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## F. C. C. NEWS

New calls:--KTSW-1370 kc., Emporia Kansas 100 watts daytime only.

ARTHUR L. ROBB-Topeka Kansas:--Sends in a Red Hot Tip, I have just received a letter from K.W. Trimble, Manager of KTSW and the Emporia Broadcasting Company, Inc. located in the Broadview Hotel Building, Emporia Kansas which reads as follows:

"We expect to go on equipment tests the morning of January 15th from one (1) AM untill six (6) AM and to continue throughout the week. Our inaugural is tentatively set for January 25th. Our early morning programs as a part of our equipment tests will be heard, we hope, from coast to coast. We plan to acknowledge reports sent us through the usual confirmation or QSL card."

WILBUR T. COLSON-Baton Rouge La. Wilbur says that the members that did not receive their veric's from WJBO should drop him a line and that he would check back in his DX mail file and will see that you get yours. He says the mail piled up on him so fast, and with the Xmas rush and football etc., that he fell behind in his mail. WJBO had a swell program on for the Club on Newyears Morn but but do to so many stations on the air at that time it could not be received here in the East. Wilbur also says that the list of DX'ers reporting in too WJBO are 90% are NRC members, so you really do have an active club. (Thanks Wilbur for the swell programs that you are dedicating to the NRC.HMG)

W9XA-26.450 kc., ((Commercial Radio Equipment Company-7134-36 Main Street Kansas City Mo.,)) (quote from their letter:--Please be informed that we will read DX tips supplied this station by your organization each Tuesday morning at 11:45 AM CST(12:45 PM EST) and possibly will carry over some material on our DX tip period Thursday morning at the same time.

We wish to thank you for your copy of National Radio Club DX News Bulletin which makes this possible. Signed By:--Everett L. Dillard.

We of the National Radio Club thanks Mr. Dillard for the courtesy that he has showed the Club and our Club members.

## KSL-DML pronounced DOMILA

KSL, 1130 kcs. 265.3 m. Vermont Building, Salt Lake City, Utah U.S.A. The program of Station KSL is Schedule to start on January 5th, (Thursday Morning) 1939 at 2:45-3:00am EST and continue weekly every Thursday untill further notice. One program each month will be devoted to SPATARI, and each DX program have some parts of it in SPATARI.) (This is a special TIP period for all DXers, in which the NRC takes part in furnishing part of the DX news, along with the IDA, and other clubs.HMG)

This week you will find the BULLETIN in two sections the SW and BCB. The reason of two sections I have been over crowded with news here at HQ, and tried to clear my desk of it this week. But sorry that I didnt have enough room then, so I want to acknowledge letters from George Luther, Merton Hiatt, Joe Becker, Hal Buttels, Art Brackbill, Ray Edge, John Curgan, J.W. DeRosa, Harry Hawkins, George Brode. (Cont Page 4)

"Mr. Up Paul Knight"

Hello again youse guys and gals. We have an item or two that may be of interest to some of youse, so here 'tis. TA reception seems to be picking up and the reports will probably carry accounts of TA reception. We are informed of a frequency change for Radio Normandie from 1411 kc. Can any of our members tell us the new frequency. (NOTE-Carl Forestieri's report, Radio Normandie has changed to 1090kc.,)

Another new station, this week it's for Williams, West Virginia. The Williamson Broadcasting Co. have FCC permission to erect a station to operate on 1370 kc channel, with 100 watts day's.

WHBF, Rock Island joins the Mutual network and changes frequency on January 14th. Power increase to 1000 watts.

KFBI, one of the oldest stations in the country, first started by our pal Johnny Brinkley of the goat-gland fame, will probably move from Abilene to Wichita Kansas. The FCC has indicated that they will not object so youse guys in Wichita will have KFBI in your city shortly.

Finishing touches were placed last week on the allocation pact which assures Central American stations of frequencies necessary to overcome engineering difficulties common in the tropics. The State Department announces final agreement has been reached with governments in the hot zone where operation on the standard broadcast band is impracticable.

Bill Stone: "Does Frank Schmidt belong to the 400.?:"

Pat Reilley: "Yep, he's one of the ciphers!"

WJSV, has been granted permission to jump from 1 kw to 50 kw, to install new equipment including directional antenna for all time use. In addition the transmitter will be moved locally.

KSTP, St Paul Minn. has likewise been given the nod to jump to 50kw and to install directional antenna for both day and night use.

CBA, Sackville, N.B. will go on the air during the early part of April. Additional Canadian news has it that CBK, Watrous, Sask will not be in operation before mid-summer. CBA will use 1050 kc while, CBK will be on 540 kc. Both will use 50,000 watts.

--A GRAMMATICAL ERROR--

The other day the New York Herald Tribune received a letter from a Brooklyn school boy calling attention to what he said was a grammatical error on the Martha Washington 1 1/2 cent stamp. The youth enclosed one of the stamps in question and called attention to the fact that the legend on it reads "1 1/2 cents". He wrote that he was taught in school the plural of "cent" can be used correctly only when two or more cents are involved.

It is now admitted by the Postoffice Department that, technically, a grave grammatical error was perpetrated on millions of Americans who sent out seasonal greetings recently under 1 1/2-cent stamps, and promise to consult a grammar before another series of 1 1/2-cent stamps is designed.

What he might have said is that the latest series of United States postage stamps was intended to teach history, and not to teach grammar, but that would have been both flippant and impolitic.

Well that's all we have this time. Here's hoping that HQ will have some red hot news for youse and we will try to get something cooked up for next week. In the meantime vy 73.

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L.P.O.REPORTS

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JIM WALKER-Romney, W.Va. Europeans at last! Radio Post Parisien was Q4/R7-8 very heavy line noise. The one on 1213 Q4/W4-6 untill WCOU (Darn them I couldnt hear CKBI) Check Art Robb's report OM on CKBI-Ed..came on at 2am. The one on 1040 bdly QRMed by CKOC spreading. New veries XERA. The 959 Frenchie faded under the LN at 2:32 am. That makes it about 7:32 over there or do they have fast time. That would be 8:32. Heard a new Cuban yesterday CMCH "La Voz de Reporte" 1050 kc 5:20-?? still on at 7:00am. Heard I'm sure XECZ on for the NNRC this am 1/9/39. Hrd 3:45-4:20. Sent reports to XEBZ and XEQ. They were both returned: UNclaimed and no Existes. Does that mean there are no such stations. (Theres a XEQ OM as to the XEBZ-????Ed). 1/10/39 I couldnt hear any of the Mexicans on this am. I did hear XEM on untill 4:05 with their regular DX program. The announcement said they would be on each Monday night untill then, it is Tuesday EST. He also announced the power as 500 watts. They acknowledge reports at 3:00 EST. To Dick Cooper--Milk Shakes don't mix you up like that, it's XEM P.O.Box 233, 1390 kc., Chihuahua, Chihuahua, Mexico. Go easy on them there Milk Shakes OM. Yesterday 1/9 KXA KEHE KFPY WGPC KWJJ WBRK LRA KGU all heard between 2:30- and 3:20 EST.. 1/11/39 YVIRF was putting a swell sig in here this morning at 6:15 EST. WRVA came on at 6:25 with carrier and spread all over 1120 kc. Only other new one heard was XEFE. Thats all the Mex I could hear this AM. The others must have had Flea power.. I would like to swap SWL cards with Western Members only.

CARL FORESTIERI-Bronx N.Y. EXTRA: Tell the boys not to fooled by Radio Normandie on a new frequency with an English program daily as I was for one full hour, finally at 2:45 came the announcement: This is Radio Normandie and the Time quarter to 8. The freq is 1090 kc not 1411 any more. The announcement says that they are these programs Monday to Friday at the same time. But that particular program was on a SATURDAY. Jan.5 CBR 1100 for a new one at sign off 2am. WMFR 1200 R9 test. All coasters R7 to 9. WOR clicks test effects over 40 freq on each side. At 2:45 heard KSL with NRC tips and IDA SW tips, R9 LRA 750 R6. The coasters heard were KFI R8, KPO R5, KJR R8, KGA R9, KFBK R8, KEX R7, KNX R8. Jan.6 WJAX 900 testing at 1:55. WOR on with tis clicks again and no reception for me from 640 to 750 kc., and WLW seems to be using all of their 500kw on its test. Jan.7 the best of the season for TA's and for many season's also. Lille 1213 was R7 at 1:45 to 2:00 when WCOU took the air. Poste Parisien 959 R9 at 1:50 and up to 3:30 he was still R4. Seems impossible at first to be Paris, so loud and clear. English speaking station on 1090 at 2:00am, thought to be XERB, but was fooled, at 2:45 he announced: This is Radio Normandie, and these programs are broadcast Monday to Friday--or Saturday--at same time. Rennes was R7. At 3 WNEW off the air, Hope he busted, P.S. 3:15 WNEW is on again. WOPI and WJBK having a cat fight on 1500 all morning. At 4 WHN and WEVD went to bed, so did I. Jan.8 No TA's this am, Coasters very strong KGLO 1210 at 2:30 R9. WATL 1370 all morning R7, XEAA 750 R4 at 3:30 for new one and 1010, XEBP 1150 R6 at 4:30 for #1011. Log Verifies 995. Jan.9th Rennes R9 at 2am, PP 959 R8 at 2:05, Strasbourg R6 at 2:15. Jan.10 Radio Normandie 1090 R8 at 2:10, Rennes R7 2:15, Lille 1213 R7 2:15. P.P.959 R8 2:20, Strasboug R7 2:20, Toulouse 776 R6 2:20, Bordeaux 1077 R8 2:25 A grand total of seven French is one Morning. I have ten verified from that country, the other three I did not hear this am.

## Broadcast Band News

RANDOLPH HUNT-Leucadia Calif. On Jan.7th Tijuana station XELO changed frequency from 670 to 730kcs. Listened to some frequency checks on Jan.10th KGMB came on a little late. KMAC came on air before KTOK signed, KIUP ran a little overtime into KICL's program. During time that KPC and KRNR were being checked, some other station was on 1500 kc, with regular program. The reception of KTOK in Oklahoma City was 100%, but the Shawnee, Okla. station KGFF was barely audible. Sent KFEQ report on March 1st 1938, heard nothing in reply, sent carbon on Jan.5th received verie 9th.

TOM CARBERRY Jr. Buffalo N.Y. John Kalmbach and I had a informal get to gather here the night of the 5th, and went over the verie's and had a general DX discussion. Received a swell veri from WOW this past week. They sent their station magazine, a personal letter on special holiday stationary along with their verification card. They also returned the postage that I had put in with the report. Other verie's received here this week are WWSW WIP WNEW and WIRE. Newest stations logged are KSOO KOMA KSO KRVV and CHNC. The last one mention is in New Carlile Quebec, and they have moved from 960 to 610 keys and can be received here most any time of night.

NICHOLAS WOYTAN-Syracuse N.Y. (Seems like old times to hear from you OM its OK for you to send your report as you did this time. HMG) On the Tuesday of the Jan freq checks I logged 10 new stations as follows- WMFD WJNC KALB KFAM WTRQ KELD WACO KGKL WSGN and KTOK. Other new stations logged were KYS at 2:05am and KTRI at 2:10 am on the 5th. CBV logged at 6:45pm on 950 on the 4th. WKST and WGAN on 1250 and 640 resp. logged at 5:15 and 6pm on the 3rd. LS11 still coming in on 1310kc on CW with an R7 signal. TGW coming in swell these days at 11:00pm. WISN was heard testing the past tw Tuesdays at 2:15am. KIDO heard testing on 1350 on the 3rd at 3pm. CHNC was logged on its new freq of 610 kc. at 10pm on the 5th, stations on 1040 and 1090 heard at 2:45 am (???) (Check Forestieri's report OM. ED). Also station on 890 at 3:05 am (???) What stations were on 980 at 2:45 and 1360 at 3am on the 10th (XEAC I think would be the station on 980 kc OM. Ed) Received a letter verie from KTRI signed by Dietrich Dirks.

DICK COOPER-Kittanning Pa. DX is suffering down here. Been fishing around almost every morning, 'til 2AM but nothing new. Plenty of static. TA's almost came thru for me several times but not enough zip to get a log. Heard a mysterious one on 835 kcs. the morning of the 9th from 1:00-1:20. Program was piano music and I got a nice report but could not catch either call or location when announcement was given. Sounded like Spanish speaking one, but it might have been something else. I think it was a Cuban or maybe a Costa Rican, Heard them again signing at 1:00am following morning but no idea as to who it is. Was up for the NNRC Mexican programs but XECZ was the only one that I heard. Was the others on or is my receiver going back on me.????

(Cont from Front Page) On our January 2nd bulletin, so many of you members say that you received the January 9th a head of the January 2nd, wish that each one of you would write a letter to me and sign your name to it, as I have turned all the letters that I received over to the postal Dept this week and they will check and find out why we get such slow service at times. I cannot understand why we should get such service at times. Our members on the west coast are getting the bulletins not later than Thursday and our Buffalo members gets theres in about 12 days Hi. Good service.

## Broadcast Band News

BOB BOTZUM-Reading, Penna. Jan 5. KTRI at 2:10am, WMFR testing 2am on, WRDW testing 2:48am. Jan.6. Reception very poor. Static bad. WCSC testing 2:16 am. Jan.7th. WCOU at 2:01 on DX program. WEST testing 2:04. WBNS testing 2:07, KVGB at 3am, KSAL 2:54, KFPY off at 3:07, WOPI testing 3:10, KGER-3:05, KRKD 3:12, KGB 2:24, XEL 3:30 P.P. 2:0-2:33am R/5-7. Toulouse Ptt 776kc 2:34-2:52am R4-5. Another French one on 859 kc but XEMO interfered too much for obtaining data. West Coast excellent this am. Jan.8th. Between 2-2:30am stations heard KGLO WMAL WCPO WLVA KWOC XEAC KITE. ";30-3am stations heard KOIN KOH XERB KFVB KRIC KRTH WDSU KEX XEL KYSH KFPY CJRC off 3:03am. KID 3:07 CJCA 3:15, WFAF 3:40. No sign of CFJC or the Mex specials XEAA XEBX XEDA XEBP. Reception very good till after 3am. Then Static and buzzing noise started up. Jan.9. West Coast stations again very good/WGRC testing 2:15 am, LRA at 3:20am, Mystery station on 540kc heard this am. Station came on with announcement only at 3:51-3:56-4:12am. After announcement would shut down again announcer mention (W)CBK or CBK not quite positive, but last 2 letter BK identified plainly at 3:56, also mention abt xmitter and Chicago. Now who the dickens could that be. KVRS heard 4:10 to 4:15am on test R/7/. Jan.10th. TA's again heard PP-Bordeaux-Toulouse-also weak signals on 750kc., Rennes broke thru for 4 minutes but CKLW-KNX signals proved to strong and Rennes wasnt heard anymore 2:21am. Also some station (RMEd by WBNO may of been Radio Normandie (Bob check Forestieri's report. Ed) P.P. seems to be the best signal strength around here. WIP-610 kc stayed on air thru WIOD test. Who was the station testing on 1200kc during FCC checks. They ruined WAIM WJNO WAYX between 3-3:50am EST. Music and no station call. Heard 2 stations sign off on 1500 kc at 3am this am, am positive one was KVOE, both sounded like giving a schedule of next days program. But couldnt seperate them. (Bob that station that interfered with WBNO on 1420 Jan.10 might have been KLPM as they were testing a few days this week. Ed. Check Feichtners report.)

NICK EVANDELISTA-West Hamburg Pa. Jan.6th, 42 degrees bad thunder storm, went back to bed at 3:00am. On Saturday Jan.7th temp 40, cloudy. I heard a French station on 960 kc of which I didnt hear any calls, at any time. I heard them between 1:35 and 2:05am. Radio Rennes 2:15 R/3-4 1040 kc., WGY 2:35 R/9, WCOU 2:45 R/8, KFPY 3:00 R/8, KVGB 3:25 R/7, KGHL 4:20 R/7, On Sunday Jan.8th 28 deg, clear, and a heavy frost, with plenty of noise at times then again it would disappear, CKY R/8 12:45, KOH R/5 2:15, KTRH R/7 2:25, KGLO R/8 2:47, WDSU R/7 2:50, KFPY R/7 3:05, CJCA R/6 3:10, KID R/5-6 3:25, KLS R/4 3:30, CMCH R/9 5:20, CMKS R/8 6:40, station CMCH is a new station or has its call letters changed, they were still on the air at 7:00am, they played American music and announced call letters after every selection in Spanish and English. I didnt hear anything of CFJC or CKBI, CKBI could not be heard on account of WCOU on for the NNRC. On Monday Jan.9th temp, 30 deg clear, and plenty of static, but West Coast stations coming in with a bang. XELO R/3-5 1:50am 730 kc., KOIN R/7 2:15, WBRK R/8 3:08, WHAI R/9 3:28, WBBZ R/7 4:42, WIL R/9 5:30. Heres is a list of my latest veries with Signatures. (The Signatures Old I will hold over and run them all at Once Ed) WSAW WBAL WHEC WJAS KFDY WBBC KRKD WCOP WSTP VAS CBI XEMO and CJRM

HARRY M GORDON-Erie Penna. Well heres a little hole for me to fill out. Hi Jan.8th CJRM on 540 1:00am R/8 Q/5. French station on 1185 at 2:20 R/4/Q3, CJCA on 730kc at 3:00am with extry strong signal. CKMO 1410 at 3:30 R/5, KXA 760 R/7 at 3:45, CKLX 1010kc, at 4:15 R/6. Jan.9th Frenche on 775kc extry strong sig at 2:15am. Also one on 959kc at 2:15 Jan.10. Only two Mex logged here in the 5 days, heard two more sig's but have my doubts, as to who they were.

## Broadcast Band News

ED FEICHTNER-Erie Penna. New stations heard XECZ WHAI KPLM WPRP XEFE.

New veries CBO WSTP CJBR-WEAF XET WARD. I heard KPLM on the 10th testing for RCA in Calif at 3:00-3:35am. The DX program put on for the IDA by WTAM was very fine also the talk by Herb Tucker. XELO is on 730 and signs off at 3:00. CKCV came in very fine business. CKBI was not heard here due to a DX program by WCOU dedicated to another DX club. It seems a shame too because I think they would have come in well that morning, as the North West stations were extry strong, and not much static. Veries are coming in too slow.

ARTHUR L. ROBB-Topeka Kansas. Art sent in some real news and its on the front page but he also sent in a short report, here it is. Heard WCOU for ten minutes after CKBI signed off on t the DX program and befor WCOL came on with a test program on Jan.7th. Reception was poor on Jan.8 but somewhat improved this morning Jan.9th The only Mexes heard were XEAA and XECZ. (Thanks OM for the tip on KTSW)

WARREN ROUTZAHN-York Penna. Veries received this week from WCLS WMIN WMBD

Logged LS11 as number 1100 in my log. Sun.8 Pec. Good, weather little cloudy-41. KOA-R8 @ 1:30, WMBD-R7 @ 1:45, KJR-R6 @ 2:00, KITE-R7 @ 2:30, KGLO-R7 @ 2:45, XEAC-R7 @ 2:59 and KHJ-R5 @ 3:15 All regular programs. Mon. Jan 9 Rec, Fair, weather clear-29. Frequency checks- WBDZ-R6 @ 4:43, WMIN-R5 @ 4:45, KNET-R5 @ 4:48, KFGQ-R6 @ 4:55 KRBC-R5 @ 5:04, KGHI-R6 @ 5:10, KPEM-R5 @ 5:15, KFJZ-R6 @ 5:23 with a very nice NRC dedication, and WOC-R6 @ 5:30. Tues. Jan 10, Rec. fair, weather clear, 41. KGER-R6 @ 2:45, LS11-R6 @ 2:50 sending code, WSJS-R7 @ 3:00, KIDO-R7 @ 3:06 ending a test, WLFJ-R6 @ 3:28, WELD-R8 @ 3:32, WIOD and WIP-R8 @ 3:40, KALB-R7 @ 4:15, WMAE-R8 @ 4:16, KELD-R5 @ 4:20. Did not hear anything of the Mexican specials scheduled for this morning. Wed. Jan. 11, Rec. Noisy, weather clear-47, LRA-R4 @ 3:25, WRTD-R6 @ 3:40, WHAT-R6 @ 3:45, WHIS-R7 @ 3:50. Previously to this time WHIS had a program in Spanish. WKOK-R7 @ 4:00, WIBG-R6 @ 4:04 testing, KFVD-R6 @ 4:15, WHK-R8 @ 4:23 testing, KGB-R5 @ 4:30 Reg., KSO-R6 @ 4:33, KDAL-R6 @ 4:45. Stations too weak to identify were on 980 and 1450 may have been the Mexicans specials but I doubt it. (Note the 980 was XEFE but the 1450kc was CFCT for the full hour, as I had their calls every 15 minutes for the full hour. HMG) Thurs. Jan 12, Rec. Good, weather cloudy-38. Checks. WPRR R7 @ 3:30, WPRP-R6 @ 3:50, KFJM-R5 @ 3:55, KGER-R5 @ 4:00 sign off, WAGF-R7 @ 4:05 WSPD-R8 @ 4:19, WGBF-R9 @ 4:30, WGCN-R7 @ 4:40, KGPU-R5 @ 4:50. Still no Mexicans so gave them up with 0%... WMIN now using 5kw starting at 5:30 AM's signed J.R. Heck. WMBD by T.A. Giles.

MERLIN N. STEEN-Decorah Iowa. Jan.6 WBNS testing equipment from 2:48-3:13

EST. Heard spicks on 750 and 830 at 3:20am EST. Jan.7 WMBI on 3-4am. CKBI and WCOU playing tag on 1210 from 2-3:20 am. After 3:20-4:00am WCOU was heard Q3/R5. CKBI gave NRC a real good DX Program. KNX off 3:15, KVGB on 3-3:30, KGER Q3/R5, WCOL on test 3:55-4:10 Rec'd verie from CKCR saying their studio is at Kitchener and Xmitter at Waterloo, Reports should be sent to Kitchener. Jan.8 WTAM special was very good. CKCK is on from 1-2am EST every Sun morning with old time musoc. WDSU on at 2:45, KID off 3am, KGLO heard at 2:45am. Jan WGRG testing 2:30-2:45 EST. WBRK 2:55-3:10 EST, WHAI 3:25-3:40 (These are FCC skeds OM I heard then at this time.) WABY Q4/R6-7, WCAK Q3/4 R/6-7. WLNH WLNH Q1-2/R1-2, who played unannounced selections on 730kc and sign off at 5am EST. Jan 10 Hrd WIOD and KGOS for new ones on FCC test. WIP stayed on during WIOD check. Who was the spick on 1100kc at 6am EST. Jan. 11 XEFE WIBG . Latest veries: CKY CKCR KQRS KFGQ KFJB CFAR CKX XEAC WIP WSAZ WJBO CKLW and WLEU....

## Broadcast Band News

HERMAN REBENS DORF-Harvard Ill. Did manage to hear WKST through WNEW this AM good enough to get a report off. incidently they tested this AM 3:25-3:40 AM EST for frequency test purposes (WKST-215) kcs, Second Wednesday 3:25-3:40 AM EST) havent seen them listed in any list befor, so maybe this will be of some help to some of the fellows. (It sure will be OM ED) I also heard XEM on 1390 kc Jan, 3rd when they signed off at 4:10 EST, they mentioned they would be on next Monday with another DX program. But as I heard them on Tuesday (Jan. 3rd) Maybe they mean Monday PM when they said they would be on with another DX next Monday. (they could start Monday PM OM and run into Tuesday AM Ed) Heard only TWO of the Mex's that NNRC arranged for (one AM to go yet) so doubt very much that they all were on. I sure lost enough sleep trying for them. Here is something I ran into this AM, WHIS 1410kc were on with a DX program and were rendering it in some Foreign language, which might have fooled some unless they stayed with them untill they signed off at 4:40 EST, they also mentioned when they were going to be on with another DX program which is to last untill 5:00 AM EST. (Check the DX calendar OM)

ELDON ADDY-Marcus Iowa. Here is my report for the last two weeks. New catches are WAIR WCMI KRMD WTMV WCOU for my first Maine Station. HJLABN XEAI XET XEM P.O. Box 233. XEFE CKBI CKCV on for the club. For Peter Clarius:-Don Wirth signed my WOMET verie. Receiver here is a New Howard Model 450 12 tubes so I am sending a SW report also. There has been quite a bit of static lately due to spring weather here around 30 degrees most of the time, makes BCB DXing rotten.

MAX DEMULING-Erie Penna. Jan. 8th Signals at a low ebb during past week generally. Jan. 9th KRBC WBRB WHAI KABR, who was the spick in back of XEL between 3 and 4:00am. Jan. 10 KMO signing at 3:15 am. Jan. 11 XEFE and KWEM. Jan. 12 WFOR KFYR and CKCV with NRC special, unidentified station on 630 3 to 4am. Veries rec'd XEFI WALA WHAI-in four days. TGI with verie card (21 days) TGO personal letter, Lt Col Julio Meza Caballeros-Director general of Electrical Communications evidently has superision over both TGI and TGO as he signs the veries. Incidently I heard the Piano selection "Turkish March" on 3 different occasions from TGI. He dedicates this self same selection to me Sat. Jan. 14 at 2:30am EST. Jan. 14 WHMA with temporary antenna due to tropical storm. Heard WSTP-fall out of the air with FCC test W-william S-Sugar etc, at 5:40 this AM. So it looks like 2nd Saturday from 5:25-5:40am EST.

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--CW DXING--

FRANK SCHMIDT-Pittsburgh Pa. DX work here has been mostly on Commercial America--HPG HPE HPC in Panama, TIV and TIO in Costa Rica, OCA2 and OCOa in Peru, JAS and JMM2 in Japan, TGA7 CWA OTO OLF OLF SUY in Egypt PDQ PPM LSI HAT2 HJO2 LCP LCJ and probably the best of all FXJ in Beyruth Lrbanon Asia. Tried ten meters on the Super-regenerative receiver one morning and brought in GM6RG G8TD G8SA and LA4K in Oslo Norway. Foreigners on 20 meter CW are practilly nil, only station heard on CW outside the US was K4DTH. The above ten meter stations were heard on fone. I'm interested in knowing if aby of the other members are in on the CW end of things. If enough members take an interest in CW DXing perhaps a CW colum might be started in the bulletin. If any members are interested in a column of this sort they might drop a card to HQ and mention the fact. (OK OM if you CW wants a corner in the bulletin I guess we can dig out a place for you, You will need an Editor for this, will you handle it. Hi. Your suggestions may give you some work. HMG)

## --DX CALENDAR--

Call	Location	CLUB	Keys	Power	Month	Date	Time	EST
KGY	Olympia Wash	(NRC &)	1210	100w	January	21	3:00-6:00	AM EST
TGL	Guatemala City	(IDA)	1310	200w	"	22	3:00-4:00	" "
WSPR	Springfield Mass	(NRC)	1140	500w	"	22	3:00-5:00	" "
CKPR	Fort Williams	(NRC)	580	1kw	"	22	2:00-4:30	" "
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	" "
WPAV	Portsmouth Ohio	(NRC)	1370	100w	February	1	4:00-4:30	" "
CMKM	Santiago Cuba	(NRC)	770	1 1/2kw	February	5	1:00-2:30	" "
WHIS	Bluefield W.Va	(NRC)	1410	500w	"	8	2:30-5:00	" "
KGAR	Tucson Arizona	(NRC)	1370	100w	"	9	3:15-3:30	" "
CMJM	Camaguey	(NRC)	1070		"	11	2:00-4:00	" "
KSUB	Cedar City Utah	(NNRC)	1310	100w	"	18	?? ??	" "
WEAU	Eau Claire Wis	(NRC)	1050	1kw	"	24	4:30-6:30	" "
YSS	San Salvador	(IDA)	638	??	March	22	1:00-2:00	" "

## DX TIP PERIODS

Tuesdays-12:45 PM EST	26,450 kc., W9XK-Kansas City Mo.	1kw	(NRC)
Wednesdays-12:30am	1390 kc., KOY Phoenix Ariz	1kw	(Tips)
" 1:45 PM	780 kc., WTKR Norfolk Va.	1kw	(URDXC)
Thursday-Every week-2:45-3:00 AM EST	1130 kc., KSL Salt Lake		(TIPS)
Saturdays-10:30 AM	830 kc., WBEU Reading Penna	1kw	(URDXC)
" 2:30-2:45 AM EST	1280 kc., KLS Oakland Calif	250w	(URDXC)
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., WPAV Portsmouth O.		(NRC)

NEW F.C.C. Checks:-Sent in by Bill Stone and Herman Rebensdorf  
Second Wednesday:-

4:25-4:40 AM EST WKST New Castle Penn 1250 Kc.,

4:30-4:45 AM EST WPIC Sharon Penna 780 Kc.,

WKST starts their daily broadcast at 7:00 AM. And WPIC starts their daily broadcast at 6:30 AM EST.

Australian DX Club, sends the following information that 3LO and 2FC both jump their power up to 10,000 watts, the both use 700 foot steel antennas.

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Educational Stations

By

Peter Clarius

Well here we are out in Minnesota, Northfield to be exact the home of St. Olaf College and also Radio Station WCAL 760kc., 1000w this station was founded in 1921 and is valued at \$25,000. WCAL shares with WLB with one third going to WCAL and two-thirds going to WLB. Some of WCAL's outstanding programs are: Divine Services, Vespers, Time signals from good-sell Observatory, Choral Hour and "A pause with the Poets". Its annual appropriation is \$2,500. The Station is also supported by free-will contributions from listeners. WCAL has become a window through which fathers and mothers can look and see how their sons and daughters live at college. The Sunday morning services in the Norwegian language have found a distinct place in the religious life of the Minnesota people. Many letters of appreciation have been received, especially from the old, the sick and the shut-ins. This in the opinion of the directors, is one of the greatest services the station is rendering to-day. WCAL was granted a power increase and word was passed that it will be put into service very soon.



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Thanks a lot fellows & it seems good to see so many of you taking and active part in this SW section each week. Keep up the fine work. Cyrus Will sends us some VFB information that was sent direct to him from Luc D'Helft-Lafere of Belgium and this information really is a SCOOP for the NRC as it will clear up a few questions that are in the minds of DX-ers throughout the entire country. Tnx a lot Cy OM and thank your friend for us too.

## ---DX PROGRAMS---

TG2	6.190	Guatemala City	January	22	3:00-4:00am	EST	(IDA)
TG3	2.340	" " "	" "	" "	" "	" "	" "
HP5G	11.750	Panama City	January	21	9:00-10:00pm	EST	(IDA)
YL2CD	28.080	Riga, Latvia	February	12	10:00-10:15am	EST	(IDA)
" "	" "	" "	" "	26	" "	" "	" "
HIT	6.630	Ciudad Trujillo D.R.	February	19	5:20-6:20am	EST	(IDA)
YSD	9.694	San Salvador	March	20	12:01-1:00am	EST	(IDA)

## Special Notes

On the special IDA program from YL2CD there will be a description of Ham Radio in Latvia & this is an excellent chance for everyone to increase their VIC ratings. Send all reports with a IRC to Arvids Vitolins, Miera iela 52-5, Latvia.

NOTE PLEASE:-W9XA-26.450 kc., 1.000 Watts, Kansas City Mo., will broadcast Tips, news items and other features over W9XA each Tuesday morning at 11:45 AM CST (12:45 PM EST) and will carry any news is not broadcast on Tuesday over to Thursday morning's same time. This is a National Radio Clubs Special Broadcast, so lets have all the HOT news, and any other special tips that you have sent direct to HQ so that we may have them into W9XA in time for this broadcast.

## --ANSWERES &amp; QUESTION DEPARTMENT--

Last week Fred Alfred was wondering where HILH on 6.425 megs in D.R. was located at. Your Editor has been wondering if Fred didnt get his calls mixed up a bit & maybe he was hearing HILS at Antiago, D.R. On 6.430 megs who operate daily except Sunday from 5:40-7:10pm.

Carl Foresteri heard a mystery station on about 9.520 megs from 4-5am with R9 signal. Lady did most of announcing & Carl says it sounds like a Russian Station. (RAN Moscow Russia is now operating on 9.520 megs irregular. This may be the station. However Radio Addis Ababa, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia is operating on 9.525 megs from 2:30am till 10:30am so maybe it is this station. If you heard the station on Sunday morning I would say it was LKC at Jeloy, Norway on 9.522 megs but most likely it was RAN you heard as Radio Addis Ababa and LKC are seldom heard here. Editor.)

Fred Alfred heard the Deutsche Freiheits Sender again from 4-5:30pm with R7/Q4 sigs on a freq of 10.150. He wants to know who this station is?.,.

Fred Alfred also wants to know where HRK 5.975 megs in Honduras is located. He hrd them several evenings with fair sigs arround 9pm.

Your Editor and Fred alfred both want to know if Radio Guadeloupe on 7.450 megs is the former "FG8AA"? We believe this station has now moved to this better freq where it is much better heard. They sign off at 7:15 pm giving news in French & sign on at 6pm with a R6?Q4 signal.

SOS-S.O.S---WHO can give HQ this information, a ham operator living in Lynn Mass.by the name of R.E.Pierce--what wavelength he uses to broadcast to South Africa on, and what is his calls, please some one give me this help,to locate this HAM.Give me all the details you can find.

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--SPECIAL NOTICE--

Station VUD2 at Delhi India was heard by your Editor on Jan.5th 1939 coming on the air at 9.30pm EST on a brand new freq of 9.600 megs where they were logged for  $1\frac{1}{2}$  hours with R7-9/Q5 signals.

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--SUGGESTION BOX--

Hans Jacobson-Buffalo N.Y. says he would like to see every member who sends in reports on SW reception to state what make of radio & Antenna they are using.(Not a bad idea OM.Editor)

Leo Herz says his idea for a SW contest is the same as your Editors.Give a grand prize for the one verifying the most countries over a years time.This would include all SW stations of the world.

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--GOSSIP OF OUR MEMBERS--

Hans Jacobson of Buffalo N.Y. uses a 23 tube Scott receiver.However at the present Hans has no antenna because of some construction work going on arround his place \$ which he thinks will last all winter.We were glad to hear from Hans though & I would suggest that Hans use his radiator for an antenna untill the time oresents itself where he can again erect his doublet doublet again.Lets hear from you again Hans OM.

Thanks to Cyrus Will for forwarding that VFB information of the Finland & Belgium SW stations to us.That was a real scoop OM.

Carl Foresieri says he has done very little DXing during the holidays because of local QRM from the hundreds of Christmas trees flashing lights in the neighborhood.Carl says reception sounded like fireworks display than Radio reception. However Carl sent in a fine SW report & tnx a lot OM.

Tnx to Merton Hiatt for his VFB articles on UHF DXing.Leo Herz is now interested in this sort of DXing.Hi.

Leo Herz expects to get a Taco Selective Beam Antenna for his New Howard receiver soon.

Fred Alfred sent reports the last week to JIB ZHP FG8AA YDB HH2s CB-970 CB-960 and SBP which is a good weeks DX in any mans country.Fred says one must have his antenna pointing East & West for South America, N.W.by S.E. for Europe.S.W. by N.E. for Asia,Africa and the far East. Fred has also completed a  $\frac{1}{4}$  wave beam antenna and as soon as weather permits will put it up and try it out.FB we call it.Fred says he has 47 QSL cards from stations over 5.000 miles away from London.Next week we shall publish these veries of Freds and they are about a nice a bunch of QSL cards that your Editor has ever seen.

## --AFRICA--

PAJ43-7.500 Apartado 225, Cruz de Tenerife, Canary Islands was heard by your Editor as early as 8pm and signing off at 9:35pm EST. Entire programs was a relay of Radio Nacional. During the program Radio Nacional DE Espana is mention several times. Also Franco-Franco-Franco Viva La Franco is mention several times. Gongs are used for station identification. At the end of program a man gives call PAJ43 in English and their freq as 7.500 megs. Lady gives news several times during program. Station is received R7-9/Q3-5 depending on the amount of CW interference.

TPZ2-8.960 Alger, Algeria was heard calling Paris at 12:30am and uses a 4 tone signal. Received R8/Q5. (Fred Alfred)

## --ASIA--

VUD2-4.905 Bombay India comes on the air daily at 7:30am with a native program and has a better signal than VUC2 on 4.880 megs (Alfred)

VUC2-4.880 Calcutta, India also comes on the air daily at 7:30am with a Native program but is received with poor to fair signals. (Alfred)

VUD2-4.995 Delhi India has best signals of the India stations also coming on the air at 7:30am giving news in English usually by a lady and followed by a native program. (Alfred)

VUD2-9.600 Delhi India hrd from 9:30-11pm EST on their new freq with a R7-9/Q3-5 signals. (Lundberg)

VUD3-15.160 Delhi India hrd the latter part of last week R7-8/Q5 from 9:30-11:30pm and giving news in English from 10:20-10:30pm. (Herz) Hrd at 10:40pm with news in English R7-9/Q3-4 (Lundberg)

VUMS-4.950 Madras India also comes on air at 7:30am daily with a fair signal brdcast a Native Program. (Alfred)

JVT-6.750 Tokyo Japan heard calling KEL on 6.860 megs with a R7/Q5 signal at 12:40am. (Fred Alfred)

TAP-9.465 Ankara Turkey is on the air daily from 11:30am-4:00pm daily and not till 5pm as most clubs state. They use 20kw and QRA:--Ankara Radio W?1/ Tap, Ankara Turkey Asia. (Cyrus Will)

(Cyrus Will)

TAQ-15.195 Ankara Turkey is on the air daily from 5:30am-7:00am EST on only this one sked. They also use 20kw power and have the same QRA as TAP.

## --OCEANIA--

VLR-9.580 Melbourne, Australia was received R9 from 4-6am. (Forestieri)

VK3ME-9.500 Melbourne Australia was hrd R8 from 4-6am. (Forestieri)

## --EUROPE--

ORK-10.330 Ruvselede, Belgium is the Belgium Short Wave station which has 15kw power and relays NIR or INR of Brussels, Belgium from 2:30pm-4:00pm EST for the Belgian Congo. The Antenna of ORK is erected between 8 masts of more than 300 m. high. One of them was knocked down by a plane a few years ago. Others smaller antennas are erected all arround. (Cy Will)

OLR2A-6.010 Praha Czech was hrd with fair signals on Thurs from 4-4:30pm and at times still later. (Fred Alfred)

GBS-12.150 Rugby England was hrd calling WQC 17.860 megs at 8:30am with R9/Q5 signals. (Fred Alfred)

GSC-9.580 London England hrd R9 from 7-9pm. (Forestieri)

GSJ-21.530 R7-9 signals at 11:00am (Carl Forestieri)

- G5B-9.510 London England hrd R9/Q5 with News in English at 10:30pm. Announced that G5C 9.580 and G5L 6.110 megs were on same program. (Hiatt)
- G5L-6.110 London England R8/Q5 on Trans # 6 from 10-10:15pm. (Herz)
- OIE-15.190 is now used to broadcast the Lhata Finland trans and was hrd with a special program from 1:15-2:00pm R7-8/Q5. (Herz)
- TPA2-15.243 Essarts France hrd at 8:30am R9/Q5. (Alfred) R8 from 7-10am (Forestieri)
- TPA3-11.885 Pontoise, France had news reports in English at 3:00pm and received R7/Q4. (Merton Hiatt)
- TPB7-11.885 Essarts France hrd R9/Q5 at 4pm. (Alfred) R8/Q5 from 11:45pm till midnight. (Leo Herz)
- TPB-11-9.550 Essarts France hrd daily till 5pm R8/Q5. They give news in English at 3:00pm. (Fred Alfred)
- DJA-9.560 Berlin Germany has a very weak signal from 4-7pm. (Forestier)
- DJN-9.540 Berlin Germany R7 from 3-7am and R9 from 4-7pm. (Forestieri)
- DJQ-15.280 Berlin Germany R9 signals from 9-11am. (Forestieri)
- DZC-10290 Zeosen, Germany hrd daily from 4:50-5:00pm or later. They call Buenos Aires and Brazil and then gives news in Spanish with a R8/Q5 signal. (Fred Alfred)
- DJM-6.080 Berlin Germany hrd R7/Q4 from 4:50-11:00pm. (Leo Herz)
- HAT4-9.125 Budapest, Hungary now hrd daily from 7-8pm and often relays the National Network program from Denmark (From announcements. (Alfred)
- PCJ-9.590 Hilversum, Netherlands hrd signing off at 3:37pm with the announcements that they would be returning to the air at 7:30pm. This was on Wed. Received R8/Q5 (Fred Alfred)
- IQY-11.680 Rome Italy hrd daily from around noon to 1:30pm or later with an oriental program which sounds like the music from the India stations. They also give talks which sounds like Arabic Signals. Station was received with fair to good signals. (Fred Alfred) Editors note IQY has a program daily for the Arabian countries from 12:10pm-1:00pm.
- IRF-9.850 Rome Italy received R8-9/Q5 on North American Program. (HERZ) R9 from 6-9pm. (Forestieri)
- 2R0-9635 Rome Italy R7-8/Q5 on North American program. (Herz) R8/Q5 every evening. (Keith Kilton) R4 at 3pm, R7 at 5pm and R9 from 6-9pm every evening on North American Hour. (Forestieri)
- 2R04-11.800 Rome Italy received R3 at 5am, R5 at 8am and fades around 10am. (Forestieri)
- 2R05-15.300 Rome Italy is the best of the Rome stations hrd during the daytime. Their signals range from R4-9 until noon. This station seems to be on all the time. (Forestieri)
- RAN-9.530 Moscow, U.S.S.R now hrd on this freq nightly in parallel with RKI 7.520. RKI has the best signal as there is too much QRM on RAN. (Alfred) RAN received on 9.520 megs. (Lundberg)
- RIE-10.080 Tiflis U.S.S.R. hrd calling Moscow at 12.05am with R7/Q4 signal and lady does most of announcing. (Fred Alfred)
- LKC-9.530 Jeloy Norway hrd R6 at 5am. (Forestieri)
- RADIO SALAMANCA-6.670 hrd with war news from 8-10pm with a R8 signal when not bothered by CW QRM. (Forestieri)
- RADIO NACIONAL-10.370 Salamanca Spain hrd signing off at 10pm with a R6-8/Q4-5 signal. (Lundberg)
- SOUTH AMERICA--
- LRX-9.660 Buenos Aires, Argentina hrd at 9:20pm with R6-8/Q4 signals with plenty of QRM from W3XAL on 9.670 megs. (Lundberg)
- HJLABP-9.618 Cartagena Colombia received R9/Q5 at 9:05pm. (Lundberg)
- HC2CW-9.130 Guayaquil, Ecuador now back on their old freq of 9.130 again (Fred Alfred)

- YV4RB-6.520 Valencia, Venezuela received R7-8/Q4-5 at 9pm with some CW QRM. Gave call very distinctly. (Lundberg)  
 YV5RC-5.973 Caracas Venezuela 8:45-9:00pm with a VFB program and received R7/Q4 (Herz)  
 YV6RB-6.545 Bolivar, Venezuela received at 9:05pm R6/Q3-4 with very much CW QRM. (Lundberg)

## --CENTRAL AMERICA--

- TIEP-6.690 San Jose, Costa Rica hrd at 8:30pm with musical program with a R9 plus signals. Uses slogan "The Voice Of The Tropics" (Lundberg)  
 TIGPH-5.825 San Jose, Costa Rica hrd till 11:45pm with very good signal. (Fred Alfred)  
 TGWA-9.680 Guatemala City. R8/Q5 from 10-10:30pm. (Herz)  
 TGWA-15.170 Guatemala City Guatemala has this transmission beamed on Europe and also works in parallel with TGWB 6.490 megs. This program is QRM'ed a great deal by OZH 15.165 megs. (Fred Alfred)  
 TGWB-6.485 Guatemala City, Guate. R7/Q5 from 10:30-11pm. (Herz) Hrd them relaying TGW 1520kc from 10:39-12.18am at which time they signed off. They announced that TGWA 9.685 was on with same program. The announcement were in English every ½ hour with an occasional musical selection announced in English. Came in R7-7/Q4. (Hiatt) R9/Q5 with a musical program at 8:50pm. (Lundberg)  
 YNLG-6.610 Managua, Nicaragua R6-8/Q4 at 8:45pm. (Lundberg)  
 YNRF-6.740 Managua Nicaragua R8-9/Q5 at 8:25pm with a musical program and QRM'ed at times with CW. Some think this station is YNRS.  
 HP5A-11.700 Panama City, Panama hrd daily from 7-7:30am R7-8/Q5. (Herz)  
 HP5J -9.610 Panama City, Panama R7-8/Q4-5 at 9:15pm with a musical program. Must clubs list them on 9.590 but they are received always on 9.610 megs. (Lundberg)

## --WEST INDIES--

- COCM-9.840, 10-10:30pm R8/Q5. (Herz) Always received either on 9.800 or 9.810 megs. (Lundberg) They are at Havana Cuba.  
 CMA5-15.550 Havana Cuba hrd testing with N.Y. with a R8/Q5 signal (Alfred)  
 HHH-6.775 San Pedro D.R. R4-5/Q3 with musical program at 8:20pm. (Lundberg)  
 HIN-6.243 Trujillo City, D.R. R9/Q5 at 9:30pm. (Lundberg)  
 HILL-6.430 Santiago de los Caballeros, D.R. heard with a good signal at 8:45pm. (Alfred) Think this station is HILL received R6-7/Q3 at 9:10pm with CW QRM bad at times. (Lundberg) May I chip in on this one I heard a station, according to my dial it would be 6.430, the other night about 6:45pm and they announced as I took it HILL, to much fading to make it out clear. (Gordon)  
 HI7P-6.673 Trujillo City, D.R. R6-7/Q3-4 at 8:15pm. Signed off at 8:40pm. Sundays at 10:40pm. (Lundberg)  
 HI9B-6.670 Santiago D.R. was still hrd at 8:30pm with a musical program on Sunday. Received R8-9/Q5. Skeds say they are on from 6:40-7:40pm daily. (Lundberg)  
 HI4V-6.455 San Francisco de Macoris, D.R. hrd with a good signal at 8:45pm (Alfred)  
 HH3W-9.645 Port-au-Prince, Haiti heard with a lot better signal and gives call and location in English at 9pm. (Alfred)  
 RADIO MARTINIQUE-9.700 Fort De France, Martinique received at 5:50pm R9/Q5 with a musical program. This station is being heard earlier than their usual sked & received with VFB signals. (Lundberg)

## --NORTH AMERICA--

- XEWW-9.500 Mexico City, Mexico R9/Q5 from 9-midnight. (Herz)  
 CJCX-6.010 Sydney, Nova Scotia Canada hrd at 7am with R7/Q5 sig. (Alfred)  
 WNB-10.675 Lawrenceville N.J. hrd calling Bermuda at 10:45am with a R9/Q5 signal. (Alfred)

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WVW-10.000 Beltsville Md.hrd at 12:30pm giving lonespere reports R9/Q5  
signal.(Keith Kilton) National Bureau of Standards station  
of Washington D.C. and the verify for return postage.(Editor)  
KKZ-?????? Hawaii received R8/Q5 at 6:30pm.(Keith Kilton)  
W2XAD-9.550 Schenectady N.Y. R9 from 7-9pm.(Forestieri)  
W2XE-21.530 New York N.Y. R9 plus from 8-10am daily.Till noon on Sundays  
(Forestieri)  
W8XK-15.210 Pittsburgh Pa.R9/Q5 from 9-11am daily.(Forestieri)

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A WORD FROM YOUR ASSNT EDITOR

I have bough a new receiver.It is the Howard Communication Receiver Model 430.It is a 6 tube superhet and the price is real FB for the pocket book too cost only \$29.95: I purchased the set on the recommendation of one of my Ham pals W9LLX of Chicago .In future issues of the bulletin I will give the results of Listening Post Test which I think will be of interest to the NRC members who are interested in a good receiver in the lower price class.The set is housed in a Drawn Steel Cabinet finished in Black silver trimmings,.The set is constructed for Doublet or L type antenna connections.It has headphone and Connections for an R meter.The tubes used are 6K8G 6C5 6K7 6Q7G 41 and 5W4. I will give you more news on this set as soon as I have tried it out.

Editors Note

I am sure we are all interested in Leo's experiment with his new set.We all wish him the best of luck in his DXing.

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ULTRA HIGH FREQUENCY NEWS

W9XUP-25.950 St.Paul Minnesota R9/Q5 from 1-1:30pmbroadcasting NBC programs and relaying KSTP.They desire reports on reception and all correct reports are verified.(Merton Hiatt.)This station haschanged its frequency to 25.160 megs OM this past week.Please take notice.(Editor)

W9XA-26.450 Kansas City Mo. rebroadcast programs of KITE and KCKN.On Saturdays at noon EST they have an interesting talk on Television and a mail bag program every day at 11am and 4:30pm EST.(Noon and 5:30pm EST). They are hrd better here than any other Ultra High Frequency station.(Merton Hiatt) Please note OM about their Tip peroid on Tuesday.HQ

W9XUY-31.600 megs 100 watts Omaha Nebraska was hrd relaying KOIL and testing for local coverage.Come in R9/Q5.Although they announced their freq as 31.600 megs they were received far enough away from the rest of the stations on that freq to not be bothered by any QRM.They were heard from 2-2:40pm EST and they announced they would present selective programs from Mutual and NBC networks beginning Jan.1st.Send all reports to Central States Broadcasting Co.Omaha Nebraska.

W2XJI-26.300 New York City R4/Q3 from 4:30-5:30pm and relaying WOR and Mutual Network programs.QRA for reports is "The Engineering Department Bamberger Broadcasting Service, 1440 Broadway, New York City,N.Y.(Hiatt)

W9XHW-31.600 Minneapolis Minnesota heard from 5:40-6:00pm EST R7/Q4-5  
At 6:00pm W9XHW fades out and W9XPD St Louis,Mo.,can be heard.

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-W6XKG- MRE PRONOUNCED MIREBO-

Good-Will Broadcasts (Including Spatari), to be given over W6XKG 25.95 megs, 1417 South Figueroa, Los Angeles, California.

WEDNESDAY-February 8, 3:00 EST.The Consul for San Salvador will speak. Earl G.DeHaven will be the Master of Ceremonies and Commentator and Hal Clein will send greetings from the IDA, and will also read messages in SPATARI.

Amateur Hi-Lights  
 All time EST NEWS of the HAM BANDS All time EST  
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To any of you new members interested in DXing on the amateur bands. Don't forget to mail your reports when ever you have any news to me. We want to know what stations you are hearing, what QSLs you are receiving and any amatuer news will be appreciated.

--QSLs RECEIVED--

LEO HERZ-Chicago Ill. Reports two FB verifications. OX2QY, The McGregor Expedition. Greenland, a VFB QSL as pictured in All Wave Radio last spring, making Leo's 61st country: XZ2DY, whose QRA is F.J. Mustil, Minto Lodge, Maymo, Burma giving Leo his 62nd country.

EARLE HICKEY-Norwood New York, Also reports receiving the nice card of OX2QY, the MacGregor Expedition.

--NON QSLing HAMS--

LEO HERZ:-Reports that from the latest issue of the Amateur callbook there are a few hams listed as not QSLing to SWL's. They are: LU4BC, LU7AZ, and VP1BA, so save your IRCs on these.

--CALLS HEARD--

KEITH KILTON-Monticello Illinois. Reports DX to be rather poor there, but he reports several good catches. Hope

you will report again Keith.

GM6RG	10M	Scotland	QSA5 R8	7:40 am	Dec.14
VE1DR	10M	Canada	QSA5 R8	7:43 am	Dec.14
XE2FC	20M	Mexico	QSA5 R7	3:40 pm	Jan.2
PY1FR	20M	Brazil	QSA5 R6	5:30 pm	Jan.2
YV4AL	20M	Venezuela	QSA5 R5	6:00 pm	Jan.2
K4ENT	20M	Porto Rico	QSA5 R8	6:10 pm	Jan.2
VE4SS	20M	Canada	QSA5 R8	6:30 pm	Jan.2
VE4AK	20M	Canada	QSA5 R8	6:32 pm	Jan.2

LEO HERZ-Chicago Ill. Sends in a report each week. I wish I had a few more Leo's hi. Thanks OM for sending Keiths report down to me. Leo reports as follows: 20 Meter Phones:

Dec.14	HI7G	R7 Q4	7:18 am.	Dec. 19	C07VP	R8 Q5	7:15 am.
Dec.16	K5AF	R8 Q5	7:18 am		HI5X	R8 Q5	7:38 am
	YV1AQ	R7 Q5	9:56 pm		VK6FL	R8 Q5	7:41 am
Dec.17	YV4AE	R8 Q4	7:17 am		VE5AEJ	R8 Q5	9:56 am
	HI5X	R9 Q5	7:37 am	Dec. 20	HH2PB(?)	R4 Q3	6:22 am
	K6ILW	R7 Q4	10:20 pm		XE2FC	R8 Q5	11:25 pm
Dec.18	HH2B	R9 Q5	12:20 am	Dec.21	C07VP	R8 Q4	7:21 am
	C02RR	R7 Q4	8:58 am	Dec. 22	HI5X	R8 Q5	7:17 am
	K5AF	R7 Q4	9:10 am		HI7G	R9 Q5	7:17 am
	K6BNR	R6 Q4	8:35 pm	Dec. 23	HI5X	R8 Q5	7:20 am
	C02LY	R9 Q4	8:45 pm		K5AF	R8 Q5	7:21 am

Dec. 17 XE3X R8 Q5 8:51 pm on 40 Meters

CY WILL-Kenilworth Ill. 10 Meter Phone heard here:-

GM6RG	28.43	10:59 am	Galashiels Scotland	QSO de W5BEW
ON4VK	28.13	10:49 am	Bruxelles Belgium	Calling W8CMA
C02WM	28.34	10:38 am	Habana Cuba	QSO de SM7UC
C07VP	28.20	2:13 pm	Central Agramonte Cuba	QSO de W9ZKQ
G5BM	28.27	1:40 pm	Cheltenham England	Test DX
G5SA	28.15	11:09 am	Hatfield, Herts, England	QSO de W9UMG
G6GS	28.40	1:38 pm	Guildford, Surrey, England	Test W6
G8SA	28.15	9:29 am	Huthwaite, Notts., England	Test.

SWL Hi-Lights

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## --SWL CORNER--

Well here we are starting another year, so to begin with I want to wish all of you a very happy new year. I hope that during the coming year that I may also count on many letters from all of you members who exchange SWL cards and also those of you who listen on the amateur bands. The more reports and letters I receive the better these columns will be for it is only with every member's help that I can keep these pages up to date.

## --LETTERS FROM MEMBERS--

Robert Botzum, 633 Moss St., Reading Pa. Writes that he QSLs 100% both local and foreign SWL cards, so those of who do not yet have Bob's card in your collection don't forget to send yours now. Bob also will swap photos with SWLs in foreign countries only.

Larry Lundberg, 1020 Lowry Ave., Minneapolis Minn. Our very fine SW Editor QSLs 100%. Larry will also exchange photos. If you exchange photos with him try to get him to spill the names of those gals whose pictures are on his wall Hi. Larry sure is putting out a fine column now so send along some SW news when you exchange cards with him.

Peter A. Clarius, 11 Marianne St., Port Richmond N.Y. One of our FB BOB Editors drops me a line saying that he still QSLs 100%. To date Pete has 154 cards from 43 states and 24 countries. He also sends two QRAs from two hard to get states. Both cards are in his files. I have sent both cards. Have not heard from the Arizona one, but the South Carolina one QSLed promptly but requests that his QRA should not be passed any more. Here are the QRAs anyway.

Charles Perkins, Box 350 C, Route 4, Tucson Arizona

Joe Berly, Jr., 107 N. Clemson Ave., Clemson S. Carolina

J.W. Brauner, Williamsville N.Y. Dropped me a line also. He says he does not exchange SWL cards but has received about 15 unsolicited. He says if he ever gets some himself he will answer them, but he doubts if he will ever get cards himself. Thanks for writing anyway OM.

Merlin N. Steen, Route 6, Decorah Iowa. Writes that he QSLs 100% on all SWL cards both US and foreign. Merlin would like QRAs from Arizona, Alaska, Florida, Iado, Wyoming, Delaware, Mississippi, N Carolina, R. Island and Puerto Rico. If anyone has 100% QRAs from those staes why not send them in so we can publish them in this section. Many of the readers are working to get cards from all 48 staes and those are some of the hard to get staes. Your Ed would like to know how to get a card from Nevada. Merlin also sends some FB QRAs.

Burton W. Bostad, 2322 Thomas Ave, N., Minneapolis Minn

Ruxton Reid, 1340 Penn Ave., No., Minneapolis Minn.

Ken Munn, 419 W. Granite Ave., Albuquerque N. Mexico

Wm. F. Miller, 116 Woodhull Ave., Riverhead N.Y.

Harold Pfitzer, 1636 Sutton St., Cincinnati Ohio

R.A. Goodship 171 Kingston Road, Ewell Surrey Englang.

Sergio Gonzalez, Calle 21 No. 552, Vedado Havana Cuba. Sends a VFB letter and I am sure glad to hear from you Sergio. Sergio QSLs 100% and has a very fine card. He has cards from all states but Nevada and Mississippi and would like very much to have QRAs from these elusive states also. He has sent three cards to a SWL in Nevada but he did not answer. Sergio has a collection of 626 cards from 46 states and 37 foreign countries.

In closing I want to remind those of you with whom I have not exchanged cards that I also QSL 100% anywhere. So send along your card.