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"VERIE'S OUTSTANDING"

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NEW MEMBERS

RENEWALS

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| ✓ Ed Wyman - David Dary - Abe Cohen - Walter I. Goldy              | ✓ Alfred Bruce      |
| ✓ Don Meyer - Ralph Sperry - Ken Mackey - Duane McMurray           | ✓ Charlie Conley    |
| ✓ Joseph "Pat" Reilly  | ✓ Norm Maguire      |

N R C D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. - E.S.T.	Station Time
Nov. 28	W R O M	710	Rome, Georgia	1,000	2:00 - 3:00	2:00 - 3:00 EST
29	W K L V	1490	Blackstones Virginia	250	1:30 - 3:00	1:30 - 3:00 EST
29	W M M W	1470	Meriden, Connecticut	1,000	3:00 - 5:00	3:00 - 5:00 EST
30	W D S G	1450	Dyersburg, Tennessee	250	4:30 - 5:00	3:30 - 4:00 CST
30	W B U Y	1450	Lexington, N. C.	250	5:30 - 6:00	5:30 - 6:00 EST
Dec. 1	W J R I	1340	Lenoir, North Carolina	250	3:00 - 5:00	3:00 - 5:00 EST
1	K T F Y	1300	Brownfield, Texas	1,000	4:30 - 5:30	3:30 - 4:30 CST
1	K B N D	1110	Bend, Oregon	1,000	5:00 - 5:30	2:00 - 2:30 PST
4	W S P R	1270	Springfield, Mass.	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	4:00 - 4:30 EST
7	K L M X	1450	Clayton, New Mexico	250	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 - 2:30 MST
7	W T S A	1450	Brattleboro, Vermont	250	4:05 - 6:00	4:05 - 6:00 EST
7	W H D L	1450	Olean, New York	250	5:30 - 6:00	5:30 - 6:00 EST
8	K P S T	1340	Preston, Idaho	250	3:00 - 4:00	1:00 - 2:00 MST
8	K R J F	1340	Miles City, Montana	250	4:00 - 4:30	2:00 - 2:30 MST
8	K V M C	1320	Colorado City, Texas	500	4:00 - 5:00	3:00 - 4:00 CST
12	W A T S	1470	Sayre, Pennsylvania	1,000	3:45 - 4:15	3:45 - 4:15 EST
14	K M Y C	1450	Marysville, California	250	4:00 - 5:00	1:00 - 2:00 PST
14	K V E N	1450	Ventura, California	250	5:00 - 5:30	2:00 - 2:30 PST
15	K T W	1250	Seattle, Washington	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	12:01 - 1:00 PST
19	K P O F	910	Denver, Colorado	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	2:00 - 3:00 MST
20	K R L C	1350	Lewiston, Idaho	1,000	3:30 - 5:00	1:30 - 3:00 MST
22	K D S J	980	Deadwood, S. D.	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	2:00 - 3:00 MST
22	C J D C	1350	Dawson Creek, B. C.	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	1:00 - 2:00 PST

DXes with times not yet set are promised from: WFDR-1350; WCHO-1250; WHAK-950. All the above count in our NRC DX Programs Contest. Note new time/date for KMYC. The listed times and dates above for KLMX and WHDL will most likely be changed. KTW's date/time are still tentative. NARC programs; and NRC write-ups are on Page 3.

INDEX NEW STATIONS  
VERIE SIGNERS

550	WGR -	Karl B. Hoffman, TD	C	1230	WBLJ	Mike J. Jason, EngCorres	D
580	WILL	Frank E. Schooby, SM	K		WBSM	Harold H. Hoover, Jr., CE	H
	WQHS	William E. Dixon, CE	L		WDYK	George Sokol Jr. CE	P
610	KFR	E. G. Underwood, CE	A	1240	WBAX	John H. Stenger Jr., CE	H
620	KWAL	George Turner Dreher CE	A		WSQC	Armand F. Bodie, PD	H
630	KPOA	James R. Bird	B		CJCS	John Grigg, CE	H
690	KGGF	Richard Embody	B		WTIP	Paul L. Sullivan, CE	J
	WNNT	James L. Bittner, CE	H		WLAG	J. M. McKay, CE	C
	WCYB	R. V. Roberts, TD	H		WSKI	G. L. Marcotte, CE	C
	KULA	C. W. Evans, CE	M	1250	WCHO	L. Morse Weimer, P	F
710	WROM	Thomas H. Robertson, CE	G		KGDE	Harold E. Allen, CE	F
730	CKAC	L. Spencer, TD	C	1260	CFRN	F.G.A. Mayspace, CE	A
780	WBBM	J. F. Novy, CE	K	1270	WA IN	Lewis M. Owens, CE	E
800	CKLW	S. C. Ritchie, PD	C	1280	WNPT	T. H. Todd, GM	E
	XELO	Billie McVeigh	B	1320	KTLW	B. N. Campbell, CE	E
	CHRC	Aurele Pelletier ComLM	H		KWHN	Gleam O'Neal, PD	E
810	WCEG	Grover C. Taylor, CE	H	*1280	WEIM	Theodore Kalin, CE	H
870	WGTL	Fred H. Whitley, GM	H	1330	KFAC	Ron Oakley, CE/ See below	C
910	KPOF	L. Ray Sharpe, PD	F	1340	WJRI	Joseph D. Carroll, M /1450F	
	KALL	W.D'Orr Cozzeur, CE	B		WHED	John F. Wilroy, CE	J
	WABI	Elmer C. Snow E	C		WAPI	Lea C. King, CE	L
920	KAHU	A. M. Sedgwick, Ex cVP	E	1350	CJDO	L. R. Roakin, M	B
	KRAN	Fred Young, CE	A	1380	KHON	Ira Mercer	B
930	KTKN	Richard Nicholas, CE	B	*1350	KRLC	Donald Thomas, M	F
	WWNH	Frank De Fako, CE	H	1400	WHGB	James Roselle, A	I
	WIST	John H. Parker, Jr.	J	1410	KEPN	L. E. Shatio, CE	H
	WIST	John N. Parker, Jr., CE	NE	1440	WAAE	Felix D. Bonvouleir, CE	I
940	KFRE	K. L. Mealey, DoE	O	1450	KSAN	Clint Sherwood, PD	E
	CJIB	Loren O. Merriman VE7MF	CE		WRCO	Thomas R. Kelley, M	EK
950	KSEL	Don J. Edwards, CE	K		KMYC	Joseph D. Carroll, M	F
960	KEDF	Felipe Maldonado P.	M		WKXL	Robert Wright, CE	H
	WBRC	G. P. Hamann, GM	J	*1340	WJRI	Joseph Graybeal, CE	G
970	WMAY	Gordon Sherman, GM	H	1490	KCID	Richard E. Lewis, CE	A
	WJMK	Frank A. Jenne, CE	D		WBUD	R. M. Hardin	H
980	WWOC	Ed Allen Jr., M	M		WHAV	Theodore J. Ferus, CE	H
	WCAP	Theodore Cohen, CE	H	1570	WFGN	Morton E. Green, CE	H
	WSIX	R. H. Ziegler	D		WNCA	H. Tom Morris, SM	H
1080	KWJJ	M Jerry Speerstra Progi	B		WPLA	George Friend, GM	IP
1090	XERB	R. S. Daugharty	B		WBrUX	W. A. Lynch, GM	J
1140	KSOO	Max E. Pierce, CE	B		WLRP	Eugene A. Fischer, CE	K
1170	WVVA	Edwin L. Keim, CE	K	1580	WCNB	James C. Wullman, CE	K
1230	WTSV	A. J. Davis, CE	C	1590	WXLW	Norbert J. Goetzinger, CE	K

A - Gene Cameron      E - Ken Mackey      I - Ted Weiser      M - Pat Bailey  
 B - Roy Millar      F - Sid Rosenbaum      J - Harold Williams      N - John Pohl  
 C - Frank Johnson      G - Don Kaskey      K - Fred Anderson      O - Bill Whitman  
 D - Ron Schiller      H - Ralph Sperry      L - Pete Taylor      P - Lefty Cooper

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

<u>NEW STATIONS</u>		<u>NEW CALLS</u>	
740	Leviston, Idaho 250 D1	690	KBBB Benton, Arkansas 250 D1
1260	Birmingham, Alabama 1,000 D1	900	KREH Oakdale, Louisiana 250 D1
1270	Louisville, Mississippi, 000 D1	1230	KIBS Bishop, California 250 U1
1280	Chattahoochie, Florida 500 D1	1540	WFMF Punksutawnsy, Pa. 1,000 D1
1310	Foley, Alabama 1,000 D1		<u>CALL CHANGE</u>
1490	Mountain Home, Arkansas 250 U1	1380	WHYL Carlisle, Pa., from WLXW
1600	Linton, Indiana 500 D1		<u>HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE</u>
<u>FREQUENCY POWER, ETC.</u>		670	CMKP Holguin, Ote. Cuba
850	WILD to 10,000/1,000 U-2 from 1490	920	WEBB Burlington, N.C., 5 kw-D1.
1290	KINY Juneau, TA 5000 U1 from 1460	1300	WIMO Winder, Georgia
	WOKE Oak Ridge, Tenn 1000D1 fr 1430	1480	KRED Eureka, Cal. ex-KIEM
	<u>DELETED</u>	1550	WHBS Huntsville, Ala. from 1490
1230	WCAT Rapid City, South Dakota	1560	KWCO Chickasha, Ok. now 1000/250U
1280	KSTR Trinidad, Colorado	1070	WAPI Birmingham, 10,000/5,000 U2

NRCC DX PROGRAM LIST

Nov. 26 WSWN 900 Belle Glade, Florida 5:00-5:15 All these in St. Johns, Nwfld.:  
 Dec. 6 W L A N 1390 Lancaster, Penna. 3:30-4:00 Feb. 9 VOGR 590 3:30 - 4:00  
 6 W I G H 1400 Norwich, Conn. 4:00-4:30 9 CJON 930 4:00 - 4:30  
 20 K O S E 860 Osceola, Ark. 3:00-4:00 9 VOAR 1230 4:00 - 4:30

P I E C E S F R O M E I G H T

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Here is a very rarely-heard station which is coming on the air with a special test program, which we will have a real good chance for, at least in the east and middle west. This station is a rare visitor to the DXers of the club, and we hope that everyone will be on hand to try for this special test, and that you'll all send in your reports. KASKEY

ROME GEORGIA :  
 Thos. H. Robertson, CE

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This station amazed every DXer a few weeks back when, after asking for long-distance collect calls, they received one from Hawaii! So we feel that WKLV will surely cut much of the interference on their channel this Saturday morning to come through for you. WKLV is very much a DX-minded station, so let's make sure to send a report. ROSENBAUM

BLACKSTONE, VIRGINIA  
 Theodore Born, Jr. CE

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"I was very happy to hear from you and would like to arrange for a test on Nov. 29 (Sat.) between the hours of 3 and 5 a.m. We will run a program of recorded music with station identification, etc." So, here's another New Englander for us all to try for, running non-directional, with 1,000 watts. Let's hope that conditions are good for WMLW! KASKEY

MERIDEN, CONNECTICUT  
 John F. Reache, CE

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Here is another in our series of DX programs from stations operating on 1450 kilocycles. This one comes from WDSG and again we are looking forward to a fine show on a nice clear channel. We know a goodly number of you are lacking WDSG in your DX Logs, and here is a wonderful opportunity to alleviate that condition! Will you be listening? KRUSE

DYERSBURG TENNESSEE  
 Dave Ross, CE

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"It would be a pleasure and 'fun' to air a special DX program over our station. We will conform to your desires & recommendations regarding the type of program we air and hope that the NRC will find suitable information and musical enjoyment from our program." A rare one, with no frequency check, on what we hope will be a clear channel. KRUSE

LEXINGTON, N.C.  
 Bob Morrow PD

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Mr. Graybeal tells us that he will run a two-hour program consisting of both music and tone, which should make this program relatively easy to log for mostly all of us. Here again we are hoping for a clear channel for another station which is not heard very often by the DX Fraternity, and we trust you'll all be on 1340 for this big program. KASKEY

LENOIR, NORTH CAROLINA  
 Joe Graybeal, CE

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This program was originally listed as 5-6 EST, but we have asked for 4:30-5:30 to avoid early sign-ons on this channel. KTFY is in the midst of a very heavy commercial year and are short-handed, but they'll still honor us with this special test. KTFY regularly signs on at 5 a.m., GST. This should find a clear channel, so let's all catch KTFY! ROSENBAUM

BROWNFIELD TEXAS  
 Charles R Scott, CE

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This half-hour program is actually KBND's regular monthly frequency check, which they are going to dedicate to good old NRC. Now the channel will not be clear in the east, so here is a program made to order for our western members. We hope all you out there will tune in and report, so that KBND will get a nice response on their new frequency. KASKEY

BEHD, OREGON  
 R.W. Dickinson CE

ADDITIONAL DX PROGRAM: DECEMBER 8 - K V O N - 1440 - Napa, Calif. 3:30 - 4:00 AM EST

Musings of the MembersDon Kasky - 908 South 25 Street - Omaha, Nebraska

"DX News" in today and after reading the Vesp's report I couldn't help think that if he and the Bard take off for the far-off reaches of Nigeria they had better practice or they might be of some aid to the Mau-Mau Society in proving their point. Back here in the U.S. I managed to log a few this week. The accent is on few, however. On Nov. 7 I logged KFMA-1580 in Davenport, Iowa who was on ET from 1:40-3:00. Then WJXN-1450 in Jackson, Miss. was heard on ET at 2:47. On Sat. Nov. 8, I logged the sign off of KEYY-1240 in Provo, Utah at 2:30 - however, no report sent. Only DX heard was that of KDLM. KWEL failed to show here as WEDC went off and only KRNQ was heard. Otherwise only report was sent to KORN besides the two already mentioned. Veries in are - letters from KWGB-730, KFAL-900, WDIG-1450, WPAQ-740, WOHP-1390 and KBWL-1580. Can't really say WDIG verie was a letter as CE returned my report with verie on it. Said he, "WDIG does not normally verify reception reports on our f/cs but your sad tale has softened our heartstrings and we hereby your reception." Was for report of 3/10/52. Total is now 1724 heard and 1381 verified. Can't think of a darn thing to say otherwise than what I've already yapped about so will sign off till next week. 73s.

John Hoogerhede - 112 Chamberlin Kronsage - Madison 6, Wis.

Just a very short DX report this time as I've only DXed twice this week. KBUN DX was very poorly received. Much QRM/N and a poor signal but still it was worth every moment of straining as they certainly put on a very fine DX show. WOHP could not be heard behind KCBC on Saturday but on Sunday they came roaring in with a very powerful signal. WJLK was logged on their NNHC. Very poor signal as WDOD always dominates 1310. Wednesday through Thursday I had six weeks' exams and I really did some studying. In fact I went 49 hours straight without sleep studying and going to class straight through Thursday morning when I took a 15 minute break to see what was on the airwaves but no dice. My aerial had fallen down and even WGN put in a very poor signal so you can see how essential my aerial is to me. Did do some listening on Thursday afternoon and was I surprised! Winter DX is definitely with us. By 4:15 p.m. KWKH was coming in at fair strength which is really early. Three new stations logged, too. WHOS in Decatur, Ala. caught signing off at 6:17. Weak behind KXIC. On 900 kc/s. WKYW in Louisville heard signing off at 6:00. Then KFUL in Fulton, Mo. took over the frequency until 6:15 when KLCN in Blytheville, Ark. boomed in. Anyone know when they're going to 910? KJAN with its regular newscast at 630 in Atlantic, Iowa. Only second time I have heard this station. KLTJ 1280 in Longview, Texas signing off the air at 6:46. KWED in Seguin Texas was at good signal strength on 1580 with sportscast at 6:45. KHRB also was good at 6:55 with recorded music. Last of the day was KWBB in Wichita with news at 7:05. Oh yes on 10/27 KEAR in Monterrey was logged doing a test program. Then at 1:30 (off the air) there was a tone tester on 1450. Thought sure he said KWBE in Uvalde. However the call letters of Uvalde surely don't check with KWBE which is in Beatrice, Nebraska. Any help from some of the boys that might have logged this one? Veries are rather slow and those that are coming in are all very old reports. KYA for a report in May and KFJE for a January report. WLAC for an April report, KGLO and WTRF. The last two were especially welcome. Nice letters from Ron Schiller, John Pohl, Ev Johnson and Don Kasky. Thanks lots, fellows. Some DX tips - KCLW s/off 7. KALT ! KJSK at 6:45; KTOW at 7:05. All were new to me. So now to send off a few reports. 73s.

Mike Ferguson - 3337 Prospect Street - Houston 4, Texas

Hi again. Just a short report this week as I don't have much to tell as far as DX is concerned. I've been limited to twilight listening because I've been studying for mid-semester exams at the University of Houston. Say Lefty, I didn't get the WICB DX show so I sure would appreciate knowing just what request John Pohl dedicated to you to provoke such an outburst. What was it, hi? ("The Thing," by Phil Harris! -Ed.) To John Hoogerhede, Baton Rouge on 1150 is still WJBO & WBHL-EM." I just got finished checking it for you (11/12). I'm trying to decide on a new radio & would definitely appreciate any suggestions any of you DXers might have. Of course paying for tuition, books etc. doesn't leave me with much capital but I'm desperate for something better than the present set. Saw a National today for \$189 - is is any good? Here are the few new loggings for me: KGER-1390, WICB (about even with WMT for just a very few minutes, then way under again). Both of these on 11/8. Today (11/12) nice reception of KBOA 830 5:38 to 5:47 EST s/off with a little trouble (con'd P. 3)

Musings of the Members

(Mike Ferguson, con'd from P. 4) from WCCO. Also, KJBC (not positive, but pretty sure that's who it was), 1150, s/off 6:16. Only verie is letter from KGDE which says "Yours is the most southerly point reporting." Big thrill - there are only 2 or 3 DX Clubbers farther south than me.

Gene Cameron - 707 East Gordon Avenue - Spokane 22, Washington

First, I would like to tell you about my new antenna. I am using a single stack, bi-conical, 300-ohm TV antenna aimed 20° south of due east. I had been using a 75' horizontal high wire aimed north-south and I have tested the two of them as I have them on switches. My high wire generally gives a little stronger signal, but for signal/noise ratio, the TV antenna is about twice as good. With my TV antenna I got the WBHF DX in good shape for 54 minutes, but when I switched to my high wire, the noise level was so high that the signal was unreadable. It is directional, but that is fine for me as it cuts out some of the western Washington signal strength. I am seriously thinking of adding at least another "stack" to this set-up. Maybe it will work as well for someone else if you have a dipole set-up on your radio. If anyone tries it, I would be interested in your comments. Down to business - 11/2, KFRC (510) San Francisco, RS. CFRN, (1260) Edmonton, RS. KEMO (1410) Vancouver, B.C. RS. 11/3 - KCID (1490) Caldwell, Idaho, f/c. KBRZ DX in good shape. KSID (I heard them at 1340, was this actual?)(Yes - new frequency for them; from 1540 -Ed.) Sidney, Neb. ET. WHIO (1290) Dayton, Ohio, RS. 11/4 - KXOL (1360) Ft. Worth, KPOA (630) Honolulu. KITO (1290) San Bernardino, Cal. 11/6 - WHAM (1180) Rochester, N.Y. RS. 11/8 - KNKS (620) Hanford, Cal RS till s/off at 4:07, KBRO (1490) Bremerton, Wash., ET. 11/9 - KGOS (1490) Torrington, Wyo. regular f/c, KOHE (1450) Eugene, Ore. till s/off at 406, then WBHF DX for my first "small" skip across the country. 11/10 - KFEB (1310) Great Falls, Mont. ET. KRNO (1240) San Bernardino, Cal. f/c & KDIM DX. I dropped a line to CFAR to see if they might remain on a few minutes for us west coasters but they did not. Also for those of you wondering, I heard absolutely nothing from KWEI. I am 5 for 11 on the DX programs, excluding KWEI and I have tried for every one. This ratio should pick up. As it is now, I'm sending more thank-you cards than I am reports. Everyone, send those cards. Veries in are KRUL KWAL KRAM on f/ups. Also KBUN-DX WBZ KPOA (who said KCKY, Coolidge, Ariz. was destroyed by fire) KFRC KCID KGDE-DX CFRN. QSL cards were KRAM & WBZ. Here's hoping I can get into New England this weekend. I'm still trying for every one, but I have sure been stopped cold as far as they are concerned. Had my rig fixed for phones - what a difference! Keep trying for those programs; show Sid and the rest that we really appreciate it. KRAM card says f/c second Thursday, 4:00-4:15.

Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DXing not too bad in the way of long distance. Just look at some of these new catches: These are all new in my den. Nov. 3, WAPA-680 s/on 5:30, KAKE-1240 RS at 6:30. 11/4 - WLAG-1240 f/c. I understood the fellow on f/c to say WLAJ-La Grange, Ga. - any info on that? 11/8 - KWHI-1280 on for maintenance test. Not listed in f/c list. CFOR-1570 RS. 11/9 - WBHF on DX for good old NEC, came in very good here. Thanks, John Pohl for your first DX. WCRS-1450 came in on their f/c at 4:45 to spoil the last 15 minutes. 11/10 - CEGW-1580-RS, Westminster, B.C. (?) KRNO-1240 on their f/c. 11/11 - WGIG-1440 f/c. 11/12 another B.C., Vancouver, CKMO-1410, RS, in the early morning hours at 3:00. 11/13 - CJRL on 1220 the last two mornings asking for reports. ~~#####~~ KGAL-930 on f/c. WCCP-1450 f/c. KXDB-1280 on RS. WRNO Orangeburg, S.C. ETing and asking for reports, -1450 Heard Needles, Cal. on 1350 on 11/13 but did not get call letters. Just Needles, Cal. on 1350 - any news on that one? (How about KSEE on 1340? -E.) 11/14 - KWLC/KDEC-1240 f/c. KDKD-1280 on RS selling toy balloons, and finally KWOE-1330 RS, Clinton, Mo. and Clinton, Okla - isn't that a coincidence? 1226 logged now. Now for the veries - KGDE-1250-DX WGCB-1440 WMAN-920 WOHP-1390 WJR-760 KFI-640 WTAR-790 WED-1040 WJAY-970 WWSW-970. Total now 172. Some reports are out to WAIR-1340 WNR-620 WBHF-1450 WGIG-1440 KRNO-1240 WKCT-930 KWHI-1280 WRNO-1450 KGAL-930 WCCP-1450. Thanks to Hal Williams for his letter and Len Kruse and John Johnson for theirs. WED-1040 sends a program for the month, also QSL card. Anyone not having WED better try as it is worth getting. KFI sends a stamp. I have 55 reports out. Sent another follow-up to WPNX. Hal and I are still hoping. All for this time. Lots of DXes on the Calendar, thanks to the CPC boys. 73s and lots of good DXing.

MAY WE TAKE THIS SPACE TO WISH FOR YOU ALL A VERY HAPPY AND BLESSED THANKSGIVING DAY

Loggings of the MembersRoy H. Millar - 857 South 128 Street - Seattle 88, Washington

Hi gang - DX spotty here. Beginning to think I'm not so hot, hi! Nov. 10 I logged KENO-1240 3:50 on channel where KWEL was supposed to be DXing. Wot happened? Very puzzled about inability to receive the Minnesota stations - first KGDE didn't show; then no sign of KDLM. Nov. 13, some decent DX for a change. 5 new ones logged, all over 2,000 miles, i.e.; WGY WING WMBR WENS & WNBC. The latter for my first Cuban report. Nov. 14, KSEM & KSUE added on regular f/c. Say - who did I hear at 12:45-1:00 a.m. under XEDM-1580? Seemed to be off after 1:00. Wasn't aware of any U.S. stations operating at this time on 1580, and sure that CBJ off earlier (even if I could hear 'em!). (KLOU, Lake Charles, La. is full-time on 1580 and s/off at 1 -Ed.) Last couple evenings WNBC & WCBS have been hitting the sky-wire here fairly early, but don't seem to get the distance (at least westerly) when DX hours arrive. 's funny. Nov. 15, XEW usual powerhouse on 900 kc/s., though doubt if WOTW would have shown even on a clear channel. Did finally take time to log the all-nighter KONO. Veries since last report: KPOA KEON KRWI KINY XEER KTKN XELO XEW KSOO KGGF KWJJ KALL. A bouquet to James Critchett for his swell report in "DX News" of Nov. 11. Info therein really helpful in CPC scheduling. Also swell letter with DX suggestions and channel reports from Len Kruse. Now my work is cut out for me!

Fred Van Voorhees - P. O. Box 132 - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

Well, it looks as if I'll have to chime in as one of the old-timers our editor claims aren't DXing any more. I hate to think of myself as an old-timer, but I am now in my 17th season of DXing. Guess that qualifies me. I am really glad to see all of the newcomers. It all reminds me that I started DXing at the age of 16 while I was in High School. Still at it, spasmodically. Eight reports so far this season which is very slow, due mostly to the fact that this is one of our busiest times on the job. However, the big noise from New Cumberland is holding up our end of the DX game. Back in September I reported WDVA CEE and WATL. All have verified by now. Got TIDCR in early October, also verified by now. Now recently as of November 2, I logged KFMA on equipment test 3:45-4:00 s/off, no veris yet. Also copied WHDH (850) Boston, same morning from 4:29-4:47, but didn't need him. Tried for the specials on 11/10, but CFAR was completely covered by XEPH, so I reported him. There was a tone and carrier tester on top of XEPH, and another signal behind him, but too weak to identify. No sign of KWEL on 1240, nothing but utter silence on the frequency while I listened. Did get a log on WALE (1140) 3:10-3:30. Suppose he is impossible during the week with WRVA on. Special from KDLM was heard, no well, but sufficient for a report from 3:41-4:02. Up also on 11/11, but no luck. Heard KWK (1380) testing and off at 4:08, but he wasn't new to me. And that just about brings me up to date. Have sworn to do more DXing in the days to come.

Ken Mackey - 2 Dornoch Street - Dunedin, New Zealand

Well chaps, the season now seems to really be under way and I certainly hope it brings forth as many loggings as the last one did. Conditions are quite good, so let's hope that it keeps up. Recent loggings are KBWL 1580 testing 4 a.m. Nov. 1. KFMA was on here on his regular Saturday f/c around 2:30-3:30 a.m. He seems to play requests and asks reports. I could just hear KBWL in the background. As soon as KFMA went off KBWL was an easy catch. Others are WWHG KFOR 2LT, WTIL on f/c as listed though he did use a few minutes tone. Was on to HSA, Riverhead, N.Y. KGGF KIOA for third try, 2BH, KRBC f/c as listed, WIRJ f/c as listed, KBLA now on 1490 until 3 a.m., 480, KWSK f/c 3:45 a.m. Oct. 3. KWIE to 4 a.m. 610, KILQ. Europeans have been good again. The best for you chaps to try for will be the Courier on V.O.A. relay. Arabic usually with English identification each half hour. "This is the Courier, the Seaborne relay base of the V.O.A." (1390). AFN, Trieste 1304, BBC Far Eastern Service 1295 kc/s., N.W.D.R. 971, Malaya 870 kc/s., Radio Saigon, Vietnam, Wrockov, Nurnberg, Saarbrucken, JOFB Athlone, Eire, Tunis, Taw, Italy 1448, Frederikstad F.B.I. Fayid Egypt 1420. Recent veries - Belgrade II, JOBB KTLW KWHN KAHU JOHK JOLE JOKU JOQB KSN JOFP JOHB WAIN WRCO WRPT Sudwestfunk 1538 kc/s., Singapore 740 kc/s., OAK4U KONG & CC148. Now up to 1,077 from 51 countries.

CHARLIE CONLEY sends us a clipping stating that WLXW, 1380, Carlisle, Pa. has been sold to Richard Field Lewis, Jr, also owner of WINC and WFVA in Virginia. The note says that the call letters of WLXW will be changed to WHYL. So there will be a tough daytimer with no frequency check for us to try for.

DID YOU SUBMIT A REPORT FOR THIS ISSUE? WELL, HOW ABOUT SENDING ONE IN FOR NEXT TIME

Ron B. Schiller - 30 Park Avenue - Avenel, New Jersey

This week I am very happy to report my 200th verie. It was a very nice letter from WJVA in South Bend, Ind. with an attractive letterhead. The CE said that my report was the farthest ever received for daytime reception. They had been heard in Pittsburgh, Pa. once before. Other veries: WJMK, letter on a second report; WSIX, letter, and WBLJ, a very nice letter. As for DX I had my share. 11/8, WJVA (1580) s/off at 4:30 p.m., South Bend (Mishawaka per verie), Ind. 11/9 - WNOX (990) ~~RS 6:00-6:10 a.m., Knoxville, Tenn.; WVOP (970) RS 6:10-6:20, Vidalia, Ga.;~~ WLIO (1570) RS 4:45 p.m., East Liverpool, Ohio. 11/10, WTIK (1310) s/on at 6, Durham, N.C.; WTNH (930) s/on at 6, Rochester, N.H. Thanks to Lefty for WTNH. Say, don't know how you got WREB s/on, no sign of 'em here. WGVA (1240) s/on at 6:30, Geneva, N.Y. 11/11 ??? (1450) TT 6:00-6:10, any help? 11/12 - WOND (1400) Pleasantville, N.J., about 100 miles south of here; WBNS (1450) s/on at 6, Columbus, Ohio. WHKC (610) RS 6:00-6:15 over WIP, Columbus, Ohio; WHKK (640) RS 5:49-6 p.m., Akron, Ohio, second report and same for WHKC; WOAI (1200) RS 7:10-7:20 p.m., San Antonio, Tex., also heard next morning at 6:45 s/on but very weak. 11/13 - WRGA (1470) RS 5:30, Rome, Ga.; WSAR (1480) Fall River, Mass. and WLEA (1480) Hornell, N.Y., both heard at 6:30 s/on through local WHOM. 11/14 - WKNA (950) RS 6:23-6:28, Charleston, W. Va. 11/15 - I got up at 4:45 to try for WOTW but couldn't raise 'em; WOKY (920) RS 4:57-5:00, S-9, Milwaukee, Wis.; WHJC (1360) s/on at 5, Matewan, W. Va.; WALL (1340) NNRC special about 8-6-8, Middletown, N.Y., about 50 miles north of here from 5:08 to 5:28; nice show; WMEV (1010) f/c with tone from 5:30-5:45, Marion, Va.; CFRB (1010) s/on at 5:43 copied to 5:50, Toronto, Ont. WALL's DX was the first DX show that I have ever heard. Announcement was clear and given often, music was nice, and all in all it was a fine DX program. Also received another QSL from WSPD, I guess he forgot that he had sent one, hi! The WBUY and WTSA DXes look good from my standpoint because those are my DX hours. Enough for now. 73s.

Frank S. Johnson - Concord, New Hampshire

Captured WTSV-1230 on 11/2 at 8:00 a.m., two or three minutes before WESX signed on. I now need WTSL-1400 to complete New Hampshire. Cannot seem to get them through WLEH-WIDE. Verification from WPGW-1440 states that, to their knowledge, I am the farthest listener reporting reception to date, Oct. 9. They were undergoing repairs that night. To Lefty Cooper: WRKD-1450 was heard here daily for 7 days before I reported at the sign-on at 6:00 a.m. They were only heard one or two minutes before 1700 others signed on. 11/4 - WICE-DX heard well with nice dedications. WGR-550 was the only other station logged that morning. 11/9 - WBHF-1450 DX also heard with good signal. I am wondering if that great DXer from the southwest, Norm Maguire, is still with the NRC? I used to like to read his reports. I have received a verification from WABI-910 from a report of Oct. 21 when they were having a special program commemorating the official opening of hunting season in Penobscot County. The verie states that WABI will transmit other special programs and test programs from time to time during the early-morning hours.

S/Sgt. Fred A. Anderson - 31st Signal Co. - Camp Atterbury, Indiana

Well I guess it's about time for this boy to get on the ball - writes to "DX News." So to start off following letters received: WRCC WXLW WWVA KSEL WILL WHEM. No cards this time. Letters out to the following: 11/8 - WJCD 1390 Seymour, Ind. at 1:04 p.m. RS. 11/10 - KDEM 1360 Detroit Lakes, Minn at 4:19 a.m. on NRC. WWL, 870, New Orleans, La. at 6:29 p.m., RS. 11/11 - WKJG 1380 Fort Wayne, Ind. at 10 a.m., RS; WLBC 1340 Muncie, Ind. at 10:15, RS; WTS 1370 Bloomington, Ind. at 10:31, RS; WONE, 980, Dayton, Ohio at 11 a.m., RS. 11/15 - KRCS 1340 Clinton, Iowa at 1:42 a.m., f/c, WJL 1440 Niagara Falls, N.Y. at 2:01 a.m., f/c. KRCS failed to answer report of Sept. 4, so hope they acknowledge this one. Well at the present time yours truly is building a 5-10 watt BCB station for Camp Atterbury, here. Have a letter in to FCC to find out what's what on this type of broadcast. If anyone knows would appreciate the dope on it. I know a lot of stations, Army and Universities have such to cover just their area. Well, keep the best a-coming and hope the "DX News" lasts forever.

Robert Grubbs - Kearney, Missouri

Just a line saying I'm still alive. I see where several members had had reports to KPRS returned due to insufficient address. I was in Kansas City today & picked up the following address: 2814 E. 23 St. This used to be remote studios of KQLO I think. The station is owned and operated by Negroes. I haven't received any verie as yet.

Musings of the MembersPete Taylor - Box 5068 Duke Station - Durham, North Carolina

At Last! A few new stations to report. Borrowed neighbor's HRO again and DXed from 12-3:30 a.m. on 11/16. Added 50' more to my antenna. It now runs 50' N-S, 50' NE-SW and 50' NW-SE. New part, NW-SE seems greatly to aid Western Canadian, Southeastern U.S. stations. \* new. WROM s/off 5:30 p.m. 11/15 with WGBS going directional same time; WKRG left for 15 minutes. WLBS on top of 900 pile; WVOK in strong on 690. WCOA-Pensacola-1370 heard on par with usually dominant WSPD during part of evening. WDEF also heard. WIFM heard carrying MBS at 4:30 p.m. CMKP-670 Holguin, Orte. synchronizing CABC, heard cutting through WHIAQ. XELG-680 Leon, Gto. heard 12:15 a.m. back on 11/16. KNED-1150- 1 kv. McAlester, Okla. Tting 2:30. CFAC\*960 Calgary, Alta carries record program from 1:15-3 on Sunday AMs, but all I caught was their 3:05 s/off. KFOX\*1280 Long Beach heard carrying same show (hillbilly) as KIEM-1480, 3:40. KROW\*960 Oakland heard while vainly searching for KALE. Lucky to catch CKMO\*1410 Vancouver, B.C. s/off at 4:05. WGLC\*1580 Centerville, Miss. ETing with records 4:20. At last, CKNW\*1320 New Westminster, B.C. heard and logged 4:30; still readable 5:45. Latin-Americans come in after about 4:00. HJCN\*1100 Bogota, YVKG\*960 Caracas, Venezuela, HJCG-1060 Bogota, HJDC-1090 Medellin, Colombia, all heard between 4-5 as well as unidentified Spanish speakers on 1280 and 1290 and 1300. Now, going back. 1330 Tting 12:35-1:20. 1290 Tting 1:20. CEBQ asking for reports in English 2:35. Strong carrier heard on top of 940 while logging CJGX through KFRE QRM, may have been WINZ's new transmitter, no announcements. Another station underneath CKLN 3-4; seemed to be contest as money was frequently mentioned; a few records played; mentioned money in dollars, so wasn't Rotarua, N.Z. (CHAB, Moose Jaw, Pete, on network with other western Canadians -Ed.) KPHC-1550 Bakersfield s/off 4:30. 1410 Tting 5:05. WTVG s/on 5 (1460, Fugny Springs, N.C.), 1460 Tting 4-5 on. 980, 960 Tting 5:45. WNLK heard and logged S-9 4:40-5:15. WOKY covered 920, so no KAHU. WOKO for NWRG not heard due to semi-local WTVG (if it was on at all.) Reports to WNLK CKNW CJGA CJGX KTRN WVOV WSAZ WWL. 73s.

Joe Brainer - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville 21, N. Y.

DX improved a lot this week and while new catches remain scarce, we did enjoy a lot of good reception here. On 11/10 CFAR failed to show, as usual, plenty of QRM on 590. On 1240 WEDC very nicely stood by but KWEI failed to show. KRNO was easily heard with regular f/c after 3:45. KDIAM had a fair to strong signal here, nice show. On 11/11, woke up late and missed some, but did get R-7 signal from KFMA, 1580 with ET to 3:15. Not much tuning on 11/12, 13 & 14. DX indifferent and nothing new. On 11/15 heard WGLC sign off 1470 at 12:05 a.m. and also heard him come back at 6:00 a.m., but little data to report. Former Flint station on 1470 was easy in daytime here but this one is tough. WOTW barely readable through XEW. 11/16 was a real DX date. Heard KRED-KRED-FM sign off 1480 at 3 a.m., badly messed by KVOE, so KIEM must have a new call. Then tried KWRL regular f/c on 1:50 and there it was, tone louder than WWPB's program and easily copied to 3:10 end. Had tried this check many many times without getting a trace. WLAG through WEDC with ET. Many other tones on 1450, 1340 and 1230, but no signs. KIEE almost as loud as 1230 mess, with ET on 1220 to at least 4 o'clock, CHAB easy through CKLN on 800, and CKEM, 980, with special late program to at least 3:30. Welcome WGLC, 1580 with brief tests to 4:30, making 3 new ones on 1580 this month. Need only KNIM there, also 3 new for the date, KRED, KWRL and of course WGLC. WNLK really loud on 1350 after 4:30 but although something was back of WOKY on 920, KAHU didn't make it. KVAN's all-night session was most as loud as XEW on 910. A really interesting morning. 73.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, N.Y.

Since I don't have any reports that'll fit in here, I'll sneak in myself. DX didn't fare so well this past week. Up this (Tuesday) a.m. to look for XEDF which I heard, but I didn't get enough to warrant sending a report. Did take a report on WTVT's f/c 3:40-3:50 on 1450 for only new logging this week. I went to a terrific party Saturday night-Sunday morning, but now I don't think it was so terrific, seeing that I missed stations like CJGX, WGLC, KRED and KIEE! Any and all of them would be most welcome here. Guess I can't live two lives, hi! Veries in from WTVH and a real surprise, WPLA (1570) Plant City, Fla. after 2 f/ups, most recent in June, for 1949 reception! DX surely is a fascinating hobby - you never know what to expect next! Now when WJAT and WABG come through with veries, I will really believe I've gone to the Next World, hi! Keep the swell reports rolling in, gang - we love 'em!



Misings of the MembersHal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

The last 2 weeks haven't been too good since I've had to miss so many specials on account of work sked. 11/3 I got a relief man for 15 minutes and logged WMBB (590) Uniontown, Pa. Could not get relieved to hear WAIR but at 4:30 I got relieved again to log KBRZ for a few minutes. 11/4 - WARM (590) heard poorly through QBN 1:45-2:15. 11/6 - WIST (930) s/on 5:30 in the clear for 10 minutes. Been trying to log 'em for 3 years. WFTC (960) Kinston, N.C. testing 5:50-5:59. WBRC (960) Birmingham, Ala. easily read until 6 a.m. and even after WLI s/on. 11/11 - KGHL (790) Billings, Mont. news & s/off 2:00. WAVA (1450) Norton, Va. TT-f/c 3:00-3:10 through QHM. WKJB (710) Mayaguez, P.R. TT-f/c 4:15-4:30 clear and strong. 11/13 - VLNH (1340) Laconia, N.H. 1:17-2:00 poor signal on NNRC DX. WLIN (550) Merrill, Wis. TT-f/c 2:15-2:38 s/off very good, asking for DX reports. KOOL (960) Phoenix, Ariz. TT-f/c 3:08-3:15 exceptionally strong and clear. So now my reports stand at 1166. 9 new veries in to make my verie total 859, also 1 duplicate for contest, WWJ. These by QSL card - CHCB (1330) WLEU (1450) and by letter WTIP (1240) old old one, first report sent 12/27/49, KGDE (1250) WBRC (960) WIST (930) WGCB (1440) WHED (1340) finally returned my PP card, first report sent them 5/4/49 and WBUX (1570) returned my second NRC report with notation on bottom "Dear Sir - This report correct - Station Manager." Quite a verie, but I suppose better than none. I had the pleasure of again meeting our good friend who visited us at our Buffalo-Williamsville Convention, Carroll Weyrich Saturday night 11/8 in Philadelphia. Got home 9:30 Sunday AM, got some sleep and bats and then off to work. Hence no report for last week's "DX News." This is being written Sunday afternoon about 1 hour before leaving for work. Worked till 6 this AM so could not even try for KAHU. That would be Super DX here. 73.

Pat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, N. Y.

New veries back, KRWL KULA WAIR WWOC. 11/10 - Noisy, no CFAR or KWEI DX heard here. XEPH and unknown carrier on 1240 covered bands. KDLM was heard. 1410 had carrier all morning, no voice. XEAA, 1340, with American tunes after 3 and good. XEDF, 960, f/c with Kansas City each third Tuesday around 3:30-4:00. This is only a change of frequency from 790 and not a change of calls between XEFE and XEDF, P.O. Box 87, Laredo, Texas. Same letterhead and slogan, with change of names and frequency as on older letterheads. 11/11 - TT pest on and off on 1450 most of AM. WRC, 980, 4:10 to after 5 on test. WFHG, 980, f/c at 4:30 to 4:45 for a new one. 1580 had TT 4:48 to 5:20 with no voice used at all when I quit. 11/12, no DX, bad cold. 11/13 KPOA, 630, best ever heard, 3:35. Unknown TTs on 620 740 910 980 1450 and others. KVOA, 1290, f/c at 4:31. WFGN, 1340, f/c at 4:35. KGAE, 1430, special f/c off at 4:46 with very good volume, a new one. 11/14 - KSEM, 1450, test and off at 3:25. WCRS, 1450, test, 3:35. WATS, 1470, off check at 4:04. Unknown on 1480 QRM'd by KVOE. CJRL, 1220, test at 4:20, WGRR on and off also. Mexican on 590 at 4:33 on test, believe XERT. 11/15 - Very noisy. WOTW not heard on DX. CJOC, 1220, news at 3:00. KSCB, 1270, test at 3:10. 1350 had French speaker, believe it was CHGB at 3:11 but no call or city deciphered. 46° here today, about 16° to 20° warmer than past week. 11/16, WNLK very good on DX today. 1590 had unknown one that signed off at 3:02 under XEMC and gave 1600 as frequency in CST, W--H, just wondered if it was WTVH and error made on frequency. Very noisy here today.

Ted Weiser - 19 Fairview Avenue - Schuylkill Haven, Pennsylvania

Veries in are WHGB WAAB KGDE KMYC & WPLA. 11/10, KDLM heard with their DX test. Reception this AM very poor with KDLM a fair signal and no sign at all of KWEI whom I was looking forward to. Reception has been good all this month except this AM. 11/12, KERG 1280 kc/s. heard on f/c, good signal, for a new one; CHEX 1430 on RS 5:58 a.m. to 3:05, then WDBL on 1430 kc/s. till 6:15 a.m. for two new ones. 11/13 - KXON 560 kc/s. in the clear most of the way over WIND on f/c. Glad to get this one. 11/15 - WOTW 900 kc/s. with DX Test in the clear at times, but trouble with XEW and CHML tone. Logged a good portion to verify. Have a nice report from WOTW back in 1949, but no mention of verification. This will make up for it towards a definite verie. WALL on 1340 kc/s. with NNRC DX in the clear 5 to 5:05 a.m., and then a bit of trouble from WOOK who had to be the loudest I've ever heard them. A swell v/letter from WPLA with souvenir blotter. GM says happy to send veries to all NRC DXers who hear WPLA. WAAB also says always happy to hear from DXers. On 11/2 I spent the afternoon logging the programming of WHGB towards a veris. Sent report to Jim Roselle the announcer on one of the programs & he forwards me his John Henry on my prepared v/card to give me a much-needed station after quite a few reports.

Musings of the MembersCharley Conley - 368 Market Street - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

A bit more activity this week, and more disappointment in not hearing a peep from either GFAR or KWEI, both of whom I'd certainly liked to have added to the old log. XEPH ruined 590 and 1240 was dead when WEDC so kindly signed off, until KOCA came on with a f/c, but I have him from back in '49. By hanging on 900 I finally was able to dig out a few identifiable items from WOTW (nine, including five understandable announcements, between 4:13 and 4:59). Tried for WALL on 1340 at 5:00 without success but logged WOOK when he signed on at 5:05, as I need him. Reports this week: 11/8 XEPH 590, RS. 11/9 - WWOC 980, ET. 11/10 - KDIAM 1360, NRC DX (poor signal here); 11/13 - KFIR 1340, RS (several breaks heard through WEMP and other hash), WLNH 1340 NVEC DX (poor reception on this also), WWRL 1600 ET 1 kw. (Hope I have luck getting a verie on this second report!) 11/14 - CBU 690, RS with fine signal. 11/15 - WOTW 900 NRC DX and WOOK 1340, RS. The morning of the 14th, west coast reception was especially good. 11/16 - WNLK 1350 DX put a strong signal here. WOKY killed any chance of hearing KAHU. Could hear station in back of WOKY but too weak to read. Have noticed the past several Sunday mornings about the time WOMB closes at 5:00 on 1460, WFVG comes on (5:08 on 11/16) with a blast. To date I've managed to remember all of the fine DX schedules and be on hand for them but, alas, of the 15 so far, have only been able to hear 9, of which three have verified. This Sunday evening, was spent watching TV. Guess as soon as the UHF stations get going in this area we'll weaken and buy a rig, but I'll be dadgummed if I'll sit in a barn until 3:30 watching it! Besides, ain't got no barn! Hi, Patrick!

John Hoogerseide - 112 Chamberlin Kronshage - Madison 6, Wisconsin

Wow. What a lot of new stations logged during the past two weeks! At least 50 new ones with at least one to two a night with an all time high of 12 new ones on 11/12. I now have 1209 logged with about 380 verified. Back to Nov. 4. WICE DX was very weak here but it was still logged. WGRA had a f/c at 1:35. Aaaa WSEFA on later with program called "Hillbilly Hayride." Then Nov. 10: Weiser, Idaho DX was not heard but KRNO in San Bernardino was well heard for a new one. Also from 3:45-4:00 there was a west-coaster using a tone signal. KOCA f/c at 3:30. KDIAM DX was also well heard. KBRZ put in a tremendous signal. But the two best of the evening were KCID in Caldwell, Idaho heard with a tone and voice at 4:20. Then even on top of KCID and WSRS was my 4th 250-watt Californian - KICO in Calexico. Tone signal at 4:00 to 4:15 said daytime power of 1000 watts and night of 500 on 1300 kc/s. Any help? Also KVFJ on their f/c at 2:35. KHJ s/off at 3:02 for a new one after a little prayer. 11/11 produced KWKK s/off at 1:00. WNDB f/c at 1:16. KRLC with news until 1:30, then off at 2:00. 11/12 - CKX s/off at 2:00 with "Oh Canada." KASM f/c 2:00-2:45 when I left them. CJCA on their regular musical show at 2:30. WOKX DX was very well received but not needed. So was WCVI. CBU s/off after 6 minutes of weather at 3:05. And now take note - my New Hampshire #1 - WKXL was heard with weak signal from 3:25-3:45. Very welcome as the 48 states are now complete. WSOO f/c was poorly heard at 2:45. KEMW and KYOU both on f/c at 2:30-2:45. KXLY with news at 3:00. KWAN on RS at 3:30. 11/13 produced two good ones. KYOS in Merced at 1:15 on RS, and KHIT in Lampasas Texas with f/c over at 2:07. Announced as regular. Also heard a tone on 1490 at 1:25 which sounded like WTOR when the announcer announced. Hal Williams, is this one a regular check at that time? 11/14 - Produced fair signal from KCSB well over XEQK with the "1350 Club." KPRO for a new one, s/off at 2:01 after 5 minutes of news. Veries improving also. WSEFA XLCN KPFA KIUP WSMI WLEP XCHA WSMB WTVB KGDE KFAL WJLK WCC WAIR WOHF WSRS KDKA WGAP WMPW WCRK KALF KWED. So now finally after a long wait, DX is now on the upgrade and it sure is welcome. I find out I have 30% of my stations verified and have about 85% returns. So 73s, gang. How about some info on CPC. I'd like to try to arrange a few DX tests in Wisconsin, Illinois and Minnesota.

Sid Rosenbaum - 805 Market Street - Wheeling, W. Va.

A high noise level has kept listening down here. 11/15 - No sign of WOTW-DX, altho I listened 3:30 till 4. 11/16 - WNLK DX easy here but faded slightly at intervals. 11/17 - CKBL DX f/iled to get thru heavy QRM. Heard but not needed were WGEM (1440) s/off 1:45, WRFL f/c 2-2:15, WNAG (1400) f/c 2-2:30, WYON (1340) f/c 2:30-2:45, WFOY 1240 f/c 4-4:15. All signals grew weaker and static heavier as morning wore on. KGDE, a letter, was the only verie this week. Nice letter from the Ponca City boys "Go to it gang, and the same goes to Roy Hillar, way up in Seattle." Let's keep those DX Contests rolling!

Musings of the MembersJohn Pohl - 469 N.E. 51 Street - Miami 37, Florida

DX has picked up a little here, but veries are extra slow this year for some reason. As for veries, I have gotten only one in the last two weeks. That one from WIST. Latest reception here is as follows: 11/3, WBBS (590) on DX, WMYR (1410) on ET, WGIV (1600) on RS, WSVA (550) on RS, WIST (930) on RS, WAIR (1340) on DX, KBRZ (1460) on DX. Tried for WARM and WICE on 11/4, but no go for them. Tried for WILK and WOCM on 11/8, but no go. Then came the real dirt. On 11/9, just about an hour before my first DX (the one I arranged with WBHF) I woke up with a violent earache. Result, no WBHF DX for me because by time for the program I was going crazy. Sid said that I would get a kick out of my first DX program, but I didn't think he meant "a kick in the ear." I still need WBHF in my logs. Then it was my luck to sleep through KDIM CFAR and KWEI. Tried for WOTW DX on 11/15, but for me that was like trying to get a light to come through a closed shade, namely XEW. That leads up to 11/16, when I had a pretty fair morning of it. First on 11/16 was WNLK (1350) on DX who came on early, then WGLC (1580) on test from 4:27 to 4:31. Then came KOMA (1520) on test at 5:35 and WMYR s/on at 6:00. Finally then I got KWCB (1300) on RS and WACA (1590) on RS. On 11/16 I got some station (if anyone knows who, please let me know) on 1450 with a tone-carrier test from 3:00 to 3:30. It wasn't WWPB. Also on 11/16 I logged someone playing "Lady of Spain" at 5:21 a.m. on 920. Check your loggings fellows and let me know if this was KAHU (which I was trying to get) or WOKY (which I need also.) On 11/16 I noted WINZ testing with carrier only between 2:00 and 3:00 I believe, but this was still with their 500 watt (night) outfit. WGBS was also testing between 5:30 and 6:00. Cheerio. 73s.

Bill Whitman - 2727 Prairie Avenue - Evanston, Illinois

I had an extended week-end from the 8th to the 11th and took advantage of it to log 32 organizations, mostly on tests. Log now stands at 475 verified with 85 out. 11/10 - KTBC (590) s/off 1:05, KEDA (1290) 2:00-2:30, WNAG (1400) f/c-T 2:05-2:15, WMDN (1490) ET 2:15-2:30, KVED (1400) f/c 2:30-2:45, KPMC (1560) s/off 3:01, WABY (1400) f/c 3:00-3:15, WGAU (1340) f/c 3:30-3:45, KRNO (1240) f/c-M 3:45-4:00, no KWEI, KDIM (1360) DX 3:30-3:45 (poor). 11/11 - WHAW (1450) ET 2:15-2:30, KCMC (1230) 2:05-2:15, KQVL (1400) ET-M 2:15-3:15, WPAL (730) f/c-M 2:20-2:34, WIRJ (740) f/c-T 2:30-2:45, KEMO (1240) 2:30-2:45, WFUL (1270) ET 2:45, WNVG (1450) f/c 3:00-3:10, WKAM (1220) f/c-M 3:00-3:12 s/off, WGAP (1400) f/c 4:15-4:30, new one, WBBS (1550) 5:00-5:30 p.m. RS, WEMP (1580) 5:45-6:00 p.m. s/off. 11/12 - WORK (1350) DX 1:30-1:45, WIXL (1450) DX 3:45-4:00. 11/16 - WNLK (1350) DX 4:45-5:00. Have written to KQVL KOFO and CJIB about spec.als. 73.

Don Kaskey - 908 South 25 Street - Omaha, Nebraska

Very little to report this week out will take a try at it anyway. On Nov. 11 I heard WHAW-1450 Weston, W. Va. at 3:00 on ET. Nov. 12, WGRO-1260 Bay City, Mich. on ET from 3:00-3:25, WCVI-1340 Connellsville, Pa. on NNRC DX from 3:15-3:30 through WEMP-CJOB QRM, WFTB-1450 Front Royal, Va. on f/c-TT 4:45-5:00. Then on Nov. 13 WBHB-1240 Fitzgerald, Ga. on f/c from 3:30-3:45. They came in good through WEDC. Last but not least was WNLK-1350 in Norwalk, Conn. on DX Nov. 16 from 4:38-5:15. They came in quite well, especially their first 20 minutes. Only DX I heard was WNLK. WOTW was completely drowned out by XEW, KAHU same by WOKY, and it rained (believe it or not) on Monday so static ruined any chance to get CEBL. Veries in this week are from WCYB-690, WAIR-1340 and KORN-1490. Total is now 1384 veries and 1729 heard. Hope to do a bit better on DXes this week, as KVLH and WHEB are both needed here. 73s.

Bernie Duffy - 94 Lander Avenue - Staten Island 14, N. Y.

Giving more time to it, I find DX reception very good nowadays. Latest additions to my heard list are: KDIM KSTN WPNX CJGX and CKMO. They were logged as follows: 11/10 KDLA's DX, weakish @ 3:45. WFTC, 960 tone-testing @ 5:45, fairly loud. 11/13 - WLNH very loud @ 1:22, WVNH 930 fairly loud @ 6 a.m. s/on. 11/14 - CKMO 1410 heard identifying @ 4:00 and KSTN 1420 held with a remarkably good signal from 4:00-5:00 a.m. for 2 needed west coasters. WPNX 1270 heard s/on through hash at 5:30. 11/15 WALL's NNRC special QRM'd by an unknown tone-tester at 5:15 a.m. 11/16 - Elusive CJGX 940 delighted me by coming in even better than its 5 times more powerful competitor CKRM both on, 2:00-3:00 a.m. Latest veries are attractive cards from WBBS WARM & WAIR for their DXes.

WE WANT TO REMIND YOU THAT WHEN YOU WRITE TO ANY STATION TO BE SURE TO MAKE IT KNOWN YOU ARE A MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL RADIO CLUB. A FEW ARE APPARENTLY NOT DOING THIS.

- 690 KPET Lamesa Tex F/C 15th of month as listed (Edge-Bf1o NY)  
710 WGBS Miami Fla now Sign off at 0100 (John Pohl-miami Fla)  
WROM Rome Ga will be on test Nov 28 from 0200-0300 (Kaskey-Omaha)  
800 WHTN Huntington W Va F/C as listed 15th of Month (Edge)  
910 KPOF Denver, Colo will DX for NRC 12/19 from 0400-0500 (Rosenbaum)  
930 KTKN Ketchikan Alaska F/C 4th MON 0445-0500 (Roy Millar-Seattle)  
940 WINZ Hollywood Fla now Sign off 2400 (Pohl)  
1050 ???? Anyone know who S/on SUN AMs at 0645?? Ron Schiller-Avenel NJ)  
1120 YVMF Maracaibo, Venez uses 10 Kw and S/off 2230 EST (2300 their time) according to verie signed by German Montero, Secretary. Verie was in Spanish (Geo Holland-Ithaca NY)  
1150 KNEB McAlester Okla F/C 1st & 3rd THUR at 0545 but CE says they try to have carrier on at 0530. (Edge)  
1240 WFOY St Augustine Fla F/C 3rd MON as listed (Pohl)  
1250 KKKK WCHO Washington Court House Ohio will be on test soon, date later (Rosenbaum)  
1290 WSKY Hickory N C S/on at 0600. WHIO Dayton at 0545 and WTRF in Bellaire, Ohio at 0550 who can be hrd in east on top (Schiller)  
1340 WJRI Lenoir N C will DX for NRC 12/1 from 0300-0500 (Kaskey)  
KPST Preston Idaho will DX for NRC 12/8 from 0300-0330 (Kaskey)  
1350 KRLC Lewiston Idaho will DX for NRC 12/22 from 0330-0500 (Rosen-)  
1400 KLUF Galveston Texas F/C 3rd TUES as listed (Pohl)  
1430 CHEX Peterborough Ont Canada S/on in clear 0600 (Schiller)  
1450 ???? Anyone know who TTs on 11/11 (2nd FHE 0600-0610 (Schiller)  
KSEM Moses Lake Wash F/C 2nd FRI as listed (Millar)  
1460 KINY Juneau Alaska F/C 4th MON as listed. (Millar)  
WFGV Fuquay Springs N C S/on 0500 (Shelby-St Catherines Ont)  
1490 KDRS Paragould Ark S/on 0500 (Shelby) /Johnson-Mendota Ill)  
1580 KFMA Davenport, Iowa now on reg sked beginning Nov 18th at 0700.  
WPAC Patchogue N Y Finally rec verie signed by Dick Hodkin, staff. This was by ret mail. Says best DX from Boise Id (Campbell)

Expects to increase power in December. (Campbell-Athens Pa)  
JAMES CRITCHETT-1119 W ARBOR DR-SAN DIEGO 3 CAL Just rec Rpt Forms and Letter heads and used forms on KENI-KAHU-KFRM all three clear this AM Nov 16th. More Japs every morning, where are the South Pacific Stations Only DX Dow The Dial hear is on 1260 kc WEKZ Monroe, Wisc S/on 0630. Veries in from WCYB-WGY-KOAM-WKOW.

TOM JOHNSON 766 GLENDORA AVE AKRON O The DX has been good around here this Nov. Following is some of what I have done. 11/3 XEFW-810 at 2000 under bad CRM from WGY; 11/7 KSO-1460 at 2000, also ZNS-1540 at 1930. On 11/9 KLAC-570 at 0400; WVOP-970 at 0600; KWCB-1300 at 0530; WMIN-1400 at 0430; WSKR-1420 at 0430 testing; KXOL-1360 at 0504 and the DX from WBHF with fine sig at 0408; 11/? XELO heard over heavy QRA of CKLW 11/12 CBJ-1580 in French, was bothered by slop over into 1580 by WAKR in Akron. Seems like they are almost always down in 1580 messing up. 11/16 KCBS-740 at 0314; KNBC-680 at 0430; WLBE-790 test at 0410; WNLK-1350 DX program was fairly good at 0440; KSTN-1420 on reg sked at 0454; WACL-570 at 0510; KTHT-790 at 0515; WFGV-1460 at 0530; WETO-930; WRDW-1480 at S/on at 0600; WOKE-1430 S/on at 0600/ This Oak Ridge, Tenn is 1Kw station called themselves "The Powerful Voice of the Atimic City". KTRH 740; WISE-1310 S/on 0640; At 0710 WPIK-730; For my first station in Ari KOOL-960 in Phoenix was putting in a QSA 4 sig at time of their S/on. If you have ever heard Spanish on this freq about 0735 this may be it as a Spanish pro follows S/on. Veries from WBRC-KSO-WTIC. Is XEXO on 1550 in English at 0535 and what is their location. (Rpt is OK Tom)

How about sending about 15¢ to Club HQ for first class postage for your DX News over the holidays, Xmas and New Years. 3rd Class may be slow.

## FOREIGN DX DIGEST

Edited by Fred L. VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Penna. Deadline Tues.

Whether you like it or not, I'm going to treat you to another editorial this week. I want to talk again to some of you who are not "Old-timers" about split frequencies and what we can get from them. Many of you know that there is only a 9 Kc. separation between the assigned frequencies of stations in Europe, Africa, and the Near and Middle East. For this reason many stations over there do not fall on the exact 10 Kc. spots used in this country and Canada. On top of this there are many Latin American stations which operate on split frequencies to avoid interference from more powerful stations, either nearby, or at some distance.

The above facts enable those of us who have crystals in our sets to reap a harvest of good DX even with nearby powerful American and Canadian stations on the air. Even those of us who do not have crystals can get some of this DX by trying for the more powerful signals near weaker US and Canadian stations.

Perhaps you have just secured a receiver with a crystal. How do you go about getting the most out of it. Well, let's work on a good example, TIDCR (625 Kcs.) San Jose, Costa Rica. This is one of the most consistent split frequency signals in these parts. First tune your receiver to 620 Kcs. Turn on your BFO control and turn your dial to the point where you hear no tone at all. You are then right on frequency. Turn it over to 630 Kcs., and you will note first a rising note, followed by a descending note until you are again exactly on frequency, at which point you will again have no tone. Tune back and forth slowly and you should hear another weaker "null" or spot where no tone is heard, or if any, it will be weak. After you have tuned to the center of this null. Oh, yes, I'm ahead of myself. You should have your crystal on at about position 2. Use the highest position at which you can still understand what is being said. The higher you set your crystal setting, the sharper will be the tuning, but as you go higher, you tune sharply enough to cut off some of the audio band, and it becomes increasingly difficult to understand what is being said.

Now, with your crystal on, and the BFO "null" in dead center, turn the BFO off and with your crystal phasing (if you have it) adjustment, bring the strength of the signal up as much as you can. If you can then read it reasonably well, you have successfully tuned in your split frequency station. Try it a few times on TIDCR, XEM (695), and YSEB (1075), all of which are usually strong. When you feel that you have it down pretty well, start after some of the weaker ones. Again as I mentioned last week, follow the FOREIGN DX DIGEST for the news on what is being heard. If you are now at tuning for splits, try to get those that are being heard by others before going after new ones. There will be plenty of time for that later.

When you feel that you have become an expert with the stations on 5 Kc. separations, try for a few of the closer ones. PJC-2 (722) Willemstad, Curacao, is one that is being reported these days. He is much harder due to the proximity to WGN. (I should know, for I don't have him as yet.)

A warning, don't expect to hear modulation on every "null" that your BFO turns up. A great many stations, particularly TA's will put in some sort of a signal, strong enough to be caught by the BFO, but not strong enough to support modulation. That is why CW (Code) signals are heard so much farther than modulated signals, given equal transmitting conditions.

As with all foreign DXing, most of it isn't easy. A lot of it is in being at the dial at the right time. It took my fourteen years to hear my first Alaskan. Other fellows heard them during that time, but I just wasn't there at the right time until then. I haven't heard one since my reception of KFAR a couple of seasons ago. Now good luck.

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To augment my discussion on the last page, here are a few of the split frequency Latin American stations that are being consistently reported:

605 Kcs.	TIGPH	San Jose, Costa Rica	1235 ZBM	Hamilton, Bermuda.
625	TIDCR	" " " "	1285 YVMP	Marquisimeto, Venezuela.
655		Basse Terre, Guad.	1315 4VW	Port-au-Prince, Haiti.
675	HJKA	Bogota, Colombia	1375 HJAQ	Cartagena, Colombia.
685	TIHB	San Jose, C. R.	1415 HI3A	C. Trujillo, Dom. Rep.
695	XEN	Mexico City, D. F.		
722	PJC-2	Willemstad, Curacao		
735	TIRA	San Jose, C. R.		
738	HJKM	Bogota, Colombia.		
763	TIW	San Jose, C. R.		
784	OAX4X	Lima, Peru.		
854	OAX4A	Lima, Peru.		
888	HJCI	Bogota, Colombia.		
995	TIFC	San Jose, C. R.		
1015	YSC	San Salvador, El. S.		
1025	TGUX	Guatemala City, G.		
1028	GMJR	Camaguey, Cuba.		
1075	YSEB	San Salvador, E. S.		
1165	YVMD	Maracaibo, Venez.		

In addition to this list of stations which have been definitely identified, there is quite a list of stations heard on split frequencies but never identified. Some others not mentioned in this list have been heard by one or two members, but have not been consistently reported. The stations in this list are mostly pretty good bets for trying your split-frequency tuning. More on logging foreign language stations next week.

Now for the DX of the week:

## NORTH AMERICA

**BERMUDA**--Good evening reception of ZBM is now quite consistent on 1235 Kcs. Reported by JJ this week and by EC who has noted the sign-off at 2300. Still no veries on last season's DX program.

**COSTA RICA**--Evening reception of the split frequency stations in Costa Rica continues good with JJ reporting reception of TIGPH (605), TIDCR (625), TIHB (685), and TICS (854). John, check your identification of this one. OAX4A has been reported more often than TICS. From EC we learn that TIGPH (605) also gets into Brooklyn.

**CUBA**--As reported last week, CMCY continued with English tests until 0130 on 11/11 and 11/12. HH heard them those two days and is hoping that they will answer reports with veries. He also suggested that they might verify other reports to AZUL network stations. We'll be interested to know what luck he has. EC caught them on 11/9 also with one of these tests. EC also comments on CMBZ (830) changing his frequency. He says that he is right on frequency until midnight, when they go to about 838 Kcs. to avoid WCCO. EC says that CMCO (1230) is still on 24 hours. He suggests the best time to hear them in the East is Tuesday morning between 0300 and 0500 when WITH is silent.

**ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON**--"Radio St. Pierre", heard signing off at 2000 with "La Marseillaise" on 544 Kcs. Strong carrier but modulation very poor (it always was). Static and low modulation prevented getting any kind of a report. This was on 11/10 and is reported by RM.

**ALASKA**--RHM passes on the information from the Seattle office of Aurora Broadcasters, Inc., that KJNO (630) Juneau, is now on the air on regular schedule. KABI (580) Ketchikan, is expected to be on about December first.

## SOUTH AMERICA

**COLOMBIA**--Only note from this continent this week is the continued good reception of the station on 675 Kcs. by JJ. This is that station we have identified as HJKA, Bogota. Full information is in last week's DIGEST.

## EUROPE

**GREAT BRITAIN**--"European Service" on 1295 (Ottringham) was heard for the first time this season by EC at 0200 on 11/11. He verified them last season by sending a "Curious" question-type letter asking questions about the station he heard. HH also began to get good re-

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ception from Europe on 11/13 and 14. He reports good reception from stations on 809, 881 both good until 0320. Also good were 908, 1052, 1088, and 1457. Stations on 1214 heard on 11/13 after 1800.

MONACO--EC advises that "Radio Monte Carlo" is coming in again around 0145. Harder this season due to WCMB.

SPAIN--"Radio Espana" on 737 puts a hetrodyne into Brooklyn, but nothing strong enough to log yet. CBL makes it hard with an 8-9 signal. This from EC. HH reports that his evening reception of this station is usually good. He also reports La Coruna on 701, but very hard to pull through WLW.

FRANCE--Paris I (863) heard as early at 1630 on 11/13. Also heard after 0100 on 11/14 with fair signals. Bordeaux I (1205) heard on 11/13 from 1600 on. Signals strong and crystal not needed. Marseille II (1376) heard in evening of 11/13 with good signals. Toulouse I (944) was a powerhouse and was heard as early as 1600. Also heard during the early morning of 11/14 with excellent signals. Was audible until 0230. 1403 stations heard both evening and morning but hard to pull through American mess on 1400. Nice I (1554) during early evening and poorly in early morning. (All France-HH)

GERMANY--NWDR stations on 1586 heard during evening. As late as 1900 and perhaps later. Stuttgart (1106) heard fairly well during most of evening. Munich (1196) suffering from jamming. Very little of program could be heard. Strong signals during most of evening. SWF stations on 1016, but suffering from heavy KDKA QRM. Signed off at 1810. (All from HH)

ITALY--ROME I (845) and Bologna II (1115) are heard well almost every evening. Bologna signs off at 1800 while Rome I seems to be a 24 hour station and is heard during the entire evening. (HH)

LUXEMBOURG--Luxembourg (1439) is heard as early as 1630 with good signals. (HH)

PORTUGAL--Good afternoon/early evening reception from this country with Lisbon I (919), Lisbon II (665), and CSB-2 (1034) all coming through. Lisbon II is the best. On morning of 11/14 a TA signal was noted suffering from severe QRM on 660 around 0230. May have been Lisbon. (Hank, Portugese usually don't come on as early as that-FV) (All from HH)

YUGOSLAVIA--One heard which HH believes to be Zagreb (1133) copied between 1719 and 1800 when it signed off with good to strong signals, but heavy side band QRM. Also QRM on channel from a Spanish speaker which HH thinks was probably EnJ-28.

NOTE--HH says that this very good reception certainly indicates to him that this will be one of the best TA years. He heard one on 962 Kcs., but didn't identify it. (Your best bet is Tunis-FV)

## AFRICA

ALGERIA--HH heard Constantin I (1142) on 11/13 with fair signals but severe WRVA QRM. This was early evening reception.

MOROCCO--Afternoon reception of Rabat II (1043) has been noted lately. On 11/13 signals were good. Usually poor to fair. (HH)

## ASIA

JAPAN--RHM reports reception of JOHG (990) Kagoshima at 0430 for his ninth and most distant Japanese. NHK call clearly heard, but QRM from KOMO tone on 1000 prevented logging for a report. (11/15) Roy asks if JONR (1010) is in Aschigawa? No, Roy, JONR (1010) is in Osaka. It is owned by the Asahi Broadcasting Co., and this may be what is confusing you. Is a commercial station with 10 Kw.

MALAYA--Kuala Lumpur, 10 Kw (675) English language, and 695 Kcs. in Chinese language both sign off at 1030 except that 675 Kcs. runs to 1100 Saturdays. This is "Radio Malaya". (Relayed from R&TVN by RM)

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COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES--DZAS (680), Far East Broadcasting Co., "The Call of the Orient", operates in Manila from 1600-0100 and from 0300-1200. DZST (860) "The Voice of the Catholic Philippines" with 1 Kw., in Manila, operates from studios at the University of Santo Tomas, Manila. (Both from R&TVN via RM)

## OCEANIA

HAWAII--EC says that his only Hawaiian so far this season has been KULA (690) on 11/11 around 0300. HH has heard him and also KPOA (630) and he comments that the past two weeks these two have only been putting local-like signals.

NEW ZEALAND--Only new station noted here is 3YA (690) Christchurch, which sometimes comes in after KULA signs off. It is weak and best around 0410, but usually gone by 0430. Peak of the fall season is pretty definitely past, and we will have to wait for spring for the "down-under" stations again.

## MYSTERY

EE asks about two stations this week. One is on 676 Kcs., and by now he will have known that this is HJKA, Bogota, Colombia, "Estacion Radio Nacional". His other one is on 795 Kcs., and was heard to around 0030. Latin-American type music, but not Cuban or Mexican. (The only possibility I can find in lists here is HIL, Ciudad Trujillo, R. D., whose frequency is listed as 790, but indicated as variable.)

JJ has two he wants identified for him. The first is 1195 Kcs. in Spanish. (We have one listed here, TIBB, Radio Central, San Jose, Costa Rica. Has 1 Kw.) His second is on 755 or 756 Kcs. (We have nothing listed on 755 although HW heard a station there about a year ago.)

## GENERAL

JJ commented in his letter about how good the National 183-D receiver is. He would like to hear from someone who is using one. He is using an HQ-129-X, himself and doing quite well with it. (John, I think Herb Campbell, R. D. 1, Athens, Penna., is using a 183-D). From HH's note, we learn that the selective service people didn't want him at this time, so he expects to continue through the season as a DX'er. Bad news to East Coast members in the Foreign Contest this season.

Further contest entries are in from Ernest R. Cooper and from Randy Hunt, so we have 14 East Coast contestants, 5 Central, and 5 West Coast. Looks like plenty of competition in all three leagues, and 24 entries is certainly the most we've had in recent foreign contests. Roy Millar gives notice that he will be the man to watch on the West Coast, for he tells me that he has 16 veries already from 4 countries. Contest entries should be in for the December 6th issue so should be in Lemoyne by Tuesday, December 2nd.

Don't forget to send in future reports for a deadline Tuesday evening. Reports next week go to Hotel Allen, Honesdale, Penna., then to Lemoyne for the rest of the season.

Try to keep your reports grouped according to continent and country, and please use one side of the page only.

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## INTERNATIONAL LOG

Holders of the International Log should make the following correction under Australia: 1590 Kcs. Remove the "Under construction symbol #1" from 480. The station is now on the air. (From Jack Fox)



THE TV-DXer

Edited by Hank Ward, 404 North 14th, Ponca City, Oklahoma

This column is barely a few months old but already it is very obvious that what TV DXers are MOST concerned with is what is being issued to whom. This is the slack season for TV DX and correspondence coming in to me is primarily concerned with action of the FCC in issuance of CPs for TV outlets. Without the necessary cross file system and ready information power, etc. is not handily available. Considerable research is going to be necessary to compile a log. The Haskett Brothers have a nice foundation started. I had not intended to compile one for publication or sale. However, if it is the member's pleasure and the Club's approval a complete log as of a certain date could be made available to the Club via this column during the slack season of 1953-54. I have at my disposal a SRDS publication AND Broadcasting magazine. The SRDS is not current and with the terrific number of stations being granted permits I do not think it advisable to attempt such a log at this time. If any of you are planning to undertake such a venture such as the BCB log published by Weyrich or the Mann Foreign Log, I do not wish to compete with those plans. But your letters do indicate a great desire for a log and it is understandable. But that the situation at this time is very, very fluid, it is not advisable to attempt it via this column, at this time. According to Broadcasting Magazine of November 10th the FCC has received 909 applications for TV CPs of which 98 have been granted. There are 112 commercial TV stations ON the air as of that issue date, Nov. 10th. For the information of all following is a list of the 98 stations granted CPs since the freeze:

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| WAKR-TV Akron, O. 49   | KROD-TV El Paso, Tex. 4                                |
| WRTV Albany, N. Y. 17*   | KTSM-TV El Paso, Tex. 9                                |
| KFDA-TV Amarillo, Tex. 10                                      | WSEE-TV Fall River, Mass. 46                           |
| KGNC-TV Amarillo, Tex. 4                                       | WCTV Flint, Mich. 28                                   |
| WPAG-TV Ann Arbor, Mich. 20                                    | WFTL-TV Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 23                        |
| WCEE Asbury Park, N. J. 58                                     | WITV Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. 17                           |
| WISE-TV Asheville, N. C. 62                                    | WFMD-TV Frederick, Md. 62                              |
| WPTV Ashland, Ky. 59   | KMJ-TV Fresno, Calif. 24                               |
| WFPG-TV Atlantic City, N. J. 46                                | Jacob A. Newborn, Jr., Gadsden, Ala. 21                |
| KCTV Austin, Tex. 18   | WHP-TV Harrisburg, Penna. 55                           |
| KIBC-TV Austin, Tex. 7   | WHYN-TV Holyoke, Mass. 55                              |
| KIVA Austin, Tex. 24   | KGMB-TV Honolulu, Hawaii 9                             |
| WAFB-TV Baton Rouge, La. 28                                    | KAMI-TV Honolulu, Hawaii 11                            |
| Booth Radio & Television Stations Inc., Battle Creek, Mich. 64 | KUHT Houston, Tex. 8*                                  |
| Associated Broadcasters, Inc., Bethlehem, Pa. 51               | WJTV Jackson, Miss. 25                                 |
| WQTV Binghamton, N. Y. 46*                                     | KFOR-TV Lincoln, Nebr. 10                              |
| WICC-TV Bridgeport, Conn. 43                                   | KOLN-TV Lincoln, Nebr. 12                              |
| WSJL Bridgeport, Conn. 49                                      | KRTV Little Rock, Ark. 17                              |
| WTVF Buffalo, N. Y. 23*  | Great Plains TV Properties, Inc., Little Rock, Ark. 23 |
| WCSC-TV Charleston, S. C. 5                                    | KUSC-TV Los Angeles, Calif. 28*                        |
| WOUC Chattanooga, Tenn. 49                                     | KCBD-TV Lubbock, Tex. 11                               |
| WTVT Chattanooga, Tenn. 43                                     | KDUB-TV Lubbock, Tex. 13 (On 11/13)                    |
| WCOS-TV Columbia, S. C. 25                                     | WVOD-TV Lynchburg, Va. 16                              |
| WNOK-TV Columbia, S. C. 67                                     | KSAC-TV Manhattan, Kansas 8*                           |
| KBTV Denver, Colo. 9 (On the Air)                              | MAC Massillon, Ohio 23                                 |
| KDEN Denver, Colo. 20  | WKAB-TV Mobile, Ala. 48                                |
| KFEL-TV Denver, Colo. 2 (On the Air)                           | WOOV-TV Montgomery, Ala. 20                            |
| Mountain States TV Co., Denver 26                              | WLBC-TV Muncie, Ind. 49                                |
| Great Plains Television Properties Inc., Duluth, Minn. 38      | WNBH-TV New Bedford, Mass. 28                          |
| WKAR-TV East Lansing, Mich. 60                                 | WKNB-TV New Britain, Conn. 30                          |
| Elmira Television, Elmira, N.Y. 24                             | WKST-TV New Castle, Pa. 45                             |
| KEBO-TV El Paso, Tex. 13                                       | WGTV New York City, N.Y. 25*                           |
|  | WEEK-TV Peoria, Ill. 43                                |

KPTV	Portland, Ore.	27	WSBT-TV	South Bend, Ind.	34
KCSJ-TV	Pueblo, Colo.	5	KHQ-TV	Spokane, Wash.	6
WETV	Raleigh, N.C.	28	KALY-TV	Spokane, Wash.	4
WROH	Rochester, N. Y.	21*	WWLP	Springfield, Mass.	61
WHTV	Syracuse, N. Y.	43*	KTIS-TV	Springfield, Mo.	10
WBEU-TV	Reading, Pa.	33	WHHH-TV	Warren, Ohio	67
WHUM-TV	Reading, Pa.	61	WATR-TV	Waterbury, Conn.	55
WROV-TV	Roanoke, Va.	27	White Television Co.,	Wichita Falls,	
WELS-TV	Roanoke, Va.	10		Tex.	22
WTVO	Rockford, Ill.	39	WBRF-TV	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	28
WKNX-TV	Saginaw, Mich.	57	WILK-TV	Wilkes-Barre, Pa.	34
KFEQ-TV	St. Joseph, Mo.	2	WNOW-TV	York, Pa.	49
WSUN-TV	St. Petersburg, Fla.	38	WSEA-TV	York, Pa.	43
KITO-TV	<del>San Bernardino</del> , Calif.	18	WFMJ-TV	Youngstown, Ohio	73
	Corr.: San Bernardino		WKDN-TV	Youngstown, Ohio	27
WKAQ-TV	San Juan, P.R.	2	WUW	Youngstown, Ohio	21
WGBI-TV	Scranton, Pa.	20			
WIVU	Scranton, Pa.	73			
Great Plains TV Properties, Inc.,			* Denotes stations granted CPs for		
Sioux City, Iowa 36			Educational Televising.		

To repeat, the foregoing is from the November 10th BROADCASTING magazine and are stations that HAVE been granted permits. You will note the UHF is predominant. Power, etc. was available on some, thanks to Len Kruse, but not published due to the irregularity of most of these stations on getting on the air. It was published in response to the members wanting to know what is going on in TV permit grants. It is also intended that the above list and the log published several months back will give members who do not now have TV an opportunity to survey what is happening in their possible searching over the TV outlet in their respective areas. We should bear in mind that as of November 10th there are still 811 applications pending with the FCC, so it would definitely appear that TV is fast arriving here to stay. About half of the foregoing permits are scheduled to be on the air by mid-1953. I talked with KOMA-TV recently and they do not yet have a permit but are ready to go when it is granted. All base installations are in. I would also appreciate your comments on the log possibility for say along in October or November of 1953, and if publication of it in the bulletin "for free" will conflict with any plans by any of the members. I frankly am not anxious for the extra work of compiling it, but will if nobody else is undertaking the effort. Also, if reports are heavy by that time due to number of stations on, space will not be available, so that is another thought to keep in mind. But this is all rather premature since I'm sure one of our more enterprising members is probably already planning to cash in on this need for a TV log. Hi.

Pete Taylor, P. O. Box 5068, Duke Station, Durham, N.C.: Great to see your column again in this week's DX News. I haven't done any TV DXing since I've been here, and will be unable to until we are allowed in the fraternity sections here, as they have TV sets, most of them. This will probably be in Feb. Is there in existence a list of all Central & South American TV stations? (Not even a U.S. Pete that is complete, ni. Ed) Barry's list had some Mexican, Brazilian & Cuban, but there must be a few more than that. I read recently that LRI-TV in Buenos Aires is on the air, but I don't remember which channel. Has it been verified that Italy is using the U.S. TV system? I read in the paper that 5000 U.S. TV sets were being shipped over there which leads me to that conclusion. (Not that I have heard Pete, maybe they're figuring on DXing our stations. Hi) TV-73s, and keep up the good work. (Thanks for the kind words and all I can say, "This is GOOD?" Ponca is pronounced Ponk-ah. Morss, your report next month, okay? S'long for now/

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