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The Club welcomes these new members this week: Mr. Robert Grubbs, Kearney, Mo., Hank Wilson, Union, N.J., and Alvin V. Oliver, Houston, Texas. Alvin is Mel Oliver's Twin brother. These have renewed for another season with us: Joe Becker, Hamilton, Ohio; Kerlie Smith of Fulton, Mo., Jim McFannamra of Claremont, N.H., and S. Henry Frankel of Brocklyn, N.Y. I hope you'll all have loads of DX!

### DX CALENDAR

|        |       |      |                           |           |                     |
|--------|-------|------|---------------------------|-----------|---------------------|
| Mar. 9 | WDLB  | 1450 | Marshfield, Wisconsin     | NNRC      | 2:00 - 4:00 AM, EST |
| 10     | CBH   | 1240 | Halifax, Nova Scotia      | NNRC &    | 3:00 - 4:00 AM      |
| 15     | WKBR  | 1240 | Manchester, New Hampshire | NRC       | 3:30 - 4:30 AM      |
| 16     | VLBR  | 1270 | Lebanon, Penna.           | NRC &     | 1:30 - 5:00 AM      |
| 16     | CHAT  | 1270 | Medicine Hat, Alta.       | NRC       | 4:00 - 5:00 AM      |
| 17     | KCHIO | 1450 | Pocatello, Idaho          | NRC       | 3:00 - 3:30 AM      |
| 18     | KMHL  | 1400 | Marshall, Minnesota       | URDXC     | 3:00 - 4:00 AM      |
| 20     | KOVC  | 1490 | Valley City, North Dakota | NNRC      | 3:30 - 4:00 AM      |
| 21     | WJLS  | 560  | Beckley, West Virginia    | NNRC      | 2:30 - 3:00 AM      |
| 22     | KFUO  | 850  | St. Louis, Missouri       | All Clubs | 3:00 - 5:00 AM      |
| 24     | KCHIO | 1450 | Pocatello, Idaho          | All Clubs | 3:00 - 3:30 AM      |
| 25     | WXLS  | 850  | Narsarsuak, Greenland     | NRC       | 3:00 - 4:00 AM      |
| 25     | WHFB  | 1230 | Talladega, Alabama        | NRC       | 3:30 - 4:30         |
| 29     | WATN  | 1240 | Watertown, New York       | All Clubs | 2:00 - ???          |

WKRR - Mr. W. F. Rust, Jr., Manager writes to Len Kruse: "Our sincere apologies to the members of the National Radio Club who listened for us on February 21 from 3:30 to 4:30 a.m., E.S.T. Through a misunderstanding on everyone's part here, we ran the broadcast, but on Saturday morning instead of Friday morning, never realizing that a new day begins at 12 midnight. On March 15, Saturday, from 3:30 to 4:30 a.m., E.S.T., WKRR is planning to run another DX program. Hope you will pass the word around, and we won't let you all down this time." Thank you, Mr. Rust - mistakes will happen and many did hear you on Saturday anyhow. So, boys listen in, and we hope for a clear channel after KFYY s/off.

VLBR - A big DX is planned by this station for the morning of Mar. 16, starting at 1:30. We hope that they will open the way for our pre-scheduled DX from the rare CHAT which we scheduled from 4:00 to 5:00 a.m. VLBR's engineers will run this program, and there should be a lot of fun around, so what say we give a listen on 1270 for VLBR. Send your reports to Mr. William C. Kehrung, Ass't. Chief Engineer. Notification from Ray Edge.

CHAT - Well, for those who couldn't get them last month, and that means many of us, here is another fine chance of logging a new and remote station. Mr. J. M. Ellis, Chief Engineer says that scarcely any signal is radiated due south, but in other directions CHAT should spread, given a decent break in conditions. We hope VLBR will sign in time for this DX - both coasts that will give you a chance of logging on the same channel on DX programs for the National Radio Club. This program arranged by Lefty Cooper.

KCHIO - A good one indeed this will be in our log books - a few have already caught this new station, but most have yet to hear them. Mr. Randy Sorenson, Chief Engineer, is putting on 2 programs - one for the NRC, the other for all, but this NRC one should be the easier to hear, due to frequency checks the following week. Better try first half, before WTOK's check for this NRC DX from Idaho, and we thank Mr. Sorenson for this courtesy in giving us a chance of hearing his station, and this is arranged by Len Kruse.

KMHL - Word from the URDXC advises us of this program for their club. Reports should go to Mr. Corwin A. Ost, C.E. who will verify the correct ones. Your chance to get a real varie to replace Tom letter recently sent out by them on tests.

Omitted this week, due to lack of space, is some more on the all-night station situation, in the opinion of Al Meyer. Next week I hope we'll have this in. Meantime, more f/cs!

KC?

DX DOWN THE DIAL

SEND YOUR DX TIPS TO: VINCENT C. STASEN-5347 PRISCILLA ST. PHILA. 44. PA.

- 560 CFRA OTTAWA ONT. Opens May 1st. (VAN VOORHEES)
- 580 KFXD Boise, Idaho started 1/27. Xmitter at Meriden, Idaho (VAN VOORHEE)
- 590 WOW Omaha, Neb. has nitely sports talk 1:15-1:30am (DUFFY)
- 600 WTCB FLINT MICH. heard 3/1, 3:45-4am (DUFFY)
- 650 KRCT Goose Creek Tex. P.O. Box 629, M.E. DOUGHERTY C.E. (RIELLY)  
WJSW Altoona, Pa. easy daytimes (ROUTSAHN) VCS
- 660 WESC Greenville S.C. start early in March (VAN VOORHEES) hrd 3/33
- 680 WRNY Rochester, N.Y. now on with Ed Cole as C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)
- 690 WQYB Bristol, Va. did not come on as sked. (DUFFY)
- 710 ~~KMPS~~ Los Angles went to 50 kw on 2/20 (VAN VOORHEES)
- 730 ~~CKAC~~ Montreal finalley verified L. SPENCER, TECH. DIR. (HERZ)  
WCIF Madisonville, Ky. went on 1/19 C.R. FREDERICKS, C.E. (VAN VOOR.)  
WDIA Memphis, Tenn. to go on May 1st. WAS WABP. (VAN VOORHEES)  
WHWL Nanticoke Pa. went on 2/21 (VAN VOORHEES)
- 760 WCPS Tarboro, N.C. now on CHAS. D. CHANDLER, C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)
- 776 PARIS NATIONAL, FRANCE on here. Xmitter-Romainville, France (VAN VOOR)
- 780 WCKE Dunn, N.C. R9 2/25 3-4am (DUFFY) verify fast (VCS)
- 800 ~~WHAT~~ Phila. Pa. more wattage, all day operation accoding to local  
(WHAT) paper. Already has FCC approval. WHEN??? (VCS)
- 860 WTEL Phila. Pa. day operation. Same as above. (VCS)
- 990 WIBG Phila. Pa. to verify soon, see letter in bulletin (VCS)
- 1020 WMMJ Peoria, Ill. started 12/25 TED GILES, C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)
- 1030 KWBU Corpus Christi, Tex. in clear Sun. 2/23, Regular?? (WOKATY)
- 1050 BBC at Lisnagarvey, Northern Ireland called 'SIX COUNTIES  
Regional' near Belfast, Ireland (VAN VOORHEES)
- 1070 WIBC Indianapolis, Ind. proposed 50kw operat. with FCC (VAN VOOR.)
- 1090 KAYX Waterloo, Iowa has started construction (VAN VOORHEES)
- 1100 WHLL Hempstead, N.Y. to go on early in May, FRANK E. KNACK, C.E. (VV)
- 1120 WBCC Chevy Chase, Bethesda, MD. On 1420 also. Being used to check  
feasibility of 30kc separation of stations in same city  
by FCC. Plan to do this all across the country (GABRIEL-Jr)  
Also reported by-CAMPBELL-ROUTZAHN & VAN VOORHEES..
- 1130 KYOR San Diego, Calif. on 1/24-WILLIAM BUCKLEY, C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)
- 1190 WBUY Lexington, N.C. R9 2/25 3:30-4:30 (DUFFY)  
WBIX Rome, Ga. 121 Broad St. (REILLY) DUFFY
- 1230 WJCR Bangor, Me. I THINK. Basketball recordings til 2/26-2:01am/  
KSST ??only thing I see is KSPT Sulphur Springs, Texas. Tested  
2/23 5:30-6am (WOKATY) comments by V.C.S. Or is it KSST??? VCS
- 1240 KIUL Gardn City, Kan. F/C 3rd Monday-March 17-(GABRIEL)  
Decorah, Iowa. will share time with KWLC this freq. using  
KWLC Xmitter. Owned by owners KDTH? on soon. (GABRIEL)  
KAVR Havre, Mont. Rod Sam C/E of both KAVR & KBIC V/S (HERZ)  
KHUM Eureka, Calif. on 1/23 CHARLES F. BREEDING, C.E. (VAN VOOR.)  
WKDA Nashville, Tenn. J.C. GRIFFIN Jr. C.E. (REILLY)  
WWWB Jasper, Ala. tested 3/3 2:30-2:50am (DUFFY)  
'RADIO EIRANN' at Cork hrd on recent trip to Ireland (VAN V)
- KGES Harlingen, Texas V/S W.O. PORTER. (ROUTZAHN) GABRIEL
- 1260 KVSF Santa Fe, N. MEX. tested all week 2/24 1kw. N.L. KEYS, C.E./  
???? Spanish speaking station 3-3:30 (DUFFY) Should be for  
question box. It is always there hi. no. (VCS)
- WNDR Syracuse, N.Y. 'WILSON BLDG.' (RIELLY) Pulling rank as Pres.  
No offense but with all ur veries. LETS HAVE SOME NEWS. VCS.
- 1270 KIOX Bay City, Texas full time here from day only on 1110 (VAN V.)
- 1280 WNAM Neenah, Wisc. on April 1st. E.W. FLIEGEL C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)  
WDSU New Orleans, La. J. Murray issues swell verie (DUFFY)
- 1320 ~~WNCQ~~ Mayfield, Ky. 2/25 R9 til 3:30 (DUFFY)
- 1340 ~~WKJB~~ Mayaguez, P.R. P.O. BOX 1293 V/S HENRY Fischback (MALEY)

KC

1340 WBBQ Augusta, Ga. E. DAVID FREEMAN, C.E. (RIELLY)  
 WCAM Camden, N.J. drop in poer & unlimited time. WHEN?? (VCS)  
 WWGS Tifton, Ga. to go on soon. WENDELL C. ROBERTS C.E. (VAN VOOR.)  
 1348 .... 'RADIO EIRANN' at Dublin hrd here on a recent trip (VAN VOOR.)  
 1400 KBIO Burley, Idaho on for NNRC 2/24 4:32-4:45am (WOKATY)  
 KODI Cody, Wyo. on for equip. test 2/24 4:38-4:48am (WOKATY)  
 1420 WBCC Chevy-Chase-Md. see 1120 kc. for this item. (VCS) HERZ  
 1450 WNOE New Orleans, La. s<sub>4</sub> off 3am JAMES E. GORDON, GEN?MANAGER V/S  
 WMIQ Iron Mountain, Mich. Hrd testing 3/2 4-4:30am (HERZ) 3/1 (DUFFY)  
 WKAL Rome, N.Y. seems to test nitely 1am (DUFFY)  
 WILM Wilmington, Del. tested 2/24 1:30-1:40am (HERZ)  
 WJNX Jackson, Miss. shifts here from 1490 (VAN VOORHEES) WHEN?? (VCS)  
 WEBB Rocky Mount, N.C. tested 2/24 3:30am (HERZ)  
 WGRS Greenwood, S.C. tested freq. 3:32-4am 2/22 (WOKATY)  
 1480 VJUS Newfoundland.. Hrd faint sig. (DUFFY) NOY HRD (CAMPBELL-VCS)  
 WHBC Canton, Ohio heard 2/27 at 11pm over rideing KTBS & KOMO-HERZ  
 1490 KFFA Helena, Ark. Verified rpt of Nov. 21-rth crd-V/S HUGH W. SMITH  
 KHUZ Berger, Tex. on daily 2:15-2:30 with TT (GABRIEL) (HERZ)  
 WSIR Winter Haven, Fla. opened 2/13 CLIFF WOLKING, C.E. (VAN VOOR)  
 KXPJ Russelville, Ark. CLYDE R. HORNE, co-owner -MBS- (REILLY)  
 WJBK Detroit, Mich. purchased by FORT INDUSTRY CO. from JAMES F.  
 HOPKINS. LET THE HOPE THEY TAKE IT OFF 24 hr. sked (VAN VOOR.)  
 1510 KCOS Ontaric, Calif. on 1/28 with JOHN HICKS as C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)  
 1540 KGBC Galveston, Teax on 1/1 with JESSE SIMS as C.E. (VAN VOORHEES)  
 1560 WCKB Dunn, N.C., hrd here wid NNRC DX (GABRIEL) HERE ALSO (VCS)  
 1570 XBRF Mexico has Bing Crosby program 12:30-1am S/Off (DUFFY)  
 1600 CKVC Niagara Falls, Ontario to go on June 1st. (VAN VOORHEES)  
 550 KPYR Bismark, N.D. tests 2nd THURSDAY 3:15-3:30 (MATSON)  
 THERE IT IS FELLOWS\*\*\*MANY THANKS\*ALL TIME EST\*\*IF I MISSED ANY\*SORRY\*  
 Say I thought that some one was going to take care of the list of  
 verie signers?? Got a answer from WIBG so the letter should be in this  
 issue for you all to see. Go ahead and get your veries now.. Went up to  
 Bustleton and seen Jones. Got a nice set-up Especially the HQ-129X.  
 I'll toss this little bit to Ray. Lets hear from YOU and YOU. Just a  
 line or two is greatly appreciated here. And lets have those ideas. And  
 get on the ball with a hot LCB section. Shoot me the news and I'll  
 print all that is fit to print. Hey! ENZ missed you this week. Again  
 thanks to you all for the tips. Good Dxing-73's-VINCE STASEN... \_ ...

Not much to include but will try to fill up with things found here.

1240 KEYY Pocatello, Idaho had a F/C Every Sat AM 3:30-4 AM E.S.T. un-  
 til their freq monitor arrives. Appreciates reports accord-  
 ing to J.J. Dennis, C.E. on verie rec here Mar 4.

Again I would like to remind you members that it seems 3rd Class mail  
 has really slowed up and if the bulletin is arriving too late, causing  
 you to miss things, it is suggested that you either send in extra money  
 or stamps for first class mail. If you send stamps, 1-1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -2 or 3 $\phi$  ones  
 are OK. Also the method used is as follows. The club pays the first 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  $\phi$   
 postage and you pay the remainder. If bulletin is not over 1 ounce in  
 weight it costs you 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  $\phi$  and the club 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  $\phi$ , if the bulletin goes over 1  
 ounce, you pay everything over 1 $\frac{1}{2}$  $\phi$ . When your first class fund gets to  
 around 6 $\phi$  you are reminded by a notation on your bulletin envelope.

As Lefty reminds you, its near voting time. To be eligible you must  
 be a paid up member in your 2nd year as an NRC Member. If you do not wish  
 to have your name listed drop a line to Club HQ 325 Snirley Ave. Bflo.

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

KEN BOORD-DUNEDIN, NEW ZEALAND N.R.C. Specials heard were KCRT, first 5 minutes only, KSFT, and previously got KTW KPPC & KFUO, all on DXes - gave me a great thrill. Have to give you list of recent loggings at this point - KHUM KBMY ~~KXLF~~ KABC KGBC KPOW WRHP (thanks to Ray Edge) WBBO WENK KJAM KPRL ~~KOWO~~ WMOX ~~KCRT~~ KSFT KCOS WELO CKNW WOWO KOAL KODL KTYL WHOM WGWG KIST VLAY KMIR KGGM KSEL KGVL KTHH WRFC KPH WQXR WALB WHHM KTW KPPC KAVR KPRO KGAK WLBU KAKC WREN WFFF KVOC WRQN KOAT KTRB KFUC KCRA KSDJ ~~KMED~~ KHUB KSIB. That list is what I got in December! Sure kept me busy writing out reports. Murray Lamont got the same, plus a few more! Tried most of specials but no good, owing to a bad season here - worst for DX yet in that only heard ~~WFF~~ calls of 250 watters on 2 nights. Well, that brings me to tonight now, Feb. 7, 9:45 PM. Murray and I have been at the dials and got KAFY, 1490 on test. Lot of fog around - bad reception. Also have to hand carbon copy of latest specials from DX Calendar, via Eric Whitworth. Many thanks, Pop. I think we have got a good chance of PSR Red Bluff, 1490, KBLF. The 1400 Kc/s. channel is absolutely out for us as we have a NZ season there & through it we hear KHON. It opens 9:30 AM and signs at 3 AM your time. Veries lately are KCIL, had a front page story re my report of 1st test, and also 2nd. Mine was 1st outside USA. KQVR mine first out of USA. KVSM also first out of USA. WARD, Newspaper write-up and large program, sent air-mail. Got NCL5, Wake Island - it is Air Beacon on 1155 Kc/s., sends Morse (MC) & gives weather reports on speech at 5 and 35 minutes past the hour. Got air-mail verie! Uses 1200 watts. Others were KGGM WALA WSMB WING KXEL KQVR KICA CKBC CJOC KYOK KHON WTMV KELE KEVR KPMC WTOP KPPC WCAE 4SB 6WA 9PA New Guinea, WNT VUM, 250 watts, Madras, India, VUT, 5 kw, Trichinopoly, India, ZOH, Colombo, Ceylon, Radio Malaya 1 kw. 620 Kc/s. in Singapore - believe me, the latter were plenty tough DX! I'm all for DCB-DX - don't reckon SW is DX at all! I think NRC is doing swell job. Got a Christmas card from Doc Kirk a while ago but have not yet had time to write him TNX, seems he's a swell DXer. Well now, I guess I must away to bed, having a very busy time in P.O. at present, & late nights don't always help. PS- 2/9- Just got KAFY WMIQ KBOW. (So that's a poor season, eh Ken! Boy, what a good season must be like in New Zealand! Tnx for report! -Ed)

HANK WILSON-UNION, N.J. I have found DXing a lot of fun for the past 20 years. I began verifying broadcast band stations in 1932, I let up when the war came, due to all-night stations giving news over and over again. The thrill of DXing in other years, was when a 100 watter from California or Vancouver, P.C. came blasting through on a clear channel. I saved EKKO stamps till they reached 320. I won prizes over many stations for good reports. DXing is coming back with a bang but those all-nighters spoil it plenty. It seems that the "K's" don't test in the morning hours like they used to. My list of late, of new catches include WACK WNTT WGNV WJBR WLAN VLDC WKNE WCBI WHAL WWPW WBBQ WBRK WJPR WWWW WTOM WBML KFAE WOHV WWXL. (Welcome to the NRC, Hank, and reports will always be welcome here. Good DX! -Ed.)

TED SALING-ESTACADA, ORE. "DX News" of the 22nd arrived here 1st class on the 24th in same mail as the 15th "News" coming 3rd class. Going to be much better and maybe I won't miss out on so many specials. Since last you heard from me I have sent reports to KFOX KRRO WFUN (DXes) KPOW KPTP KBOL KWJB 4CA WJMR WWXL CHAT WBHF, on DXes. V-letters in from KPRL WCJU KHUM KFOX ~~KMED~~ KBOL KHEC. Cards from KECK KGBC KSFT WFUN, KONE verified for a thanks card & said I might be interested in knowing they will soon be on 24 hours a day. Their turn, I guess, but will probably mess up a few programs learning they have lots of company. I also believe nothing should be barred completely, just de-emphasized. For a bouquet I pick your report in Feb. 1 issue of DX News as my ideal, hi. (Thanks, Ted! -Ed)

MEL OLIVER-HOUSTON, TEX. Very light week this time, as social activities cut down on my listening nights, so sent reports only to KALL KVSE KOOL WCYR X30, the latter for mid-day reception on 970 Kc/s. Veries recd were from WAGC WCBS WCPS WLDS WQMI KDKA WSPA. Up only 3 nights this week: 2/24- 3:15, KRCT on ET, 3:20 KVSE with ET (also several nights later.) 2/26 Overslept and caught only last 15 minutes of WCYB, but NRC not mentioned in that time. 4:15 KJCL concluding ET, 4:35 KQKB with f/c. 2/27- 3:30, WTXL leaving air, 3:45 KLUF on f/c., 4:35 WTEF using marches on f/c. VOUS not hrd. Local KTRH announces 50 kw., but most log books give them only 5 kw. Notice on trips they're strong to East and West, but weak due North. Papers here say KATL goes on air April 1, so should be testing last part of March. Not too much of the DX season left here, so had better make haste this month! Understand KATL will be a 24-hour station when they take air. Have same ownership as WDSY, New Orleans. (Oh, lovely! -Ed.)

DON'T FORGET NOW TO PLAN TO BE IN BUFFALO AUG.30, 31, SEPT. 1 FOR NRC'S BUG CONVENTION!

BERNIE DUFFY-STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. Here's hoping other Metropolitan area DXers join Pete, Lefty and I in our planned get-together Easter Eve at my home. To do so, you might contact Lefty. The only noteworthy catch I've logged since my previous report is KXLJ the 250 watter on 1240, Helena, Mont. that comes thru well Saturday mornings from 2 to 3:03 with N.W. booster program & verifies on copper. I heard a faint, fady signal at the time VOUS was to be on, so sent them the meagre data of same, hoping it'll coincide and obtain a verie for me. My "heard" list now numbers 1280, that's the DX fruit of 20 years, as such, "not so hot," as against other "old timers" yet enough to keep me satisfied & the Hallicrafters "perking" most nites. I heard almost all of the courtes DXes and a majority of newccmers' tests. Got the following attractive verie's recently - testers from WKBR KXLW XEMO CFOS. Very nice cards from KXLJ (copper) WAKR XEB WCKB WWL WROK KDKA (note Mel Oliver) WPLH WCPO. As per K. Geary I too got file card and blotter from CKRC. Trusting several other DXers stop in on me April 5th!

TOM CARBERRY-KENMORE, N.Y. Veries in from CJIC WRLO WGNB WKBR WGVV WONT WBIX WAAT KAVR WWSO KWEM WLDS KABC WJMR WRHP WAGC (lousy card) WHUM WCHV WCOP. Reports gone out in last couple of weeks to WLDS WJFF WLAN VWXL WHUM XERF KMMJ WCHV WKRR WCOP WBHF WMIO WKBW (real DX) WFNC WTIP WKAL WPCB WTIK. WHTB, Talladega, will DX for us again later in March. They had transmitter trouble on last DX and could run only 160 watts. More on this later. A lot of noise lately but manage to pull something through, anyway. Have averaged one report and one verie a day for past four months, so can't kick on that.

BILL GABRIEL-COLUMBIA, MO. Little more DX here even tho' reception hasn't been up to par. Verie letters in from KBUN WERC WCPS WJMR KAVR KOAT WAPA KROP KVSE KWEM KSVP KPLC KSST KGIW KIUL and cards from KCHS WSIR WMEG. KAVR sent mimeo letter, but very nice, by Rod Sames, C. ~~BAFF~~ HAVB & KBIO; WAPA wants reports on 5 AM s/on; KROP's new Mgr. is W.L. Simpson; KSST verified first EE by G.M. Hendrix (no title); nice 2-page letter from B.F. Chnes, ~~BAFF~~ at KIUL - says anyone wanting some chokes, condensers or transformers from their old transmitter are welcome to 'em; WSIR has plain mimeo card, by H.C. Volking, CE. Reports out to KYOS KANE WMIO WFNS WRFZ KODI KOLO KWVC KXRJ KHJZ VWXL KIUN ~~WYI~~ KCOK KBNE ~~CHAT~~ WBHF KBIO WFNC WCYB WBCC WBEF KOH WJAG KERE. Beginning 2/17 KXRJ tested all week, wanted reports; WWFL also on each AM beginning 2/17 begging reports, not heard on reg. sked. yet; KBNE seemed to be on all AM on 2/22 & 2/23 with program from Players' Club in Las Vegas and also recordings now and then from Boulder City main studio; WBHF ~~FB~~ on NRC DX, nice show; KBIO had tough time here 2/24 and bad side-band-QRM-frae thru KODI & KREO NNRC DX; CHAT bearly audible QSA 2 here 2/24 with bad side-band QRM from KVSE & KFOX; WECC testing for FCC on 1130 & 1420 Kc/s., simultaneously 2/25. I might explain the FCC is conducting tests with WBCC transmitter to see if it's feasible to authorize stations in same city only 20 Kc/s. apart. This test was to check WBCC with WWDC, and other tests in other cities will be conducted across the country by FCC as soon as licenses are contacted. Other stations to be used are unknown as yet. No luck on WXLB VOUS, WABJ DXes, or CKWX. West Coast was good on nite of the latter, so don't think it was on. To all NRC Irishmen - HAPPY ST. PAT'S, hi.

RAY B. EDUE-BUFFALO, N.Y. Reports went out to WBHF WMIO WOBT WTIP WKAL WABJ KXL WADC WTCB. Letter veries in from WQMH WHTB WCAY KAKC WMDR and cards from WHUM GJOB. Oh yes, a report to WHUM on 3/1. DX will suffer this coming week, as will be working days. KVSE seems to be testing often on 1260 Kc/s. with 1 kw and asking for reports. Junior and Pop had a DX session after Kenny and Florence Page went home 3/1 and Carberry landed WTCB WTIP WKAL & Pop pulled in WHUM after Junior left. Total veries now at 1104. Sorry I can't give Bill Stone competition, but not in position to DX nightly; and missing a good many, lucky these guys who can DX every AM.

RANDOLPH HUNT-LUCADIA, CAL. Now 2/27, NNRC DX from CHAT seemed to be a real one, dedications, etc.; on the other hand, NNRC DX from KBIO just mentioned NNRC 3 times. DX News listed this 4:50-5:00, it came on at 4:15, with \*/c for Kansas City, till 4:30, then 15 minutes for NNRC. Now have FWSW verified, H.H. Kaiser wrote on return card, "Verification for Feb. 22, 1947. On Jan. 4 I copied Puerto Rico WECW solid for 16 minutes checking with Atlanta, have letter verie, my best bit of DX. Other veries are WFOU for our DX & WBIX on test, if DX means distance these are OK. I always tell a station if they mush or fade, etc.; never that they come in like a local, a couple of 250 watter over 600 miles got 'mushy' rpts. I replied, "It is without doubt one of the best rpts we have had." The other write, "Thanks loads for your unusally complete rpt. I really appreciate such reports as they give me some idea of the performance of the equipment." 1st 60 days of DX

## MUNINGS AND STATION DATA

## WFOO ANNOUNCES WINNERS

Dear Mr. Cooper:

"As Secretary of your club we wish to inform you that we have this day sent prizes in accordance with our DX contest carried on November 11, 1946.

"Prize winners were the following: Mr. Eldon Addy, Marcus, Iowa - Mr. Robert Gorsuch, Cedar Rapids, Iowa - Mr. George Hotton, Milwaukee, Wisconsin - and Mr. Len Kruse, Dubuque, Iowa.

"We trust that you will have some interest in the fore-going and assure you of the writer's appreciation for the co-operation shown by your club members." -Very truly yours, and the letter is signed by Mr. Lou Steady, Chief Engineer.

## WINNERS ALL NRC MEMBERS

Yes, that's right, and it again shows our members for what they are - the best DXers in the country, and it seems they're all in the same general area. 3 of the 4 winners are from Iowa, and your Editor wishes to congratulate you boys on your winnings!

## KFBH THANKS US

Dear Mr. Cooper:

"Replying to your letter of the 12, with reference to the results of the DX program that we ran for the National Radio Club, we are pleased to advise that results of this program were highly satisfactory. --- As of this date I am sorry to state that we have not verified any of these reports but you may rest assured that all of them will be within the next few days.

"We wish to take this opportunity to thank you and the club for the splendid co-operation extended us in the way in which reception reports were written and mailed us. Please extend our thanks to the club and with kindest personal regards from the writer, we remain," and the letter is signed by Mr. George W. Dotson, Chief Engineer.

## WHTB TO DX AGAIN SOON

Mr. Ira A. Smith, Jr., explains that the main difficulty you experienced in hearing the special DX was that WHTB had some bad transmitter trouble, and that new equipt is being installed and should be in use by the time you read this. A couple of tests will also be run. It is expected that the WHTB repeat DX will be on March 25, from 3:30 to 4:30 a.m., E.S.T. as on the third Tuesday last time WHTB ran into some f/cs besides, of course, the ET of WBPE, who so graciously stood by for a half-hour for them last time.

Ye Ed opines - I like this page myself - how about you? Shall we make it a regular feature, with such letters re-printed in part? I hope you'll let me know. -Editor.

## CHANGES IN STATION DATA

## NEW STATIONS

|      |                             |                                                   |   |      |                            |       |
|------|-----------------------------|---------------------------------------------------|---|------|----------------------------|-------|
| 780  | Thomasville, North Carolina | 1,600 D                                           | : | 1340 | Pinar Del Rio, P.D.R. Cuba | 250 U |
|      | Johnson City, Tennessee     | 1,000 D                                           | : | 1420 | Hobart, Oklahoma           | 250 D |
| 1210 | Springfield, Ohio           | 250 D                                             | : | 1490 | Blackstone, Virginia       | 250 U |
| 1240 | San Bernardino, California  | 250 U, which cannot start until KFXM goes to 590. |   |      |                            |       |

## NEW CALLS

|      |      |                       |         |   |      |      |                       |         |
|------|------|-----------------------|---------|---|------|------|-----------------------|---------|
| 550  | WCON | Atlanta, Georgia      | 5,000 U | : | 1340 | WMID | Atlantic City, N.J.   | 250 U   |
| 840  | KOAG | Stillwater, Oklahoma  | 250 D   | : |      | KXEO | Mexico, Missouri      | 250 U   |
| 970  | KMON | Great Falls, Montana  | 5,000 U | : |      | CMAW | Pinar del Rio, Cuba   | 250 U   |
| 1080 | WFGH | Pittsburgh, Penna.    | 1,000 D | : | 1400 | WCOH | Newnan, Georgia       | 250 U   |
| 1150 | WORA | Mayaguez, Puerto Rico | 1,000 U | : | 1470 | CJFP | Riviere du Loup, Que. | 250 U   |
| 1230 | KGVN | Grass Valley, Calif.  | 250 U   | : | 1520 | WKAI | Macomb, Illinois      | 1,000 D |

## CALL CHANGES

|      |      |                                |   |      |      |                                 |          |
|------|------|--------------------------------|---|------|------|---------------------------------|----------|
| 730  | WFAK | Charleston, So. Car., fr. WCEP | : | 1450 | WGUY | Bangor, Maine                   | fr. WGPG |
| 1370 | KEEN | San Jose, California, fr. KSJA | : | 1510 | KUSN | San Diego, California, fr. KSDB |          |

## LOCATION CHANGE

1290 CMKO Holguin, Cuba, from Santiago de Cuba.

## FREQUENCY

1470 CJFP Riviere du Loup, Quebec (Wolf River), 250 U, from 1400 Kc/s.

The above information comes from the P.O.C. releases, and also from Bill Gabriel, NRC.

Randolph Hunt's report, continued from Page 5 -// used EQ-120, now using National NC-200 P.S. - KBNE now giving 24 hour service, a lot of it from clip joints in Las Vegas.

ALFRED E. BRUCE-PHILADELPHIA, PA. Heard WCRS, New York. Came in R-9. Thanks, Ralphie, for the calendar.

REMEMBER - IN THREE WEEKS IT WILL AGAIN BE VOTING TIME. LET US ALL CAST OUR VOTES THEN!

NELSON SEESE-BREWSTER, MD. Only two broadcast veries in this week, WLOL & KPOA. The KPOA verie was very disappointing, as it is a mimeographed postal card. Latest DX here is WVW & YV5RB, both heard on the morning of 2/23 on 790 at 5:30. Does WVW verify? (Yes! - Ed.) I sent them a report, anyway. WFNS was heard testing on 2/23 from 2:15 to after 2:30. The CHAT special was too poor to bother with. Hope they do better on their next one. The WAVG special was very well messed up with QRM. Others heard on 2/24 were WBHF with good signal but cuffed about by the QRM, WKBU, WCNC well heard but cut up by a 400 cycle note, KBIO with weak signals, and the new Mexican giant, XERF, from 5 to 6 AM. On 2/25 WCKB was heard with an R-9 plus on their test. The second harmonic on 1560 was heard at about R-6. As usual no sign of WXLS. WBCC was testing on 1120 and 1420 several mornings. I have a friend who works for WDC and he says that WBCC and WDC are being used as guinea pigs by the FCC to determine the practicability of cutting the guardian channels between local stations to 30 Kc/s. KVSF was heard testing on 2/25 and several mornings since, and asking for reports. WIBU was heard testing on 2/27 from 3:30 to 4. No sign of VOUS.

STAN MORSS-BRADFORD, MASS. Veries in today (2/24) from WKDA KXLJ WHTB (spec) and a program sked from WILS. Hope the list of French stations is helpful - it's different from my most recent list, and others may be in the same boat. (Printed elsewhere in this issue -Ed.) 2/25- Verie from WSIR. Reports to WBCC, announcing as "Broadcasting simultaneously on 1420 and 1120." Heard here best on 1420. WBGE for a couple of announcements. KSSS fair for  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour. WBAY on top of 1490. WBUY very good on test. WNGO on, plugging the NRC. WBAA on with Disaster bulletins. 2/26- CFOS on 1470 @ 2:15. WCYB OK on special. WMIQ on test at 4 - strong carrier and tone QRM till 4:25, in the clear for last 5 minutes/ I believe WDC is the carrier and that they & WBCC on 1420 are being used by the FCC as try-outs for the new 30 kc/s. separation theory. No WGH this AM - WHHM on top WEXL very weak. Incidentally WDC was off last Wednesday also. Let's hope they keep it up. My reports will be short from now on - spring is work just around the corner & we are starting to clear a 50 acre piece of woods for a new field, so less time for DX.

BILL BARRETT & ELDON ADDY-DENVER, COLO. DXing out here in Denver the last two mornings has been swell. The following new stations were heard and reported testing: KOSA on ET daily from 2:00 to 2:15 EST. All time is EST. KPFA on ET & off at 2:50 - KRPT on ET - WODI on final ET - KBOW daily check 4:45 to 5:00 - announced as regular nightly check - KPIP daily check 4:45 to 5:00 - KSSS on ET - KTEF on 4:45 to 5:00 - KXBG & KFXK on regular sked. - KXLY at 1:45 on reg. sked. WEXL testing and asking for reports on 1530 at 2:45. WCKB OK on DX - WBUY hrd well on DX test after KEX signed off - WNGO off of ET asking for reports and no reg. test. WBL on sign-on at 4:45. KCOL on first ET of Ft. Collins, Colo., on 25th. Powerful signal, naturally. Other reports to KYOS KVOR KGEK (Hoopay!) & KBOL. KBOL started on the 16th on reg. sked. R-9 here in daytime. We both have had a swell time DXing, using all of 3 receivers. Hallicrafter S20P and two portables. No Greenland, as usual. KPI tests daily at 4:45 to 5:00 with voice only. KGEK, Sterling, on 1230 still broadcasts only 2 hours daily, at 1:30 to 3:30 PM with very good signals here for only 100 watts. Nice letter-head. (Your father's mustache, hi -Ed.) Eldon & I have had two perfectly swell nights of DX and have had some good catches, on 24th and 25th. Any of you other DXers that pass Denver stop on over at 770 York Street and I will see that you get some good old mile-high DX, with KGEK all for free.

NORM MAGUIRE-GLASGOWBURM, CONN. Nope, haven't gone asleep permanently up here. Just haven't had the time to write much this winter, either for bulletins or my general correspondence. However, will try and get caught up to date with my DXing activities for the DX News. Latest veries include: WLEB KSFL WFAM Lille, WGWC WCIF WENK WLEX WDCS WCTC WHOB WORZ WRNY WMMH KPMY WNEB WPHF WGNB WFHG WCKB WIAC WLOV WKDA CFAB KWEM KAKC KGBS WSAR KECK KLAC KRCT WBRQ WAPA OFOR WOSC WKBU WILK WBIX CJIC WFCW WMTT KCNC WSIR WAGC Murett WILS WJMR WHUM KANE KOHS WNGO. Nothing special in the above, other than the French veries and the Puerto Ricans. Nothing special in the 60-odd reports out at present. No luck on WXLS on any of the Specials, or from VOUS. Noticed that WHOM stood by nicely, as did WBPZ for the special. Thank-you cards sent. (Hope all did the same, Norm! -Ed.) However did not log WHTB either. (See Page 6, Norm -Ed.)

PHIL NICHOLS-E. HARTFORD, CONN Veries in CKSB (hi) KTRC WMAM (hi) KCNC WBS WJSW WOAY WKDA KTRF KXLJ. Total 1308. Rpts to WILS WEXL WFWL WJPF (spec) KANE (ev Wed, now) KVSF (1200) WFS WFUB. Missing a lot too. EVERY TUESDAY IS DEADLINE.  
"DX DOWN THE DIAL" TO VINCENT STASEN - 3547 PRISCILLA ST., PHILADELPHIA 44, PENNA.  
"MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS" TO ERNEST R. COOPER - 438 EAST 21 STREET - BROOKLYN 26, N.Y.

MEETINGS OF THE MEMBERS

LEN KRUSE-DUBUQUE, IOWA Several days ago I received from station WWCO in Waterbury, Conn. a check in the amount of \$10.00, as a prize in their DX program of November 11, 1946. Wonder who else were as fortunate? (See Page 6, Len, -Ed.) Both NRC specials from Georgia on 2/24 were well received, namely WIVG, & WBKF, as was CHAT on with an NRC DX program. Station KODI, Cody, Wyoming, was hrd with its final ET same date, 4:09-4:17 AM. Then the following AM, DX programs from WCKB & WBUY were logged, adding two more to my log. WCYB presented a swell DX program on 2/26 2:30-4:00 AM, and with a strong signal. The new Fort Collins, Col. station, KCOL was hrd with ET on 2/26, 3:55-4:05 AM. On 2.27 KOSA logged with f/c 2:00-2:15 AM, then KNRJ 2:30-2:45 AM with f/c. The last one logged for February was WABJ, logged on 2/28 2:15-2:30 AM with ET, interfered by KSTP. Sunday AM 3/2/47 logged WNDK s/on @ 7:30 AM, & WAMI with reg. sked. until 8 AM, when KXEL took the air. Thus making a total of 33 new ones logged during February. Veries came in extremely slow of late, with only 3 read in the past week. These were WLEF & WHOM on recent club specials, & KSSP on recent ET. Sunday, March 2 at 2 PM, CST, WWXL, Peoria, Ill., came on with its dedicatory program - their first program.

BOB BROWN-LAFAYETTE, IND. I do get around to sending you a report now and then - the only reports out since last time are: KOLC KXLY KUZ. Latest veries in are cards from: KLZ KXLY WFUN WKDA. Letters from: KARC KBKI KHUZ KLAC KWEM WBIX WCUU WCYB WHOM WSUL. My total is now up to 631 with about 40 reports out yet. It seemed like March 1 was going to be one of the best nights this season because all the larger Hawaiians were coming in good, but I just couldn't stay awake. I guess I missed too much sleep last week. I was the Wisconsin basketball game last Monday but I didn't get there in time to get one of those good ??? bleacher seats. My room-mate got a quite badly bruised leg - he didn't find out for sure that it wasn't broken until Thursday morning. They used up all the X-Ray film in Lafayette Tuesday and had to send to Indianapolis for more. I wouldn't venture to say what caused the accident. I'm not an expert on Strength of Materials nor was I in a position to see where the first failure took place. To give you an idea of the size of the bleachers - They were as long as a basketball floor and held about 4000. The top seats were about 30' above the floor. Well, since I didn't get any DXing done recently, I haven't much news. I tried for KBRC this AM but no luck. 73's for now.

LEO HERZ-CHICAGO, ILL. My cold is much better - almost got rid of it, so more DX this week. Reports were sent this week to WJIM WKAL WPLH WNOE WPEE WTVG WRHF WRBC WABJ. WWXL is not on as yet - on reg/ sked. (See Lennie's report, above Leo-Ed.) (1530- Peoria.) Wharton heard 'em test. WOUS could not be heard, neither could WATN or KBRC. Veries in this week from KFFA KAVR WACC CKAC WFLH KAKC WNOE. KAKC was the first of 3 reports to Oklahoma stations that verified. Still out are KWCO & KFMJ. Of the 55 reports I sent out during the holiday week between Christmas and New Year's 49 are verified, only really over-due ones are now CKVL KWCO WJJS KPOA KFMJ WMMJ CJEC WVL WCAW - anyone have late veries from the above, please send me the verie signar - I well appreciate it very much, Sorry to hear about Dick Cooper's resigning as Chairman of the Board and CPC. At the beginning of last season could not see my way clear to do CPC work as I had trouble as far as a place to live & no CPC work as I had trouble as I had trouble no typewriter but this is settled and whoever is the new CPC Chairman, I want to offer my assistance to do CPC for the next season. To Lefty I want to thank you for the Frequency Check list - it is something I feel lots of the boys needed. I know I needed it very much, so thanks a million. I hope our Chicago area members will come to the meeting at my place on the 18th of March, I want the NRC to have a good representation. My veries stand now at 451 - have now 49 to go to my goal of 500 by September. Have still 23 reports out so 30 more reports should do the trick. 72 and lots of DX.

KERMIT GEARY-WALNUTPORT, PA Only 3 new stations verified this week: letter from WNDR & WIOD (2) and a card from WKDA. KRCT sent a nice QSL card. WJLS sent a program sked, but no verie, and WJSF sent a postal card verifying receipt of my report. It's no QSL & doesn't even mention their call letters. Reports were sent to the following: 2/25- KVSE on ET on 1260 Kc/s. from 4:13 to 4:26 AM; 3/27- KBRC testing from 4:08 to 4:28 AM, 3/28- WABJ on DX test from 2:05 to 2:32 AM, and WQUA on f/c from 2:35 to 2:45 AM; 3/1- WKAL on f/c from 1:03 to 1:15 AM, CSOR on reg. sked. from 2:05 to 2:25 AM. WFCP on ET from 2:25 to 2:54 AM. KEYY on f/c from 3:31 to 3:46 AM for a 2nd report, and KSSP on test from 3:46 to 4 AM. 3/2 - DX report. 3/3 - Snow storm broke down the power line, so no DX.

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|               | V    | H      | REPORT - VERIFIED LISTING |      |        |                 |            |
|---------------|------|--------|---------------------------|------|--------|-----------------|------------|
| 1. Thomas     | 2222 | - 2222 | 18. Stone                 | 1000 | - 1000 | 36. Kernodle    | 494 - 494  |
| 2. Becker     | 1677 | 1738   | 19. Batson                | 969  | - 1037 | 37. Gabriel     | 475 - 1000 |
| 3. Potzum     | 1590 | - 1689 | 20. Duggan                | 914  | - 1036 | 38. Herz        | 429 - 429  |
| 4. Nichols    | 1477 | - 1477 | 21. Burnham               | 881  | - 1128 | 39. Wyman       | 400 - 400  |
| 5. Reilly     | 1460 | - 1552 | 22. Wokaty                | 860  | - 902  | 40. H. Smith    | 398 - 514  |
| 6. Simmonds   | 1337 | - 1435 | 23. Morss                 | 845  | - 500  | 41. Oliver      | 379 - 711  |
| 7. Page       | 1335 | - 1335 | 24. Kruse                 | 844  | - 1064 | 42. Stasen      | 348 - 527  |
| 8. E. Cooper  | 1246 | - 1246 | 25. Sahlbach              | 841  | - 993  | 43. Kennedy     | 333 - 333  |
| 9. Stone      | 1223 | - 1223 | 26. Claritas              | 819  | - 866  | 44. Seling      | 310 - 310  |
| 10. Steele    | 1210 | - 1332 | 27. Vaitridge             | 742  | - 877  | 45. Matson      | 293 - 293  |
| 11. R. Cooper | 1200 | - 1200 | 28. Johanns               | 714  | - 714  | 46. Anderson    | 274 - 429  |
| 12. Gorsuch   | 1164 | - 1164 | 29. Bristow               | 666  | - 666  | 47. Spencer     | 270 - 270  |
| 13. Maley     | 1145 | - 1145 | 30. Wheeler               | 631  | - 1175 | 48. Kauer       | 175 - 175  |
| 14. Edge      | 1103 | - 1103 | 31. Brown                 | 617  | - 617  | 49. Bishop, Sr. | 128 - 205  |
| 15. Kemp      | 1069 | - 1336 | 32. Allen                 | 615  | - 1437 | 50. Craig       | 124 - 562  |
| 16. Rutzahn   | 1037 | - 1560 | 33. Bruce                 | 600  | - 950  | 51. Jones       | 83 - 283   |
| 17. Maguire   | 1003 | - 1450 | 34. Van Voorhees          | 600  | - 600  | 52. Wilkinson   | 67 - 141   |
|               |      |        | 35. Sullivan              | 536  | - 436  |                 |            |

Here is the list again, fellows. The next appearance of this list will be in our bulletin of April 19. Remember, we have just two issues in the month of April, so we will have this interesting friendly contest in that issue. Each month I have urged you all to get your figures in to Frank Wheeler - now what say, as we near the close of the DX season, that we all count up our veries and get the totals in to Frank? His address is Frank Wheeler - Care of E. J. Schwartz - R. D. #7 - Erie, Pennsylvania. And I might take time here to thank Frank for his swell help in keeping this list up to date and for getting it in here to your Editor on time every month. Thanks, Frank!

MARCH W.W.D.C. MEETING

The March World-Wide Dial Club meeting will be held at the apartment of N.R.C. member Leo Herz, at 720 Barry Avenue, Chicago 14, Ill., Tuesday, March 18, 1947, at 8 PM. All Chicago area DXers are welcome! PS- I would especially like to see our new member, Fred Anderson at this meeting; as the NRC Vice-President I am interested in seeing the N.R.C. make a good show as far as attendance at this meeting.

NEW LIST OF FRENCH PCB STATIONS

(Submitted by Stan Morss as received by him from Quimper, on 832 Kc/s.)

|                                        |         |     |                                          |        |     |
|----------------------------------------|---------|-----|------------------------------------------|--------|-----|
| 610 - Paris III (Rueil)                | 2,000   | W-R | 1339* - Marseille II (Realtort)          | 10,000 | W-T |
| 648 - <del>Limoges I</del> (Nieul)     | 100,000 | N-R | 1339* - <del>Angers I</del> (Dardilly)   | 25,000 | P   |
| 695 - Paris I (Villebon)               | 100,000 | N   | 1348 - Montelimer                        | 1,000  | N-R |
| 749 - Marseille I (Realtort)           | 20,000  | N-R | 1348 - Poitiers                          | 1,000  | N-R |
| 776 - Paris II (Romainville)           | 10,000  | P   | 1348 - Perpignan                         | 1,000  | N-R |
| 832 Q Quimper (Quimeich)               | 10,000  | N-R | 1366 - Nantes (Montbert)                 | 10,000 | P   |
| 832 - Grenoble II                      | 500     | N   | 1393* - <del>Bordeaux I</del> (Carreire) | 40,000 | P   |
| 859 - Strasbourg I (Brumath)           | 10,000  | N-R | 1393* - <del>Nice I</del> (Antibes)      | 25,000 | P   |
| 895 - Lyon I (Tra-mcyes)               | 20,000  | N-R | 1393* - <del>Grenoble I</del>            | 15,000 | P   |
| 913 - Toulouse I (Muret)               | 100,000 | N-R | 1393* - Montpellier I                    | 10,000 | P   |
| 959 - Nancy I                          | 10,000  | N-R | 1393* - <del>Rennes</del> (Leurietot)    | 5,000  | P   |
| 968 - Pau                              | 20,000  | P   | 1429 - Strasbourg II (Brumath)           | 2,000  | P   |
| 1040 - <del>Strasbourg I</del> (Alma)  | 20,000  | N-R | 1429 - Montreaux-Les-Mines               | 2,000  | P   |
| 1068 - Dijon (Boudronnee)              | 1,000   | N-R | 1429 - Rennes II                         | 500    | P   |
| 1077 - Bordeaux II                     | 1,000   | N-R | 1456 - Lille - Carphin II                | 1,500  | P   |
| 1113 - Limoges II (Nieul)              | 20,000  | N-R | 1456 - Nancy II                          | 1,000  | P   |
| 1158 - <del>Limoges I</del>            | 10,000  | N-R | 1456 - Angers                            | 1,000  | P   |
| 1185 - <del>Nice I</del> (La Drague)   | 60,000  | N-R | 1456 - Toulouse II                       | 1,000  | P   |
| 1213 - <del>Bordeaux I</del> (Carphin) | 20,000  | N-R | 1456 - Saint Brieux                      | 500    | P   |
| 1321 - Clermont (Emnezat)              | 20,000  | N-R | 1456 - Limoges III                       | 1,000  | P   |
|                                        |         |     | 1456 - Dijon II                          | 2,300  | P   |

\* Asterisk indicates stations are synchronized with each other on that channel.

Our sincere thanks to Stan Morss for submitting in this list for publication!

BILL SPONGE-TORONTO, ONT. Verie in from WVCK 1360, says, Daily tests 5:00-5:15 EST, adjustment of directional antenna in progress - C.W. White, C.F. W3OB 1400, Galax, Va., tests daily 5:30 - 5:45, with RCA.

HED THIS WEEK - KBOL Not so many, for a change. W3PT hrd recently in N.Z.

## MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

PAC REILLEY-JAMESTOWN, N.Y. New voices are WNDR WLLS KAKC, and 35 rpts still out yet, new ones hrd are WLVG WBHF CHAT KFSB WBOC WBUY WTCB. Noise level very high all week here. 2/24- WLVG @ 3:08, WBHF with club DX, CHAT on DX but very noisy today. 2/25- KFSB @ 2:40, WBOC @ 3:26 on 1120 & 1420 at same time - WBUY @ 3:46 & noisy. 2/26- Too noisy to enjoy listening. 2/27, ditto. 2/28- WBUY @ 3:40, WPAW @ 3:45, WTSP @ 3:47, KHSL until 4, WGLL @ 4:05, WMIQ over-riding WBOC until 4:26, an unknown on 1390 until WFEL came on @ 4:45. 3/1- KXEL @ 3:15, WMIQ @ 3:39, WCOA @ 3:46, WRIK @ 3:52 on their BF, WTCB in Flint @ 3:54 but very noisy. 3/2- WMIQ sounds like 50 kw job here. WRLM aux. xmr. test @ 4:07 but quit as the set was vibrating with noise & didn't want it to blow up on me. One blizzard after another here & a year ago this time was getting dirt from garden to start my flowers & vegetables seeds in the cellar.

JIM KAUER-CLEVELAND, O. Letter varies from KWLC CFOR WKDA WASK WCJU CFAB WILM KROP KOTA (very nice letter-head) KVOA KGB KRIS KGBS KHQZ WHLE. Cards from WSJS KSFT WFNC KTSM KPNC KVOA WAGC WWSC KDPH WGNB. 2/9- KGBS s/off 2:31 for rpt. KRIS off 3:01, ditto. 2/20 WAGC on top of WGNB. KHQZ @ 3:27, KGRH with fair signal hrd. WAGC announced WWSC DX so got them OK. 2/12- KMDW thru KPRO. CFRC faintly behind mess. WSIR a new one with excellent signal @ 3:45. 2/15- KMO for rpt @ 2. KDPH testing @ 2:05 S9. Hrd VTAX but not emuf for rpt. KEYY for rpt @ 3:35. It was at this point that the Signal Corps BC-946-B rcvr that I had ordered arrived. Rewiring for AC was easy. This 6 tube aircraft superhet seems to have plenty of sensitivity & selectivity, and cost only \$12.95. 2/16- WVON @ 2:02 2/18- WHLD @ 2 PM 2/19- WLAN S8. 2/21- WHEP S3. WSON @ 2. WHUM @ 3:01. no sign of WKBR. WOMA for rpt @ 3:26. (who knows - they might even verify it!) KRCT @ 3:54. 2/22- WCOP @ 1:32. KILQ DXing @ 2:15. Easily hrd in East. also @ 1:05 s/off. WLVG behind WERD & later WBHF, not emuf for rpt. WBHF good signal. WMR S9 @ 4. KYUM @ 4:17 & KHIO @ 4:32. Wucn QRN hr day & night. Power leak probably. WJSW thru WSM daytime. Does anyone have a recent varie from KFDW? That's all for now! Keep up the good work! (Thanks, Jim - Ed.)

AL MALEY-HIGHLAND FALLS, N.Y. Varies in from WCJU WPIX KTRB KMO WKDA WWP GMKZ, total varies 1145. Recent rpts to KOOK KEYY KXLF WYXL WCKB (reg sked) WJSW WBPZ XERF XFXK XERB XEHL XEBU OAX4X. Giving the Cubans a rest & hounding Mexicans now. It's too bad they do not have more "gerentes" like Sr. Mirales of XEFL. Have never hrd XEFL but caught XEBU a 100 watt from Chilmahua on 1245 Kc/s. from 1:30-2:00 on 2/23. This one was hrd thanx to a p/crd tip from Kenneth Gouy, who verified them. XEBU ganged from S4-6, despite terrific signal of WCHV on 1240 Kc/s. Pet a lot of the boys were wasting their time logging WCHV with an easy 100-watt Mexican only 5 Kc/s. away. A letter from KEXL states they check freq. on the 1 & 3 Mon, but I don't know whether they're still on 1250 or 580.

LEFTY COOPER-BROOKLYN, N.Y. A Rough week here for DX. Only rpt to WABJ. Varies from VEEJ WHUM WEPZ. Missed many good DXes this week due to terrible condx. VOUS-WXLS nil here. Forgot WCYB - first time that happened this season. hi. WABJ was louder than 50,000 watt KSTP here, and easy to log. KERC would not break through either. By error I set my clock for 2:15 instead of 4:15 on 3/3 for CFOR - found reception good at 2:15, but retired, re-setting the clock for 4:15. At 4:15, nothing but locals were audible, 1240, 1400, 1450 absolutely blank - slight carriers on 1230 and 1450, and faint music and a TWT on 1490. A real radio black-out, and what a time for it - just in time to wreck CFOR. That's the way it goes, tho, I guess. Some condx still in effect 3/4, even in evening they still persist. Paper says Aurora Borealis and Aurora Australis have disrupted SW almost all over the world. Never hrd of Aurora Australis before - it's the Southern Lights - do any of you Zedders or Aussies see them or are you troubled with them?

## QUESTION BOX

- 1110 - Unknown hrd. 2:20-2:36 PM. s/off on this channel, probably boot-leg. Announcements made between selections. Who is this???? (Kauer)
- 1240 - Feb. 1- 3:15 AM EST on DX. Men & women calling hans & DXers. Call sounded like KBCX? Half-hour report. Who???? (Boord, New Zealand)
- 1270 - Jan. 6. Religious program, 3:50 AM-4:00 AM. Hymns Who??? (Boord)
- 1270 - Who here with AFPS-type program after 3 AM? (Boord) WYUW-Tutuilla, Samoa. (Edge)
- 1490 - Jan. 17- 3:15 AM. Who is H.S. KENY. Call hrd 3 x KBNY - Who???? (Boord)
- 1490 - Jan. 17- 5:25 AM. KGER? Meeting with Kansas City. Could it be KDRS, Paragould? They used to test with KC daily 5:20-5:40 during Jan. and part of Feb. Ken -Ed.)
- 1530 - To Morsa & Lefty - KPMO card says "Pioneer Mercantile Co. Prob. them. (Kauer)
- 1590 - QRA of KEMO (for Seese) Dioces Estrada de Ferreiro - Calle Escuadra mm. 73 Frac. Sevilla. (Lefty, from official Mexican list.)