday January 22 1939 from 2:00-4:30 AM EST.

This will be the first DX program with CKPR operating with the new 1000 watt transmitter, on their new frequency of 580 kc, so will rate a verification from all of your members. It will also be of great value to us in plotting our coverage. Every report will be verified, with an appropriate card,

We hope this letter will give you ample time. to notify your members, and the other DX Clubs.

Best wishes for 1939 to yourself, and all members of the National Radio Club.

Yours very truly,  
Radio Station CKPR

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## --A WORD FROM THE EDITOR--

Your Editor received so many Xmas Cards that it was impossible for me to answer them all. I want to thank all you fellows for kind remembrances. Hers wishing you all a Very Happy New Year and may it be prosperous for you all.

As many of you may know, both my father and myself are out of a job due to the shop that we worked for closing up its doors for good. This indeed is a hard blow. I wont be able to correspond as much as I use to but I am putting all I can into the NRC SW bulletin. So Fellows keep your SW reports coming and if you dont hear from me so often remember that it is not because I dont want to write but because, well you know it cost money to send a letter. I guess I will have hard time getting money now. Anyways fellows thanks for your loyal support.

## --HONOR ROLL FOR DECEMBER--

NOLPO # 1 Bob Hoynes, 41 Vassall Road, Brixton S.W.9 London England  
NOLPO # 2 Ken Miller, 2215 North Cambell Ave., Chicago Illinois  
NOLPO # 3 Pete Clarius, 11 Marianna St., Port Richmond N.Y.  
NOLPO # 4 Sergio Gonzalez, Calle 21 # 552 Havana Cuba  
NOLPO # 5 Geo L. Brode, 2454 Sepviva., Philadelphia Penna  
NOLPO # 6 Carl Forestieri, 2224 Adams Place, New York City N.Y.  
NOLPO # 7 Merton Hiatt, Box 7 Dryden Washington  
NOLPO # Cyrus Will, 651 Brier St., Kenilworth Illinois  
NOLPO # 9 Fred Alfred, 748 Little Grey St., London Ontario  
NOLPO # 15 Keith Kilton, 217 S. Hamilton, Monticello Illinois

## --REPORTERS FOR THIS ISSUE--

Cyrus Will, Fred Alfred, Leo Herz Geo Brode and Fred Alfred who is our newest NOLPO reporter. We know that you will enjoy our membership with us. By the way fellows David Thomas could not accept our appointment of NOLPO # 5 so we now have appointed Geo Brode to this position. How about it George OM.

## --DX PROGRAMS--

DJC	6.020	Berlin Germany	January 8	???	???? (IDA)
OAX4J	9.330	Lima Peru	January 15	9:00pm-10:00am	(IDA)
TG2	6.190	Guatemala City	January 21	3:00am-4:00am	(IDA)
TG2	6.190	Guatemala City	" 22	" "	" "
HP5G	11.760	Panama City	January 21	9:00pm-10:00pm	(IDA)
YSD	9.694	San Salvador	March 20	12:01am-1:00am	(IDA)

## --SPECIAL NOTES--

Dont forget fellows that Geo Williams Famous English Commentator has arranged a very unique program of unusual interest on the HP5G program.

TG2 will have special announcements and messages in Spatari Language on their special DX program. And do not forget to support our brother members Language, as Carlo Spatari join the NRC last week, so lets all report TG2.

## --SW CONTEST FOR THE NRC--

We still are getting suggestions in for the SW contest that we are planning. Geo Brode is the latest member to send in his suggestions. George says why not include CW QSL's and then we CW fans can take part even if we only get 1/2 point for CW veries. (Cont next page)

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(SW Contest Cont.) Well Geo OM I dont see why we cant include the CW fans as well as the other DXers.Maybe we can arranged a special contest for you fellows. I dont like the idea of giving you fellows only a 1/2 point for a verie as after all you work as hard for a CW verie as a phone verie and it cost as much for your reports so I beleive in giving you fellows just as much credit for your veries as we get for ours.Editor).

## --Veries DEPARTMENT--

OLR4A and TPB7 Larry Lundberg Minn.

## RATINGS OF OUR MEMBERS

Arthur Johnson	VAC-22	VIC-89	Veries-576
Leo Herz	VAC-35	VIC-57	" 481
Carl Forestieri	VAC- 3	VIC-41	" 197
Bob Hoynes	VAC- 1	VIC-13	" 20
L.Lundberg	VAC- 1	VIC-31	" 93
Cyrus Will	VAC- 0	VIC-34	" 80

## QUESTIONS &amp; ANSWERES DEPARTMENT

Fred Alfred heard a Chinese station on 11.390 megs after 8am with poor signals and Al says the announcer sounds like the one that announces over XTJ at Hankow,China. Your Editor would like to tell Al that XTJ is now being heard on 11.380 megs,daily from 8-8:35am EST.So Al you are correct.ii.

Fred Alfred also states that he hears a station on Sundays with best signals at 2:30am and giving News in English at 3am with a man & Lady Announcer. He beleives this station is in Norway(Al I beleive the station to which you were listening to was VUC2 at Calcutta, India who are on Sunday mornings from 2:30-10:30am. LKC 9.526 megs Jeloy Norway does not come on the air till 4:30am and ZBW3 9.526 Hong Kong China comes on the air at 3am so I think you were listening to VUC2.Editor)

(Note from the NRC HQ) Last week Leo Herz was wondering what station he heard on 15.160 megs,this week I had a letter from our friend Arthur Green of the ISWC and he says that its possible that Leo's station was VUD3 as they are now operating from 9:30 to 11:30 pm instead of 8:30 to 10:30 PM. VUD2 on 9.59 on the same scheduls.

## --NOLPO SW REPORTS OF THE WEEK--

## --AFRICA--

Canary Islands	EAJ43	7.500	R6-7/Q5 from 9-9:30pm daily (Herz) R5-7/Q3-4 at 9:00pm (Lundberg)
South Africa	ZRK	9.610	R7/Q4 at midnight (Herz) Very fine signals from 11:45pm-12:45am (Fred Alfred)
	ZRH	9.525	R7/Q4 from 11:45pm-12:45am (Herz) Poor signals (Fred Alfred)

## --ASIA--

China	XTJ	11.380	Poor signals at 8:00am (Lundberg)
Japan	JZJ	11.300	(Both these stations were not heard at all the
India	VUD3	15.160	(the past week. Lundberg & Herz)

## --OCEANIA--

Australia	VLR3	11.880	Heard from midnight till 2am and sometimes later (Fred Alfred)
Hawaii	KQH	14.920	Kahuku Hawaii heard calling Japan at 8:40pm with poor signals (Fred Alfred)

## --EUROPE--

England	GSB	9.510	R7/Q4 at 8:10pm (Lundberg)
	GSC	9.530	R9/Q5 at 8:00pm (Lundberg)
	GSG	17.790	R7/Q5 at 2:30pm (Lundberg)

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England GSD 11.750 R6-7/Q4 at 3:00pm (Lundberg)  
GSP 15.310 R6-9/Q5 at 2:40pm on program to Canada.Hrd daily  
from 1:45-4:00pm (Lundberg)

France TPA3 11:885 R7-9/Q4-5 at 3:00pm (Lundberg)

Germany DJD 11.770 R6/Q3 at 3:05pm (Lundberg)  
DJN 9.540 R5/Q2 at 8:05pm (Lundberg)

Italy IRF 9.830 R8/Q5 on North American Hour (Herz)  
2R03 9.635 R6/Q5 on North American Hour (Herz) Hrd testing  
from 10-10:30pm with R9 signal.(Fred Alfred)

Russia RAN 9.600 R7/Q4 from 8:30-9:00pm (Herz) Hrd in Parallel with  
RKI on a special transmission directed to N.Y.from  
3:55-4:30pm (Alfred)

Spain RKI 15.080 VFB signals from 3:55-4:30pm.(Alfred)  
EAQ 9.855 R6-7/Q4 at 8:05pm talking in English and giving  
war news.(Lundberg)

--SOUTH AMERICA--

Argen- LSX 10.350 Hrd relaying radio Nacional(Lima Peru) to New  
tina LRA 9.690 R7-8/Q4-5 at 3pm (Lundberg) Fair signals at 9pm  
at which time they signed off & relaying LRA.  
LRX 9.660 R7/Q4 at 8:10pm (Lundberg) Hrd at 5:45am giving  
news in Spanish with poor signals and signing off  
at 6:05am (Fred Alfred)

Brazil PSH 10.220 R9/Q5 at 8:10pm(Lundberg)

Peru OAX5C 9.490 R8-9/Q5 at 8:00pm(Lundberg)

Venez- YV5RD 6.160 Comes on air daily at 6am(Alfred)  
uela YViRH 6.365 Comes on air daily at 6am & located at Mar-  
acaibo Venezuela (Alfred)

--CENTRAL AMERICA--

Guatemala TGWA 15.170 R7/Q4 from 3:30-4pm on Sundays (Herz) (Alfred)  
TG3 2.340 Hrd with a poor signal after 1am on Sundays only.

Panama HP5B 6.035 Heard with a good signal at 8:15pm and uses slo-  
gan Mira Mar.:QRA, Apartado 910 Panama City Pan-  
ama Sked 7-10pm daily (Alfred)  
HP5J 9.590 R6/Q5 from 9-9:15pm (Herz)  
HP5A 11.700 Hrd at 7am on weekdays R7-8/Q5 and on Sundays at  
9am R6/Q4 (Herz)

Salvador YSP 10.360 Hrd irregular nights in parallel with YSD.Signs  
off at 10pm or later with poor signals (Alfred)

--WEST INDIES--

Cuba COCM 9.800 R9/Q5 at 7:30pm (Herz)  
COGF 11.800 R8/Q5 at 9:00pm (Herz)

--NORTH AMERICA--

Mexico XEWW 9.500 R8/Q5 from 9:30-10pm (Herz)

U.S.A. WLXAL 11.730 R7/Q4 from 9:15-9:30pm on program to Latin Amer-  
ica (Herz)

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--NEWS FROM HERE-THERE-&-EVERYWHERE--

--AFRICA--

SUZ 13,820 Cairo Egypt was heard calling Rugby England near 3am and  
gives call as SUZ (Z as in Zebra) Fred Alfred

--ASIA--

JIB 10.535 Taihoku Tawian was heard at 9am relaying Moscow (Lady giving  
news) and then gave a spanish program with very good signal(Alfred)

XTJ 11.540 Hankow China according to their verie,have moved into the  
interior owing to constant aerial attacks.They now relay XGRV at  
Chungking with two programs daily 12:00am & the other at 7pm Western  
China TimeThe noon program is in Chinese & Japanese while the evening

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(Asia Cont) program is in French & English. QRA: China Information Committee, P.O. Box 90 Hankow China (Fred Alfred)

## --OCEANIA--

FK8AA 6.120 "Radio Noumea" at New Caledonia is on Wednesdays & Saturdays from 2:30-3:30am with variety Programs (Radio & Television)

## --EUROPE--

SM5SX 15,155 Stockholm Sweden is on daily from 11am-5pm & on Sundays from 9am-5pm EST (Leo Herz)

Despite the fact that the Rome Sked says that 2R03 & IQY are used on the North America Hour both IRF & 2R03 are being used & IQY is being heard irregular (Herz)

DJZ 11.801 Berlin Germany is heard daily in parallel with DJD DJB & DJM from 4:45pm to as late as 11:30pm (Alfred & Herz)

## --SOUTH AMERICA--

OAX4C 15.290 Lima Peru is heard often in the evenings with fine signals and gives slogan as "Radio Nacional de Lima" and plays American dance music. (Fred Alfred)

HJ4ABE 6.145 Medellin Colombia relays HJ4ABK. Their slogan is "La Voz de Antioquia" Sked daily from 9:30am-1pm and 5pm-11:30pm. (Alfred)

CB-960 9.600 Santiago Chile is hrd with a R8 signal daily with sign off at 11pm with music box selections. QRA P.O. Box 1-B, Santiago, Chile Slogan is "La Voz de Radio Americano" (Alfred)

CB970 Valparaiso Chile, is hrd daily from 6-11:30pm or later and relays CB-76 Santiago. QRA: Calle Lira, 543, Valparaiso, Chile (Alfred)

## --NORTH AMERICA--

The Cleveland Coast Guard radio now is aiding vessels on the lower lakes with weather forecasts, hydrographic information, advisory storm warning and urgent notices to the Mariners Lighthouse service. The radiotelephone service are schedule twice daily at 10:50am & 10:50pm. Storm warnings are sent at 2 hours intervals when necessary. The broadcast are received by vessels with radio equipments covering a frequency of 2.572 megs. (Will)

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--FREQUENCY NEWS & CHANGES--

COCQ Havana Cuba has changed frequency to 8.700 megs & is heard daily from 6:55am-1:00am EST (Fred Alfred)

HVJ, The Vatican City Transmitters are now working on the following frequencies. 17.840, 15.120, 11.740, 9.660, 6.190, the latter being either 6.030 and Languages used are English, French, Russian, Spanish, Italian and Dutch.

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--STATION SKEDS--

Fred Alfred supplies us with the following up to date sked of the broadcasting Corporation of Japan for the month of January.

Transmission # 1 for Europe: JZI 9.535 & JZJ 11.800 from 2:30-4:00pm EST.  
 " # 2 for South America 4:30-5:30pm (JZJ & JZI)  
 " # 3 for Eastern North America 8-8:30 PM (JZJ)  
 " # 4 for Pacific Coast Canada & Hawaii 12:30pm-1:30am EST (JZJ)  
 " # 5 for Eastern North America. 7-7:30am (JZJ)  
 " # 6 for Australia, China & South Seas from 8-9:30am (JZJ & JVP)

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