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"'DX News' is still eagerly awaited at this location and I hope the DX programs next season will be up to the standard of 1953-1954."

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| 910 C H R L Ex-1240. | 1330 K O V E Ex-1230. |
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| 1080 K T H S Now Little Rock, Arkansas | 1490 X E M S Matamoros, Tamaulipas |
| 1150 K G M C Ex-1220. | K E N E Toppenish, Washington |
| K C C T Corpus Christi, Texas | 1650 K E A R Now 10,000 U-4. |
| 1190 W O W O Now 50,000 U-2. | 1590 K A N N Sinton, Texas |
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Due to lack of space, we are holding some signers over to the next issue. Please keep them coming, placing them beneath your DX reports. Please make sure the names are spelled correctly. Thank you.

Musings of the MembersMurray Lamont - 22 Passmore Crescent - Dunedin N.W.1, New Zealand

Two more specials were logged to wind up the North American season - WAZF and WTAW. WAZF was a big surprise as 1230 was blocked by an Aussie but fortunately, Aussie was on news at 4 and WAZF had just the right program to come through. In the verie, Mr. Joel Netherland stated that he had received 31 reports from the States, one from Canada and mine. Other veries, WREV special who said 55 reports, one from Canada and four from New Zealand. WBAX special, nice letter. Mine is their most distant report. WEGS for a January 1949 report, no f/up was sent, and there was not a word of explanation in the letter; Radio Zagreb, KLUK special, WKAM KVI KTIM special, KGGF WGBA CJRL WONW special, KGCU KCID WCMB 3MA KVRB KCSB and VOA-Okinawa 1180. Other loggings were KFSG WAJF, heard testing while trying for WMOG special, WAFB KEMB Bratislava 1097, 3NE, Nice I-1554, Strasbourg 1277, KLIF 480 Yugoslavia-1268, Tisana-1358 and Radio Luxembourg-1439. Total veries from 33 countries, 865. "DX News" is still eagerly looked for at this location and I hope the DX programs next season will be up to the standard of 53-54. 73.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livernore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

DXing almost nil here, however, acting on tips from Ron Schiller I added WASL 810, WPGC 1580 and stumbled on KESH 900 with its third Sunday f/c 5/16 2:00-2:15 EST, this adding a few to my heard log the past week. Only two recent veries to report, WHWD and KEYI, the latter 16 months after reported, and without a f/up. J.J. Paul Smith signed it and explained he's the new CE at that Provo, Utah, station and is very interested and anxious for DX reports and is going to answer all the unanswered ones since December 1952. He seems like a prospective member and a good bet for a DX if only clearance could be arranged on 1450, next winter. 5/3 at 3:00 I heard Cole Porter tunes and weak identity on 850 - think it was CKKD again. 5/11, WASL heard back of WGY at 5:15 with its daily s/on program. 5/16, KESH, 900, almost in the clear at 2:00, as they put on their monthly f/c. WPGC was as loud as WTOP ever was at 5 a.m. on, and can be heard each Sunday.

Croton DX Club - 48 Morningside Drive - Croton-on-Hudson, New York

Hi fellows. This is your new Croton DX Club Corresponding Secretary. At our last meeting we had election of officers. Officers elected are President Ken Maylath, Vice President Peter Hanson, Secretary-Treasurer Alex Mackenzie, Corresponding Secretary, Donald Chadeayne. The latest veries are the following: CMOX 2NX WBGH WFRP WSTA WENH WKAM KSNM KERC KSIS KLO HI3T KLIF VP4ND WRNC WABA WMGA CHWK WRVA XELO WGTB KFDA YVKS WHIS WJBY WMGA WAKE WKEN WDEF WBTA. Now for the loggings. 4/10- WKHH (570) s/off 12:05. WGBG (1400) s/off 12:41. 4/19 - GFOS (1470) NNRC DX very good. CKVD (1230) NNRC DX fairly well. KTYL (1310) r/c 2:00. WDEF (1420) r/c 4:42. 4/20- WCNC (1240) s/off 11 p.m. 4/24 - WJPF (1340) r/s 1:50. WMSA (1340) DX for NEC came in fine with plenty of technical info being given. KDIM (1360) off f/c 3:20. Well, that's that. The 24th of April, Ron Schiller came and visited us at the Croton DX Club. After a little while we took Ron for a little ride up to WLNA where we went on the air for 15 minutes. The program was all about DXing. Near the end of the program we had a little game of "Twenty Questions." The subject was a radio station some place in the U. S. The station was KNBI in Broken Bow, Neb. After the program we went back to Croton. We are very sorry that Hal Williams and Lefty couldn't make it. A couple of weeks ago one of our members, Peter Hanson, our Vice-President went up to Buffalo and met Ray (Pop) Edge, Ralph Johannes, and Carroll Seth. The reason that Don Roller got a refusal is because he didn't give any information in his letter. So long, good DXing, and 73s.

Harry J. Hibbard - 21 Willard Street - New Bedford, Massachusetts

(forwarded to Brooklyn by Pop Edge) Here's one thing I would appreciate - have put in the club bulletins every two or three months or so, the names of the sets used and types and directions of antennas of some of our top DXers on the foreign standard broadcast bands. I have gone nuts on this type of reception but I'll be darned if I can pull one in with my Hallicrafter S-40-A with an RME DB-22-A preselector. So, before another DX season rolls around this set has "gotta go." Now my reason for asking for the info is that I will be on the market for a new set and I don't want to go out and spend \$300 to \$400 for a set for this type of reception and get stuck. I am sure some of the others in the market for new sets would appreciate this info too. I belong to three other radio clubs that publish this info from time to time. When I send in reports I always name the set, name and type of antenna, if a TV report, whether I used a booster or not - complete info for club members. (Welcome to NR, Harry!)

Pvt. Marvin E. Robbins - U.S. 55419560 - Fort Hood, Texas

All my BCB activity comes now to a screeching halt, at least for the time being. A few days before I was to leave Camp Gordon, I had to send my NC-283 along with most of my logs home. I graduated on May 5 from the Southeastern Signal School and was sent immediately to Camp Chaffee, Ark., for re-assignment, then on to this station. I think my BCB verie total now stands at 214 with quite a few out. A change of station always brings a delay in mail, consequently no QSLs have been received within the last couple of weeks. The last one to come in was WWNS, Statesboro, Ga. Letter report to WHOC-1430, Covington, Ga. returned marked "Out of business", yet heard them same day I mailed report. Did I get them on their last day of broadcasting? (They're now WGEF - Ed.) Any DXers down here in this part of the country? Thanks a million, fellows, for the reports to WBGE. The manager, Mr. Henry W. Lanham, was very well pleased and wants another DX program this next winter. So far WBGE has heard from 17 states and one Canadian province. Of course, we were limited tremendously by KMYR's being on in the West, plus KSPC testing at 3:45, also WHED on from 3:15 to 3:45. A few other testers also reported, such as KRUX and KCMJ. Despite bad electrical storms over the Midwest, the signal reached that region fairly well according to the reports. Again, thanks a million for the fine reports. As soon as I can get things organized down here, I hope to get my small radio sent here. Hope everyone has a nice spring and summer. Wow, is it ever hot here already! Beat 73.

Pete L. Jacobson - 5217 South Portland Avenue - Minneapolis 17, Minnesota

Hi again fellows and gals. More veries. WBER 2/3/52 6 a.m. EST, 1330, 5,000 watts, network none. "A broadcasting service, announcing Jehovah's Kingdom, the Watchtower Station, studios, 124 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn 2, N.Y., phone MAin 5-1240." WBER sent me a verified reception stamp. This type is very few and far between, don't you agree? WGBA card in envelope 4/18/52, studios and transmitter, Bainbridge Road, Cairo, Ga. f/c 3:45-4 a.m. third Friday every month, 790 kc/s., ABC, 1,000 watts. KVOG, 5/2/52, 1230 kc/s. ABC, 250 watts. f/c first Friday 2:30-2:45 MST with Commercial Monitoring Co. in Kansas City, Mo. "Your report was the second one we received on our May 2 f/c, the first coming from Spokane, Wash. Every month we receive quite a few DX reports and appreciate hearing from you fellows. The month before (April) we received our second report in as many years from Mr. Keith Rowinson, Kapuka No. 5 R.D.; Invercargill, New Zealand. We are 250 unlimited time, use Gates Radio Company, 250 watt broadcast transmitter, direct crystal control. Last radio stage, two 125-watt RCA 810s for high level modulation. Antenna, 150' uniform cross section, guyed, series excited, vertical radiator. Ground system consists of 120 radials 200 feet long with 12' radius copper ground screen. Our regular broadcast day is scheduled from 6:30 a.m. to 12:30 midnight MST seven days a week. Sometimes this will vary some and we have stayed on all night for something like election returns. This was the first report that we have ever received from Minneapolis, however, about a year ago we did hear from Hill City, Minn." Address, "The Voice of Casper" P.O. Box 2090, Central Wyoming's ABC Station, Owned by KVOG Broadcasting Co. Oil Capital of the Rocky Mountains, Casper, Wyo. WROX, 11/12/51 1:30-1:45 CST, also verie for 2/12/51. WROX networks, the mid-South Network, MBS, 1450-250. WROX's other affiliates are WROX WYAG WELQ WROB WROX. All are affiliated with each other. WROX studios in WROX building, National Representative Sears and AYR Inc., Associate Press-KBS Network. WROX, Clarksdale, Miss. Have you ever logged one of those 20 watt pick-up booster stations in Canada and if so how did you go about it? I have tried for years with no luck whatsoever. I wonder if it is possible at all from the United States? Has anyone done the impossible? I have tried just everything here and I have come up with nothing. If any are interested in ham radio, let me know.

Harold E. Schrock - R.R.#1 - Paxton, Illinois

4/5, CKX WBGE-dx WHED-dx heard OK. All have verified. No important BCB DXing since this date. Some SW DX however. Noticed XESC 15205 kc/s. relaying XEMC. Veries trickle in slowly. Too late for contest came veries from KWWO & KTIB. Most recent veries are foreign, some of the latest being 7EX JOQC JOCB JOHK 2NX 2KO 4BC WORA 2XG XSLV K8IS. Read in papers that WKID, 1580, Urbana, Ill. is being sold to ZPIG. The transaction is subject to approval of FCC. Call letters of WKID date back to June 28. The station was sold to Snyder * Philippe Nov. 1951. This area is TV crazy now that Ch. 3 WCIA Champaign Ill. is operating. I do not own a TV set but have logged some stations at my folks' home in Pontiac, Ill. Verie from KEYV from new Chief Engineer J. Paul Smith for old report.

Mike Ferguson - 3337 Prospect Street - Houston 4, Texas

Realize that the summer editions of "DX News" need reports to keep 'em going so I thought I'd send in a few lines of rumblings. Of course no DX to report except a few on TV which don't belong here. Veries continue to straggle in one at a time. Latest are a standard ABC card from 3IO and a mimeographed letter from WORA, signer Reinaldo H. Dupont, AM. Also nice letter from WJAR, apologetic for not answering sooner, although they did sign and return my prepared card. Have sent f/ups to QAXAA Lille-1376, Monte Carlo-1466 and ZEM-1, giving it one more try, but I don't have much hope. Report to Tangier-935 drew a blank and so another fling at it. Want that one very much. I'm still trying to wrangle a way to get to Buffalo in September and would surely enjoy it. Will be in Ohio, only 300 miles from Buffalo, in mid-August but that won't do much good. Like to say thanks to Hank Tyndall for a fine letter and very interesting. Seems that he just DXes circles around the rest of us looking at ABC card from 3IO and noted that 5AL-1530 is listed in the Northern Territory, rather than South Australia as stated in the International Log. Well, I've filled up 19 lines so will yield to someone with more to say. 73s.

Rufe Linton - Route 1 - Elizabeth City, North Carolina

DX very slow here with reports going only to such as WPGS 1580, WDOV 1410, WCRE 1420, WMLV 1440, WKSB 930 and WDEL 1150. All verified with exception of WDEL. WDOV very prompt after previous reports not answered. WMLV heard here all day. WKSB, Milford Del. started last October 30. Charles V. Lundstedt, Co-Owner and operations director surprised at the continued interest of DXers in these days. Was active in DX in 1922-1930. Will be glad to DX next season if DXers can be notified in advance. Will write and explain that he can get plenty of publicity. Nice letter from WJNO for report of March. New GE found report and verified promptly. Sent f/up to WFEA for report of last December with prepared card and received very nice letter. Under new management, now a Bahall station, will verify 100%. WHXY on station memorandum, report also lost temporarily. KLO for last October, report mis-filed. Nice cards from 2KO 1410, 2QN 1520 and regular ABC card from 4QB 910. There are about 20 odd other reports that must also be lost or mis-filed, such as KFGT WLYN YSDF WATT WGTA and KSCB to mention a few.

Everett Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Hi, fellows. No DXing being done to speak of here at this den. Some veries in since the 10th of May are letters from KICD-1240 KODY-1240 WZ-1050 WJAY-1280 WFRL-1570 WCBS-880 WCAZ-990 WLAY-1450 WNEI-1110 WNGN-1050 WRMN-1410 WCRD-820 WKAN-1320. QSLs are from WJLB-1400 and KAUS-1480. Very disappointed when I found out that I could not get the Labor Day off to be with you fellows at the Williamsville Convention. Maybe another year. Total veries, 688. Hoping for 700 in June. WFRL veries states they are on f/c the 4th Wednesday but no time given. Will send this a little early as I am going on my first week of vacation the 12th of this month going into Missouri to the Ozarks. Has anyone heard from Smitty, our Florida friend? Thanks to Lowell, Hal Williams, and Marv Robbins for their nice letters. Best DX and will try to send more next month. 73s.

Don Roller - Route #1 - Dupont Road - Fort Wayne 8, Indiana

May proved to be a more profitable month for DX here. A total of 32 new stations were logged. Static had been at a minimum most of the time during May. Here is a list of my more recently logged stations. 5/19 - WKIG (730) testing at 3:55 a.m.; WJTM (1240) s/on at 4:45. 5/21 - KABR (1220) f/c at 1:45; WTLS (1300) ET under WERE at 2:03 $\frac{1}{2}$; KSIO (1230) f/c at 2:06; KTLN (1280) RS at 2:38; WEVE (1340) f/c at 2:49 $\frac{1}{2}$; and WJME (1240) f/c (?) at 3:13. 5/22 - CKOM (1420) s/off at 2:05; KEUN (1450) f/c at 2:50, and KDLN (1360) f/c at 3:07. 5/24 - CFRA (560) RS at 3:05 with WIND off the air. Is CFRA all night? (Yes - Ed.) Also heard on 5/24 was the new KAVR (960) ETing with a fine signal at 4:26. 5/25 - KCLS (1360) testing at 3:22, and WIPC (1280) testing at 3:48 $\frac{1}{2}$. 5/27 - WJOB (1230) is right here in Indiana, but it took me all these years to log it finally, on this date, with a 5:01 $\frac{1}{2}$ s/on. 5/31 - The new WADP (1590) was heard ETing at 3:09. 6/5 - Another new one - this time KDBC (1360) ETing at 2:00. KSIG (1450) was also logged at 3:28 on a f/c. 6/6 - WBNY (1250) formerly WSKB was on nearly all night with a special program. 6/7 - Still another new one! KMBC (1430) ETing at 2:30. Static has picked up considerably in June but as usual I will continue to DX. Veries lately - WROB and KEMW. Boy are they ever slow in coming! I have 23 reports that are still unanswered. Do any of you have an SX-71? I would like to know how it works on BCB. 83s.

Ralph Johanne - 72 East Genesee Street - Buffalo 3, New York

Mace 1390 varies with KPIG (1450) v/1 by Bob Gersuch and Al Morris, CE, and they use the old KWCR equipment; KEYD (1440) mentions that their TV on Ch. 9 should be in operation by first of year. The June 30 solar eclipse will be for 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ hours and nothing like it again till 2151, as 3000-mile path will go from Nebraska to Pakistan. They still have elections in various states, but Lefty didn't publish the list I sent him. In the line of stamps, June 24 will see Liberty Stamp's "Sister" a 3¢ also and will be available in books of one and two dozen; July 12 in Rochester N.Y. will see the 3¢ George Eastman and July 28 Sioux City Ia. will have the Lewis and Clark commemorative 3¢. I see Maguire, Cohen, Gersuch, Allen and Botzum became new NARC VPs and so maybe the two clubs will become a little better acquainted. You DXers order your new coming "Broadcasting Stations of the Americas and the West Indies" issue of 1954-1955 log book for \$1.25 from Carroll Weyrich at 2800 Alden Road, Baltimore 14, Maryland. The new Canadian Station Booklet (25¢) is also available from Department of Transport in Ottawa, Ont. See you all at the NRC Convention.

Jim Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, Cal.

Anybody coming to Southern California this summer? If so, be sure to drop in and see me any evening or weekend. Labor Day plans are the same as in previous years; open house for all DXers. Just let us know if you are coming, and if you need accommodations. Stations heard that are new to me here since the report of May 2 are: 129C KDMS on 2nd Monday f/c TT as listed; 1390 KYAK at 3:00 s/off Monday, 2/10; KGER not all-nighting now; 900 CJVI at 3:30 same AM (KXW not all-nighting either). 790 KWIL from 1240 on Oregon ER 5/22; also 1240 KWRC on ER. 960 KAVR now on RS; 730 KBOY on test May 29; 1280 KTLN from 1150 on 5/30 until 4 a.m. 1490 KDMD on first Tuesday listed f/c. 1490 KEENE said f/c 3:40 to 3:50, heard Thursday, 6/10. 920 KGAL from 930 on second Thursday listed f/c behind KRAM's f/c same period. Reports out since May 2 to June 11 to 26 stations, as follows: 610 KWIE, 730 KBOY, 740 KPHM, 900 CJVI, 910 KVAN, 920 KGAL KRAM and KKLY, 960 KAVR, 990 KLIR and KSVF, 1080 KWJJ, 1230 KHEW and KRIZ, 1240 KRXL and KWRC, 1280 KNAK and KTLN; 1290 KINY, 1360, KMO, 1370 KAST, 1440 KMED, 1470 KELA, and 1490 KEENE KVOG and KKRA. Varies from 570 KUTA, 610 CJAT, 620 KPAR, 730 KBOY and WLIL, 900 CJVI, 920 KKLY, 950 KSEL, 960 KAVR, 1230 GKIM KRIZ, 1240 KRXL KWRC, 1320 GKNW, 1360 KMO, 1370 KHEW, 1460 KEYY, 1470 GROS, and 1490 KVOG and KKRA, 1080 KWJJ, 1290 KINY and 1440 KMED. Many thanks to Roy Haller for the very good Far West Section the past season; hope it can be continued. 73s to all. PS - Three more varies in morning mail, KWJJ, KINY and KMED.

Joe Brauner - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville 21, New York

DXing has hit the yearly low as usual in this area, and should begin the slow return to better signals in a few weeks. Since the last report only these new ones have been added: WPGC, 1580, RS s/on at 5 a.m. weekdays, thanks to tip from Ron Schiller; WMGH, 1260, heard through WCRF on a Sunday morning, 5/30, at 4:45 a.m. WCRF was on RS, WMGH may have been testing. WZNY, 1250, all night Cancer special on 6/6. That's Had a puzzling one on the morning of 6/5, all-French program on 1320 kc/s., loud as CKOY, ended at 3:50 a.m., with usual Canadian closing anthems, no ID heard in either French or English. My log does not show a French Canadian on this spot, doubt if CJCH would be on a French program - Montreal was mentioned several times. (CJSO, See-ell -Ed.) Nothing much heard otherwise of unusual interest, KCMC, 1150 was heard on 5/23 (Sunday) at 4:15 a.m. with what he said was regular f/c. 900 continues clear of strong ones after 2:00 and it's a treat to hear such as CKBI, etc. again. Also one back of WWJ on 950 all morning - is this WZNY Sounds like it here. It was not KIM that I heard, but a W call. (Yes, WZNY is now 24 hours -Ed.) Checked planned WNIA site recently and still no sign of activity there. A drive via return cards on a few of the oldest delinquents netted a few. WPRF WJMB WBTO WMBB WAGG, also WBTO's own card. Other varies came from KEYY WPGC WPRO WHVE KSFO letters, and station card from KVRH and WBEU. Hope everyone is enjoying a pleasant summer and that we may see many of you here come Labor Day weekend. 73.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

By the time this is read, June will be nearly past and most DXers will be awaiting the fall season for the hot weather and daylight saving time is not conducive to good DXing. My activities here DX wide have been practically nil - only logged WENK (1240) Union City, Tenn. f/c TT 3:20-3:30. First time heard since report sent but not verified 10/18/49. Varies also have been very slow in spite of a number of f/up: WBSU (1280) folded QSL card view of TV studio and picture of test pattern on Ch. 6 with RGB veris on reverse side. Report out since May '49. WBBB (920) (con'd, P. 7)

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(Hal Williams, con'd from P. 6) QSL card for 1/30/54 report, WTNC (790) sent letter for 12/16/52 report without a f/up, hi! Letter back in 14 days from WABA (1240), quickest verie ever from Puerto Rico; WHEU (960) sent QSL card, WEKY (1340) letter for 1/4 ET and a duplicate letter from KBBS (1410). They have a new CE and a letter from WENK (1240) so another old one in the fold, hi! Well, the 1954 election is over and I want to thank everyone who voted and especially those who heeded the request to list your names in alphabetical order. Only 66.86% of our eligible members voted while last year 73.07% voted. I wonder what happened to the other 33%? Each year we do everything to try and make it very easy to vote, but your officers' and editors' pleas evidently fall on deaf ears. Your executive secretary will have complete results in the "DX News" as soon as possible. May you all enjoy a pleasant summer and be full of pep and start off the 1954-1955 DX season. Incidentally any of you DXers who may be touring through New England, remember the welcome mat is always out for all DXers at all times. 73.

Len Kruse - 818 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

Today's high temperature was an even 90° in Iowa's Key City, Dubuque, so DX is really out of the question. The past month, however, I did try my luck on several occasions and have come up with three brand new stations. On 5/22 the new WTIS (1300) Tallassee, Ala., was logged at 3:13 a.m., but with some interference from all-night station WENE. The new 5 kw. daytimer, KAVR (960) Apple Valley, Cal. was heard on 5/24 at 3:15 a.m. in the clear. And the third new station was WADP (1590) Kane, Pa. on ETs at 3 a.m. According to the record, some 30 brand new stations have taken the air in the past two months and I have logged only a very small percentage of them, so we'll have a number to try for come next DX season. My last ten verification letters, in the past month, came from WBTO KVLB WEKY KVBC CHED WXOK WMCH WRIC WGRB KAVR. It might interest DXers that the first U.S. station to operate on the 540 spot is WRIC, Richards, Va. using 1 kw. power, daytime only. Began broadcasting on this new frequency in mid-May (ex-1050).

Ben Patch - 530 Sunset Road - Winnetka, Illinois

Attention! Note above address. I am back home from college so I thought I'd better let you know. Have done almost no DXing since March 29 when I got WMTS. However did snag WERO WDEC WLX KNDC in April and WTIS in Tallassee, Ala. in May on an ET. Only veries have been KNDC WERO KERC WEKY and WTNC. Needless to say I have gotten a few oldies in such as WLOX out from 2/52 to 2/54 and WTNC 12/52 to 5/54. I got a form from them, Sid. My f/up to them was out almost a year so miracles do happen. Well, I see Charleston, Ill. got their CP. Sorry I did not get to see Harold Schroed in Paxton or Jack Hathaway in Rantoul but never was able to stop to see you. I will try to make an effort next year. Thanks a lot for the cards so I know where I can find you. I am trying to find a job at another radio or TV station here this summer but as yet have no leads. My total of verifications has crawled to the 869 mark so I think I can make an easy 950 by next September. First night home I heard CKOM in Saskatoon on 1420. Sure are a lot of permits about to get on the air. Well, I hope I can submit a long report of new stations for the July and August issues. See you.

Pat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

Veries are WHEU KOVE WNNJ 2NX KNCK WEKY KYAK KTLN WKMF WSSC WHAK. 5/8 - KMYC and CMKO overriding WING, 1410, at 1:40. KIT, 1280, at 2:50. WJPG, 1440, test at 1:40. 5/10 - KMHL, 1400, regular f/c. Unknown Nebraskan on 1450 with ET at 2:15 to 2:29. KBAN, 1450, at 3:00. KAWT, 1450, f/c at 3:10 for T & T in Long Beach. KHON, 1380, copied 3:30 to 3:45 and decent signal. Unknown Spanish speaker back of KENO at 2:00, no call deciphered at all. 5/11 - KIPM, 1390, test at 3:30 with KSIM and one sounding like KTUD on ET until WFBL came on at 4:00. KOVE, 1330, f/c is each last Friday, 3:00-3:15. They held a f/c on 1330 to go on 1330 May 15. 5/13 - WDUZ, 1420, a new line at 1:30. 5/14 - KFJB, 1230, f/c at 2:27. KYAK, 1390 at 2:55. KNCK, 1390, test at 3:09 for two new ones. 5/15 - WALK, 1370, at 3:09 saying 1570 kc/s. WYVE, 1280, test at 3:32. 5/16 - KXLF, 1370, all-night fishing show. KTLN, 1280, at 3:14 for two new ones. 5/17 - WTIS, 1300, on ET at 2:14 and WSSC, 1240, f/c at 3:0 for two new ones. 5/18 - WKMF, 1470, all-nighter, sent new report, never answered three others. 5/19 - Several Pennsylvania ER stations on. Unknown on 1380 after 2 with KOTF sounded like KERE. 5/20 - KMOD atop WKAT, 1350, at s/off. WBOY, 1470, at 2:16. 5/23 - HJGZ, 710, very good at 1:50. WHAK, 960 at 2:01, a new one. 5/25 - KOVE, 1330, ET at 2:15. 5/26 - KOVE again on ET at 3:32. 5/28 - WLX, 1270, f/c heard 2:50 to 2:40 for second report. 6/2 - KIJV, 1340, f/c at 3:14 for new one. (con'd on P. 8)

(Pat Reilly, con'd from P. 7) 5/5 - Unknown ET atop WKAT, 1360 for several days, no call heard. 5/6 - Unknown Guatemalian on 930, gave "La Voz de Central America" a lot, 1:50 to after 2:30. WENY, 1250, at 2:49 for new one. Couldn't find this 930 one in Foreign Digest reports. Have been playing around with no ground or antenna. You'd be surprised what you can pick up - try it some time! See youse all in Williamsville come Labor Day weekend, God willing.

Charlie Conley - 358 Market Street - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania

Was pleased no end to receive notification this past week from our genial Executive Secretary of my re-election to our Board of Directors, thanks to you good people! And not a cigar was handed out, nor a baby kissed! DXing being what it is these days, no reports have gone out since May 6. That was to WLNH 1350, on one of their initial ETs with increased power. Kind of station I go for. Asked repeatedly for reports and, like 1952 on their NNRC DX, no verie. Sent a f/up on '52 special, so I guess they are firm in deciding not to verify. (How about it, Hal Kemp?) Only veries since last edition were from WJSA and GFOS, both on DXes. Verie from CMK 1190, was received too late to report last month here, but caught Fred WV's column. They seem to be the first Cuban appreciating and quickly verifying reports. My verie inquired where I obtained their address, and I, in view of their prompt verie, wrote another letter giving my source as the Weyrich Log. Mentioned that they undoubtedly would be receiving more reports from DXers. Had a nice thank-you letter back in a week! A rough check shows 104 verifications added to the log this past season, bringing my total to 1,163. Of this number, more than 50 were the sole result of the excellent schedule arranged by Sid and his CPE, and most of them were, for me, really catches! HDG HQJB 4VYM (YSDF, even though they haven't veried, including f/up) KIJ WGGG CJGX, etc. Only five hold-outs on reports to our DXes - WJMB YSDF WAAB WJBY and KFGT, plus 14 on f/c, ET or ES, a total of 19, which is not a bad average for me. And, just think! As of today, 6/13, 12 weeks from today we should be getting ready to line up for some of the delicious food Marty and Joe Brauner put out. And who will be at the head of the chow line? Humph! Here's a clue - bet he'll have a bottle of cold - er - refreshment in one hand, and a wild, wild shirt on. Give up? Answer will be found 9/8 in the Brauner's south 40 acres - come see for yourself! (Warning to R. Cooper, and Sullivan, watch out for Seth! Understand that now that he is a native New Yorker, he is out to veto any and all motions, such as four nines equal 36, or three bullets are worth something, made by us members of the Debating Society from Pennsylvania.) Hope to see y'all at the scene of action - Buffalo! Formal dress with side arms!

Ernie Matherly - 2630 Jefferson Avenue - Cincinnati 19, Ohio

I have a complaint! Why is it a DXer will write his column up so nicely, include every station logged, also the date, time and program that was on when logged; list every verie received for the past month and whether it was a letter or QSL card and give a dozen or so little tidbits (all interesting reading) using up 30 or more lines of space, then saying he wishes he could say more or "must save some for next time" or words to that effect. Then I come along and skim over the column in "DX News" at about 900 WPH, spot several stations in his "veries received" part that I would like to know the v/s for, but lo and behold when I look at the v/s column I don't find one single solitary v/s by this person. My point is if he can write a big 30 or more line column saying at the end "I wish I could write more" or words to that effect why can't he tap out a few names for the v/s list? By the way I am not talking about one person, but a dozen or so.

Robert E. Cooper II - 1016 Sunnybrook Drive - Lafayette, California

Brother, have the condx ever gone a tinko! In four AMs of listening not one station with a W call was heard with the exception of the 50 kw. jobs. Even the Pacific condx have dropped out, as only two Aussies, two New Zealands and one Jap heard. I entered the California State Science Fair and took a first place with an exhibit on TV DX. That's about what I've been doing for the past three weeks. In eight AMs of listening I have heard 237 stations but my verified log now stands at 1, hi. Yep, my first verie came May 7 from CKOV. I want to welcome a new member to the group, namely Romn deMent of Ithaca, N.Y. Romn and I used to be neighbors and used to be the greatest rivals you ever saw when it came to logging radio stations. Although I have more stations than he at the present time I have logged them from two locations and he's logged his 62 from one. Heard lately: 5/1 ZYC-660, KDAL-610, KPUY-1450, KGIM-1, KWIL-790 XESM-1470 5/2- KWOR ET 1490, CMCF-910, 3L)-770 JOEB-830 3GI-860 and KCON. ?

Carl S. Pendergrass - 1510 Lexington Road - Chattanooga 5, Tennessee

Hi fellows; Hope you all are having better DX than I. When I finally talk myself into getting up, all I can get is static. Only new ones are WKMF (1470), WLBW (1590) I got ambitious the other day and sent out about 30 reports. I've got v/l's from KJIM WRFC CKBW WKMF WJAR WBGR WHED KTAG WLBW WBSW WOW WSAF XGA WKTN and WORK. Also v/cs from KHKD WBRN and KAJ. Any of you unlucky creatures like me going to summer school? The last issue of "White's" listed WAGC-1450 here in Chattanooga on 1560 with 10,000 and WDXB-1490 at 1450. Well, they have applied, but don't know when they will get it. I don't know why "White's" listed it. I went down to Jacksonville Easter to see my sister and got to meet Emitty. I didn't have much time, and we only got to talk about 20 minutes. Surely enjoyed meeting him. Hope to meet Scooter this summer, when he goes to camp. I've got to go to Fort McClellan again this summer with the National Guard. Any of you other members in the Guard? I've got to go listen to the Lookouts beat New Orleans (I hope). Hope you all have a good summer and if any of you are down south, drop in and see me. 73s.

J. Warren Routzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania

Just taking it easy around here and sleeping instead of DXing. Last attempt was May 21 and found it rather noisy. Heard WSFC-1240 on test at 2:15, WWJ-950 all nighter making KJMN difficult but got enough and they replied. WRNL-910 was testing up to 3:30. Veries were received from WREU WESC XEAA WTIK WRIC KSGM KLIK KJMN WPGC WKYR. WPGC-1580 is a daytimer here but noisy. WKYR was result of a f/up sent to the WHAR address and came back stamped with the WHAR stamp and marked verified. This right on the report addressed to WKYR so it would be a varie but not much of a prize. I'll probably send some f/ups yet and wait for cool weather for DXing. Hope you all enjoy the summer.

FORMAL OR INFORMAL? EBBIE MATHERLY SAYS THIS:

"While reading on Page 2 of the May 15th issue of "DX News" I note that you asked for the NRG members' opinions of whether it is more correct to address radio station personnel formally or informally in our first letter to them, no matter how they sign their name in letters to others. In my opinion, which is harmonious with yours I believe, we should never in our first letter, address the person we are writing informally. In our second letter (if any) I believe it would be all right to address the person we are writing informally IF the person signs his or her name informally, and IF too great a time has not elapsed since the receipt of his or her letter. In addressing the envelope we should never, but NEVER address it informally. Incidentally I believe "Mr. Joseph Blow" to be more correct than "Joe Blow" when used to address an envelope or in the heading of a letter."

Anybody else have any views on this subject? Ed.

ON THE STATION'S STATIONERY - KEYY

Dear Sid (Rosenbaum)

"We wish to thank you for the letter of Jan. 24, 1953 and wish to verify your report of reception. The reason for this late reply to you is that I have recently been installed as the new Chief Engineer at KEYY and wish to make a complete survey of all the DXers that have heard KEYY since December 1952. We hope you will try to pick up our station and would appreciate any information on this matter that you can give us. We hope to continue being your friend in Utah."

Sincerely, (signed) J. Paul Smith, C.E., KEYY, 1450, Provo, Ut.

CORRECTIONS FROM LAST ISSUE BY LEN KRUSE

In list of "Heard Since Last Issue" -

1450 - Should be KCSR, Chadron, Nebraska, not KSCR.

1450 - Should be CJMT, Chicoutimi, Quebec, and not CJMR. Thanks, Len!

NEXT ISSUE JULY 17

We would like to have a DX report from all of you who may be doing summertime DXing to keep "DX News" up to its winter standard as much as is possible. Also, we call to your attention that for these summer issues, Pop Edge has requested we advance the deadline by one day all around. Accordingly, the Brooklyn deadline for this July issue will be Tuesday, July 13, rather than Wednesday, July 14. We have followed Pop's request in doing this issue, too, so we wish to apologize to anyone who may have sent a report reaching here on Wednesday, June 16. It will, of course, be in the July issue. Please remember, gang, to double space your reports, and to forgo those abbreviations which we do not use as standard in "DX News." It makes it a lot easier on your editor. Won't you all please comply? Almost all of you do now!

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F. C. C.

| NEW STATIONS | | | | NEW CALLS | | | |
|--------------|-----------------------------|---------|-------------|-----------|-----------|------|-------------------------|
| 600 | Monterrey, N. L. | 500D1 | 250/200 U-1 | 1050 | K A N V | | Shreveport, Louisiana |
| 690 | Monterrey, N. L. | | 250/200 U-1 | 1240 | K L T Z | | Glasgow, Montana |
| 810 | Nogales, Sonora | | 500 D-1 | 1280 | G J M S | | Montreal, Quebec |
| 880 | Guaymas, Sonora | | 250 D-1 | 1370 | K G F T | | Grafton, North Dakota |
| 900 | Yakima, Washington | | 250 D-1 | 1400 | K S E W | | Sitka, Alaska |
| 920 | Ensenada, Baja California | | 250 D-1 | 1420 | W W K O | | Ashland, Kentucky |
| 980 | Gainesville, Florida | 5,000 | D-3 | 1430 | W R C D | | Dalton, Georgia |
| 1070 | North Vancouver, B. C. | 1,000 | U-3 | 1450 | X E T D | | Tecuala, Nayarit |
| 1170 | Nogales, Sonora | | 250 D-1 | 1490 | W J S B | | Crestview, Florida |
| 1230 | Grangeville, Idaho | | 250 U-1 | | K B R B | | Broken Bow, Nebraska |
| 1240 | Cheboygan, Michigan | | 250 U-1 | | | | |
| 1270 | Nogales, Sonora | 250/100 | U-1 | | | | |
| | Naples, Florida | | 500 D-1 | 630 | K New | Old | |
| | Charleston, Illinois | 1,000 | D-3 | 630 | K G D N | KEDM | Edmonds, Washington |
| 1280 | Jacksonville, Florida | 1,000 | D-1 | 950 | K I M N | KFEL | Denver, Colorado |
| 1400 | London, Kentucky | | 250 U-1 | 1110 | X E R C N | XEQB | Mexico, D.F. |
| 1420 | Plymouth, Wisconsin | | 500 D-1 | 1400 | K O N I | KBLR | Phoenix, Arizona |
| 1430 | Aurora, Colorado | 1,000 | D-1 | | | | |
| 1450 | Stuart, Florida | | 100 U-1 | | | | |
| 1490 | Redwood Falls, Minnesota | | 100 U-1 | 560 | W M D I | | Myersdale, Pennsylvania |
| | Culiacan, Sinaloa | | 250 U-1 | 980 | W B T L | | Emporium, Pennsylvania |
| 1500 | Ensenada, Baja California | 500 | D-1 | 1270 | K R D B | | Alexandria, Louisiana |
| 1580 | Tryon, North Carolina | | 250 D-1 | 850 | C - - - | | Montreal, Quebec |
| | Adak Island, Alaska (AFRS3) | 250 | U-1 | | | | |

CALL CHANGES

DELETED

FACILITIES

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| 600 | X E W Z | Guajuato, Guan., | 250 U-1, from 7777 kc/s. |
| 850 | C K V L | Verdun, Quebec, | to 10,000 U-4, from 980 kc/s., 1,000 U-3. |
| 930 | W W N H | Rochester, New Hampshire, | to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel. |
| 950 | W W J - | Detroit, Michigan, | 5,000 U-2. Antenna change cancelled. |
| 970 | K E R V | Kerrville, Texas, | to 1,000 D-1, from 1230 kc/s., 250 U-1. |
| 1050 | C F G P | Grande Prairie, Alberta, | to 5,000 U-3, from 1,000 U-3, same channel. |
| | W L O N | Lincolnton, North Carolina, | 500 D-1, from 1270 kc/s., 500 D-1. |
| 1250 | C K B L | Matane, Quebec, | to 5,000 U-3, from 1,000 U-3, same channel. |
| 1260 | W B U D | Trenton, New Jersey, | to 5,000/1,000 U-4, from 1,000 U-3. |
| | W A L M | Albion, Michigan, | 500 D-1, from 1540 kc/s., 250 D-1. |
| 1280 | C K D A | Victoria, British Columbia, | 5,000 U-3, from 1340 kc/s., 250 U-1. |
| | K E R G | Eugene, Oregon, | to 5,000/1,000 U-2, from 1,000 U-2. |
| 1330 | K W W L | Waterloo, Iowa, | 5,000 U-4, from 5,000/1,000 U-4. |
| 1350 | C K L B | Oshawa, Ontario, | to 5,000 U-4, from 1240 kc/s., 250 U-1. |
| 1360 | W K O P | Binghamton, New York, | to 5,000/500 U-4 from 1,000/500 U-2, same chan. |
| 1370 | X E P R | Monterrey, Nuevo Leon, | to 10,000 U-2, from 500 U-1, same channel. |
| 1430 | W L A K | Lakeland, Florida, | to 5,000/1,000 U-1, from 1,000 U-1. |
| 1450 | X E X Z | Zacatecas, Zacatecas, | to 250 D-1, from 1150 kc/s., 250 D-1. |
| 1490 | W K L V | Blackstone, Virginia, | to 250 Specified Hours, from U-1. |
| 1580 | W P A C | Ratchogus, Long Island, New York | to 1,000 D-1, from 250 D-1, same ch. |
| 1590 | W L B M | Lebanon, Kentucky, | to 1,000 D-1, from 500 D-1, same channel. |

PRIMARY ELECTION DATES IN VARIOUS STATES (from Ralph Johanna)

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| July 24 | - Texas | July 24-27 see first column. | Aug. 31 - Louisiana RI |
| 27 | - Arkansas | Aug. 3 - Kansas | Sept. 7 - Arizona |
| | Louisiana | Michigan | 8 - Georgia |
| | Oklahoma (run-off) | Missouri | 14 - Colorado |
| June 21 | - Maine | 5 - Tennessee | Minnesota |
| 22 | - South Carolina " | 7 - Kentucky | Mississippi |
| 26 | - North Carolina " | 10 - Arkansas (run-off) | New Hampshire |
| 28 | - Maryland | Idaho | New York, Uta |
| 29 | - North Dakota | Nebraska | Vermont, Was |
| July 6 | - Oklahoma | 17 - Wyoming | ington, Wisc. |
| 13 | - Virginia | 24 - Mississippi | 20 - Rhode Island |
| 20 | - Montana | 28 - Texas (run-off) | 29 - Rhode Island |

FINAL STANDINGS IN N.R.C. 1953-1954 DX CONTEST

- FIRST PLACE** - Everett Johnson - 548 points.
 Add: 1 point - WFOR CKEW. Total entered - 57.
 3 point - WJOY CKCW. Total entered, 52.
 5 point - CKRD WAAB KIUP WJMB WEAW CKLC KTIB WJOY KROC WMTS
 WOXP WNRC KVOZ KTAC KOSE. Total entered, 57.
- SECOND PLACE** - Harold Schrock - 520 points.
 1 point: WGOU WKBB CJOR CKEW CKOW - Total entered, 57.
 3 point: WIGC WTOP WBHB WCSI WLLO KMOO KGAJ WHEV KOVC KUIN WOKE
 KRAL CHWK CBW CFDA - Total entered, 51.
 5 point: WJPA KGLN KVOZ WNRC KDSJ WHEV WJOY WOXP WCSI KUIN KIUP
 WEKZ CKLC WEAW WKKO KROC WGCB KOSE CKRD KONO KTAC.
 Total entered, 62.
- THIRD PLACE** - Len Kruse - 488 points.
 1 point: CKEW - Total entered, 46.
 3 point: KTIB WAAB CHWK - Total entered, 39.
 5 point: KTIB WEAW WJBY WAAB WNRC WOXP WGCB WMTS KTAC. Total, 65.
- FOURTH PLACE** - Gens Cameron - 482 points.
 1 point: WJAR - total entered, 53.
 3 point: WCAM KTEM WPRO CJGX - Total entered, 48.
 5 point: CJGX KROC CKLC WGCB WEAW WNRC WMTS WOXP KTAC. Total, 57.
- FIFTH PLACE** - Stan Stanbury - 470 points.
 1 point: KGCU WADK CKEW - Total entered, 54.
 3 point: WTAC WHEB WENC KVOO WPRO WLAC WJOY - Total entered, 47.
 5 point: WEKZ WFPF WHEV KGLN WJOY CKLC WJBY KIUP KROC WEAW WNRC
 WOXP WGCB - Total entered, 51.
 Stan Morse - 416 points.
- SIXTH PLACE** - 1 point: KCNI - Total entered, 50.
 3 point: KDAS KROC KMED WMTS WJOY WEKZ - Total entered, 37.
 5 point: KROC WGCB WJOY WNRC KIUP WOXP WEAW - Total entered, 55.
 (Note: Morse' and Stanbury's 5 point stations were interchanged a-
 bove. Those listed under Stanbury belong to Morse, and vice versa.)
- SEVENTH PLACE** - Ken Murphy - 415 points.
 1 point: WCSI WGSW CKEW - Total entered, 50.
 3 point: KGLN KTFI KTIB WCCO WHEV - Total entered, 36.
 5 point: KLUK WCSI KTIB WEKZ KGLN KUIN WHEV KVOZ KIUP KROC CKLC
 WJBY WEAW WNRC WGCB WOXP - Total entered, 53.
- EIGHTH PLACE** - Charlie Conley - 414 points.
 1 point: HGBN WITY WCSI KPIG WTTR KPRK KONI KATO KJBC WHEB KPEW
 WKYR WVOO CFRN CKEW - Total entered, 42.
 3 point: KCNO KIUP WPRY WPPM WENR KFJB KIUL WLYN WHEV WONW WGSW
 WTAY WJOY KUJ WEKZ CKLC CFOT CJBE - Total entered, 29.
 5 point: KIUL WKKO KPEW WITY KBTQ WSAY KTIM CJGX WBAX WKEY KONO
 WTTR KROC WONW KPIG KUJ WHEB WALL WAZF KGLN WMOG KWVO
 WCSI WEKZ WGCB KTIB WNRC WEAW WOXP CKLC KIUP WJOY WHEV
 Total entered, 57.
- NINTH PLACE** - Bernie Duffy - 398 points.
 1 point: KRDX WKEU KSEI WDBQ KBTQ KTIB WCOU WTTR WGAW KGCU WADK
 KALL WHEB KUJ WKYR WEKZ CFAC CKEC CFRC CKSM CJGX. Total 44
 3 point: KEVT KLGW WSTA WSSI KPIG KIUL WKEY WPCB WIBE KVEF WONW
 KVOO KDYL WJOY KPEW WFPF CKED CKMO CKLC - Total entered, 32
 5 point: KUJ KPEW KTIM WGAW WKEY KTIB KCNO KPIG KBTQ KIUL WVEO WEKZ
 WHEB WTTR WSAY WMOG WCSI WONW WALL WBAX WKKO KYVO WLYN WHEV
 KGLN WFPF KIUP WEAW CKLC CKED WGCB WOXP WNRC WHEB. Total 51

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FINAL STANDINGS IN N.R.C. 1953-1954 DX CONTEST, con'd.

TENTH PLACE - Pat Reilly - 369 points.
 1 point: WJOY KROC CKBW CKLC - Total entered, 44.
 3 point: KDMS KIUP WKEY WOXF WFPF - Total entered, 25.
 5 point: WFPF KROC WJOY KIUP CKLC WFAW WNRC WOXF WGOB KVOZ. Total 48

ELEVENTH PLACE - Jim Critchett - 349 points.
 1 point: WIAM WGTG - Total entered, 49.
 3 point: WIOX - Total entered, 45.
 5 point: KGLN KIUP KUIN KVOZ KWVO WGOB KTAC - Total entered, 33.

TWELFTH PLACE - Hal Williams - 313 points.
 1 point: KDSE KLIK KDYL CKBW - Total entered, 46.
 3 point: KROC KUIN WFTZ KLUK - Total entered, 34.
 5 point: WJBY WJOY KROC KLUK KUIN CKRD KGLN - Total entered, 33.

13th PLACE - Sid Steele - 288 points.
 1 point - None. Total entered, 41. 3 point - None. Total entered 29
 5 point - WFAW WOXR KTAC - Total entered, 32.

14th PLACE - Bob Gorsuch - 258 points.
 1 point: KTIM WTRR WOXF KVOZ WFWB CKLC - Total entered, 31.
 3 point: KCNO WFAW KIUL KROC KUJ - Total entered, 14.
 5 point: WFBM KUJ KVOZ WOXF KIUL WALL WNRC WFAW KROC KCNO WFWB WTRR
 WVPO KTIM WQWV KBTO - Total entered, 37.

15th PLACE - Bill Moser - 251 points.
 1 point: None. Total, 40. 2 point: None. Total, 27. 5 point - Ttl. 26

16th PLACE - Frank Wheeler - 251 points.
 1 point: WFBM KFDA WJOY KROC - Total entered, 30.
 3 point: WLN WLAC WQVA CKTB - Total entered, 17.
 5 point: WJOY WFAW WNRC WOXF - Total entered, 34.

17th PLACE - Hank Holbrook - 217 points.
 1 point - WJOY WFPF WAEW CKLC - Total entered, 37.
 3 point - KROC WREV - Total entered, 20.
 5 point - WJBY WOXF CKLC WFAW WJOY KROC WNRC WKEY WREV WFPF. Total 24

18th PLACE - Ted Saling - 211 points.
 1 point: KGLN KTIB WAZF KQNI KVOZ WEKZ KLUK - Total entered, 23.
 3 point: KIUP KROC WFAW - Total entered, 11.
 5 point: KIUL KPRW KROC KLUK WALL KGLN WAZF KTIB CKRD KUIN KVOZ KIUP
 WEKZ - Total entered, 31.

19th PLACE - C. C. Smith - 180 points.
 1 - None, total, 37. 3 - None, total, 26. 5 - None, total, 13.

20th PLACE - Jack Hatheway - 177 points.
 1 - None, total 38. 3 - None, total, 28. 5 - None, total, 11.

21st PLACE - Clara Wachtel - 175 points.
 1 point: WHEP KUBA KGLN WTRR KROC KPRK WREV KQNC WEMP KOVE CKDM. Ttl. 36
 3 point: KPIG KIUL KTIB WALM WQWV - Total entered, 33.
 5 point: WQWV KIUL KTIB WREV KROC WTRR KGLN KPIG - Total, 22.

22nd PLACE - Craig Ellyson - 156 points.
 1 - None, total, 33. 3 - None, total, 21. 5 - None, total, 12.

23rd PLACE - Kent Corson - 145 points.
 1 point: WQWV WQVA WTRR KGLN KPOJ WAKE KDYL WFWB KWSC WQWV CKVL. Ttl. 36
 3 point: KPRW WAZF WREV KTIB KUJ WALL - Total entered, 10.
 5 point: KTFW WQWV WQVA KBTO KQIB WALL KQWV CKX - Total entered, 19.

FINAL STANDINGS IN N.R.C. 1953-1954 DX CONTEST, cont'd.

- 24th PLACE - Ray Edge - 130 points.
1 point: KUBA WFUL WISM KORK - Total entered, 25.
3 point: KBTO WCAN - Total entered, 10.
5 point: KBTO WFPF WFUL WGVA WISM - Total entered, 15.
- 25th PLACE - Fred Van Voorhase - 111 points.
1 - Nona, total, 22. 3 - None, total 8. 5 - None, total, 13.
- 26th PLACE - Hank Ward - 100 points.
1 - None, total, 23. 3 - None, total, 9. 5 - None, total, 10.
- 27th PLACE - Edn Matson - 84 points.
1 - None, total, 28. 3 - None, total, 11. 5 - None, total, 5.
- 28th PLACE - Ray Millar - 81 points.
1 - None, total, 27. 3 - None, total, 18. 5 - None, total, 0.
- 29th PLACE - Reife Luton - 76 points.
1 - None, total, 23. 3 - None, total, 6. 5 - None, total, 7.
- 30th PLACE - Lefty Cooper - 52 points.
1 - None, total, 17. 3 - None, total, 5. 5 - None, total, 4.
- 31st PLACE - Joe Lippencott - 28 points.
1 - None, total, 7. 3 - None, total, 2. 5 - None, total, 3.
- 32nd PLACE - Grant Batson - 5 points.
1 - None, total, 2. 3 - None, total, 1. 5 - None, total, 0.

Says Contest Manager, Bob Gorsuch:

First off, I want to congratulate the top three for some real DX! The top two were so close on the 1 and 3-pointers - almost perfect, in fact. Both entered veries from all 48 states, the District of Columbia, and the same eight Canadian provinces - all except Prince Edward Island, Yukon, and North West Territory. Both had a second verie entered from all of them except for Delaware, Maine, New Hampshire, with Johnson also short District of Columbia and Nova Scotia - Schrock also short Louisiana, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick. Now let's consider the DX achievement of our western member, Gene Cameron. Considering the handicap under which these western members operate in a contest of this sort, Gene has turned in a remarkable score! Canadian Stan Stanbury also has an outstanding score. A lot of the boys did a nice job on the specials this year.

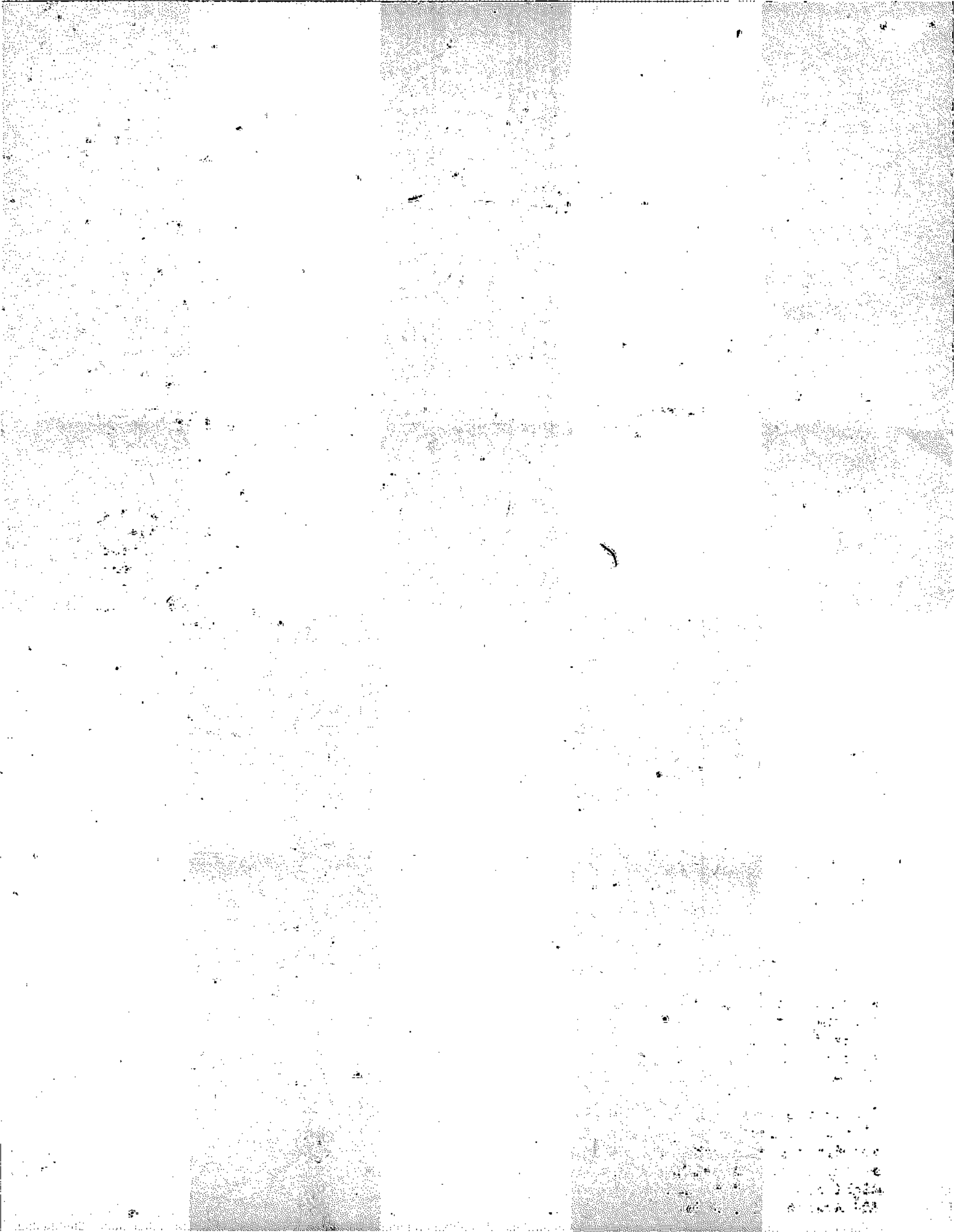
Prizes follow!

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| PRIZE #1 - (for first in contest) - | EVERETT JOHNSON | \$ 3.00 |
| PRIZE #2 - (for second in contest) | HAL SCHROCK | 2.00 |
| PRIZE #3 - (for third in contest) | LEN KRUSE | 1.00 |
| PRIZE #4 - (for first in west) | GENE CAMERON | 3.00 |
| PRIZE #5 - (for first in DX Specials) | EVERETT JOHNSON | 2.00 |
| PRIZE #6 - (for first in areas only) | EVERETT JOHNSON | 2.00 |
| PRIZE #7 - (for first with 35 areas) | JIM CRITCHETT | 1.00 |
| PRIZE #8 - (for first with 25 double) | EVERETT JOHNSON | 1.00 |
| PRIZE #9 - (for first with seven mystery) | STAN MORSS | 1.00 |
| PRIZE #10 - (for fifth place on Jan. D) | STAN STANBURY | 1.00 |
| PRIZE #11 - (for first with a particular station picked by Contest Manager) | No one! | |

The station I picked for this prize was w-BOB!

Prizes will be mailed from Cedar Rapids in due time. It's been a swell contest and a real pleasure to work with all of you this season. It's been a lot of work but worth the time it took. Thanks to all of you for your cooperation in submitting the entries per the rules - it helped a lot. For the record, 39 members paid 25¢-entry fees for \$9.75. A western member donated \$3.00 toward the prizes and the balance of the \$17.00 prize list is a contribution of your Contest Manager. Thanks to all - and to all a good summer - and see you in Buffalo in September.

And your editor would like to add his congratulations to all of you winners, and also would like to compliment Bob Gorsuch for the fine, neat way he sent in the standings each month, and for the work he did on this contest, and for awarding some of the prizes himself. It was a mighty fine gesture, we think, and we also think it might not be a bad idea were we all to drop him a card of thanks to his home, 2509 "D" Avenue N.E., Cedar Rapids, Iowa. Again, thanks to all and especially to Bob.



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Foreign Contest

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EASTERN LEAGUE

1. C. M. Stanbury II, Crystal Beach, Ontario. Adds Melnik;
Czechoslovakia 1520; Brno; Prague; PRB2; 2YC; CMHF
HJCZ; Palun-----83x39-3237
2. Roger Anderson, Arlington, Virginia. Adds Lwow; 4MK; Brno; 2RE;
5MU; KANI; 4SB; 2CO; 2CR; 2MW; 2WG; 2NX-----76x40-3040
3. Steve Johnson, Havre de Grace, Maryland. Adds none-----70x38-2660
4. Henry Holbrook, Bethesda, Maryland. Adds none-----41x25-1025
5. Carroll Seth, Buffalo, New York. Adds none-----13x13-169
6. Harold Wagner, North Girard, Pennsylvania. Adds Godthaab-10x10-100
7. Fred VanVoorhees, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania. Adds CMHG, CMHD,
4YC; CMCW; 2WL; 2NX-----13x7----91
8. J. B. Reilley, Jamestown, New York. Adds none-----6x6----36
9. Joe Lippincott, Moorestown, New Jersey. Adds none-----4x4----16
10. Ray Edge, Buffalo, New York. Adds none-----2x2----4
11. Ernest Cooper, Brooklyn, New York. Adds none-----2x2----4
12. Charlie Conley, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania. Adds none-----1x1----1
13. Ray Moore, Rowley, Massachusetts. Adds none-----1x1----1
14. Frank Wheeler, Erie, Pennsylvania. Adds none-----1x1----1

CENTRAL LEAGUE

1. John Alexander, St. Albans, West Virginia. Adds none-----82x37-3034
2. Harold Schrock, Paxton, Illinois. Adds none-----62x29-1798
3. Jack Hathaway, Rantoul, Illinois. Adds none-----3x3-----9

WEST COAST LEAGUE

1. Norman Maguire, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Adds none-----29x14--406
2. Gene Cameron, Spokane, Washington. Adds none-----9x8----72
3. Roy H. Millar, Bellevue, Washington. Adds none-----8x7----56
4. John Brierley, Redley, California. No entries-----0x0-----0

There you have the June listings. All of you should have your final standings in to Roger Anderson just as soon after July 1, as you can. Final standings for the contest will appear in the July DX NEWS. Remember to send your comments on this contest as well as your suggestions for next year directly to Roger Anderson, at the above address. The participation this year was not too good, and we would like to know what to do in order to appeal to more of you.

SUPREMACY RATINGS

| DXer | Total Vrs | Ctries | Total Oceania | Best |
|-------------------------------|-----------|--------|---------------|------|
| 1. Ken Maskey, New Zealand | 1280 | 77 | 213 | N.R. |
| 2. Roger Anderson, Virginia | 1243 | 67 | 38 | 5MU |
| 3. Kermit Geary, Pennsylvania | 3080 | 65 | 44 | 2CK |
| 4. Hank Holbrook, Maryland | 1392 | 60 | 20 | 2GN |
| 5. Steve Mann, New York | NR | 60 | NR | 2CN |
| 6. C. M. Stanbury, Ontario | 535 | 58 | 22 | WVTV |
| 7. Laurie Boyer, New Zealand | 556 | 53 | 179 | NR |
| 8. Bill Milne, New Zealand | 624 | 51 | 195 | NR |
| 9. Joe Lippincott, N. J. | 1073 | 47 | 22 | 3CV |
| 10. Steve Johnson, Maryland | 826 | 46 | 8 | KHBC |
| 11. Harold E. Schrock, Ill. | 1984 | 44 | 25 | 1YC |
| 12. John P. Alexander, WVa. | 101 | 44 | 4 | KAHU |
| 13. Roy Patrick, England | 80 | 43 | 0 | ---- |
| 14. Harold Wagner, Penna. | 277 | 42 | 10 | 2WL |
| 15. Carroll Seth, New York | 174 | 42 | 7 | 2NR |
| 16. Ray Moore, Massachusetts | 65 | 41 | 6 | 2GF |
| 17. Norman Maguire, New Mex. | 2186 | 40 | 40 | 2AP |
| 18. W. Don Reed, New Zealand | 526 | 39 | 195 | 5AL |
| 19. Lars Ryden, Sweden | 85 | 39 | 0 | ---- |
| 20. Fred VanVoorhees, Penna. | 1222 | 34 | 6 | KHBC |

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|------------------------------|------|----|----|------|
| 21. Pat Reilley, New York | 2520 | 33 | 26 | NR |
| 22. Gene Allen, California | 1718 | 32 | 53 | 6WF |
| 23. Charlie Conley, Perma. | 1159 | 19 | 4 | KHON |
| 24. Ray Edge, Buffalo, NY | 1939 | 17 | 7 | KGMB |
| 25. Roy H. Millar, Wash. | 250 | 17 | 16 | 7NT |
| 26. Ted Saling, Oregon | 636 | 16 | 18 | 2BE |
| 27. Harold S. Williams, Conn | 1282 | 15 | 0 | ---- |
| 28. Gene Cameron, Wash. | 447 | 15 | 14 | 4YA |
| 29. Ralph Sporry, Conn. | 1004 | 14 | 1 | KULA |
| 30. John Hoogerheido, Wisc. | 756 | 14 | 1 | NR |

If your name does not appear in the above list, you have not sent your totals to me in the past six months. Next month we will be giving some general totals again with no emphasis on special continents. If your name is not in the list, send me the following information: Your total number of copies, total foreign (Outside US & Canada); total countries; and totals for each continental division (North America, South America, Europe, Africa, Asia, Oceania); and your best verie from each of the above divisions. Note to Harold Schrock Tasmania is a part of Australia, and does not count as a country. This is why your total is 44 instead of 45. That is all until next month.

DX NOTES

NORTH AMERICA

ALASKA--*--NZ reports that the verie signer for ADK, Adak, is Cecil N. Royer, Station Manager. Guess maybe that should have been headed ALEUTIANS.

HAITI--*--4VA, the new station on 1080 Kcs. in Port-au-Prince, is using 1 Kw., and the slogan "Radio Commerce". Has a short-wave outlet. (SW)

CUBA--*--CMS reports a verie letter in from GMHE for his reception of 1080 Kcs. They also signed his QSL form verifying reception of their harmonic on 2160 Kcs.

MEXICO--*--CMS reports his verie in from XEOY, his QSL form signed and rubber stamped, signed by Mario Ivan Martinez. SS has a verie from XEWA (540) from the XEW office in Mexico City. It was a letter with an XEW-XEWW QSL card with 540 Kcs. listed, so as to definitely verify XEWA. According to the letter signed by Gloria Granades, Correspondence Department, XEWA is a repeater of XEW-XEWW. Since 5/3 XEW is only transmitting from 0545 to 0000, CST. Full QRA is Cadena Radiodifusora Mexicana, S. A., Calle Ayuntaminote Number 54, Mexico, D. F. See "The List" for further verie signers.

SOUTH AMERICA

BRAZIL--*--CMS reports a verie letter in from PRB2. JA noted PRG9 (1100) and PRB9 (1600) heard shortly after 0400 on 3/22. PRB2 (600) was heard with good signal at 0430 on 3/29. PRG2 (1040) was heard at 0400 on 4/11, and has been best Brazilian this past season. (JA)

VENEZUELA--*--QSL card received from YVKS (750) signed by the Director, name illegible. (KG) CMS noted hearing the third harmonic of YVKY in Caracas on 2154 Kcs. at 2100 on 5/3. Very bad modulation.

COLOMBIA--*--Radiodifusora Nacional de Colombia, Bogota, broadcasts over HJCR (680) on weekdays at 1900-0100 and on Sundays from 2100-0100, according to schedule. (SW) This is a different call than the one we have been reporting. CMS has received a verie card from HJGZ.

URUGUAY--*--Difusoras de Uruguay operates CX14 (810) El Espectador with 15 Kw., and CX18 (890) Libertad Sport with 5 Kw. CX14 operates 0600-2200 and CX18 0800-2100 daily and Sunday. (SW)

CHILE--*--CB118 (1180) Vina del Mar, tentatively logged at 2355 on 5/25 fighting it out with XEFR. (CMS)

NOTE: THE DX NOTES IN THE CURRENT DX NEWS WILL CLEAN UP ALL OF THE MATERIAL ON HAND AT YOUR EDITOR'S DESK. IF YOU HAVE SENT MATERIAL WHICH WAS NOT USED, PLEASE SEND IT AGAIN, AS IT MUST HAVE BEEN LOST-FV

EUROPE

CZECHOSLOVAKIA--CMS has two QSL cards in verifying his reception of Brno-Dobrochov (953), Melnik (1286), Prague (638), and the synchronized group on 1520 Kcs. RA also has veries to report, mentioning a long friendly letter and photo QSL card for Brno (953) and Bratislava (1097). Signer is J. Masek.

ITALY--Rome II (845) heard with fair signal around 2300 on 4/8 and 4/11, first and only TA heard since January. (JA)

SWEDEN--CMS reports a verie card in from SEV.

U. S. S. R.--Air mail letter in verifying reports for Lwow, Ukraine (935) and Kaninengrad, RSFSR (1142). Also several photo cards from "Radio Moscow". Signer is I. Petrov, Letters Dept. (RA)

SPAIN--Radio Nacional Espagna on 584 Kcs. is Madrid with 120 Kw. There is also a RNE station on 1022 Kcs. Apparently 5 Kw., and also in Madrid. 737 Kcs. channel is now inactive. (RP)

ROUMANIA--Bucharest I (854) broadcasts in English at 1730. (SW)

EIRE--There are only three stations in Ireland, Athlone (566) with 100 Kw., and synchronized stations at Dublin and Cork (1250) each with 5 Kw. Schedule is 0300-0415, 0800-0930, and 1230-1830. (RP)

MONACO--"Radio Monte Carlo" now has English programs on Sunday Monday, and Wednesday at 2205 GMT (1705 EST) and Fridays at 2230 GMT (1730 EST). (SW & RP) MF reports a verie card from ZAM2 (1466) with shortwave frequencies marked out. Reception was for 1/15 and 1/14.

GERMANY--"Freies Berlin" is a new station operating on 566 Kcs. at 2230-1900. (SW) Soviet Zone Berlin station is also operating on 860 Kcs. On from 1200-2100. (EUROPEAN RADIO via RP)

AFRICA

UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA--QSL card in definitely verifying his reception of Pietersburg (989) has been received by CMS. This was in on June 29th for a very tentative report. On 6/2 Grahamstown (674) was logged at 2305, but QRN made reception difficult. (CMS)

ALGERIA--Oran II (1304) heard with quite a good signal around 2100 GMT with programs in Arabic. QRN from other stations which also operate on the same channel. (RP) who wonders if they have increased power to 40 Kw. yet.

FRENCH MOROCCO--Another AFRS station reported by Fred Pilkington, a marine radio officer friend, is WIND located at Novaceux. Announced as the "Novaceux Broadcasting System". (RP)

TANGIER--To MF, the only QRA we have for "Radio Africa" (935) is 41 rue Fez, Tangier. (FV)

ASIA

SIBERIA--CMS has logged the station on 629 Kcs. at 0300 on 5/5. Except for some QRN, they were in the clear. Very good reception.

KIRGHIZ S. S. R.--In checking his mystery loggings of the past RHM has decided that his mystery on about 610 Kcs. of 2/8/53, must have been the station at Frunzo (611), as the time would have been about right, and the program was similar to the 629 Kcs. Siberian.

SYRIA--All of the programs of "La Radiodiffusion Syrienne" at Damascus are now being carried by Aleppo (719). (SW)

KOREA--A new list of the Government stations in Korea has come, and the only changes to report are that HLKA (870) Seoul, has increased power from 5 to 10 Kw. HLKR (1080) Namwon, has moved from 350 Kcs., and there is a new station HLKM (1230) in Chunchon with 300 watts. (NZ)

INDO*CHINA--"Radio Cambedge" in Phnom-Ponh, Cambodia, has been logged on 1433 Kcs. in New Zealand. (NZ)

CHINA--"Radio Free Japan" has been logged on 1230 Kcs. in New Zealand. Location is believed to be in Peking or Tientsin. (NZ) RP reports that he finds Nanchang listed in an old log on 830 Kcs.; with denials from Japan and Taiwan that his 830 Kc. mystery was in those countries, and the lack of typical Russian identification on the

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hour, he is convinced that his station is Chinese, so a weak tentative logging has been entered for Nanchang. If there is a better explanation please let Roy know. (RHM)

RYUKU ISLANDS--*KSAR is now located at Shuri, Okinawa. (NZ)

TAIWAN--*KM has received an official list of stations in Formosa or Taiwan. This list also mentions a powerful new BCB station which was scheduled to start on May 20th. Ken thinks that this is the new one on 730 Kcs. heard in New Zealand. Following is the list of active Taiwan stations:

| | | | | | | | |
|------|-------|-----------|-----|------|-------|-----------|-----|
| 660 | BED22 | Taipei | BCC | 1070 | BED20 | Chia-i | BCC |
| 800 | BEV54 | Changhua | | 1100 | BEC22 | Taipei | |
| 810 | BEV34 | Taipei | | 1160 | BEV67 | Kaohsiung | |
| 830 | BEV56 | Tainan | | 1190 | BED32 | Hualien | BCC |
| 840 | BED25 | Kaohsiung | BCC | 1200 | BEC23 | Taichung | |
| 870 | BEV52 | Taichung | | 1220 | BEV50 | Taipei | |
| 890 | BED28 | Taitung | BCC | 1240 | | Taipei | |
| 910 | BEV78 | Keelung | | 1250 | BEC24 | Kaohsiung | |
| 940 | BEC38 | Taipei | | 1260 | | Taichung | |
| 960 | BED23 | Taichung | BCC | 1270 | BEC36 | Taipei | |
| 980 | BEC32 | Taipei | | 1310 | | Taipei | |
| 1010 | BED24 | Tainan | BCC | 1330 | BEC26 | Tsoying | |
| 1020 | BED9 | Taipei | BCC | 1350 | BEC25 | Hualien | |

BCC indicates a station of Broadcasting Corp. of China. (KM)

JAPAN--*HS reports that on 3/30 he was able to log his first Japanese stations, JOHK (890), JOQC (770), JOCB (910). Very nice verio cards for each received and each card different. JOBB (830) also heard, but too late for log as US sign-ons came at 0535. (HS) Here is an up-to-date listing of Japanese Commercial stations. This listing is in order they came on the air.

| | | | | |
|------|------------|------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| JOAR | Nagoya | 1070 | 10000 | Chubu Nippon Broadcasting Co. |
| JOOR | Osaka | 1210 | 10000 | The New Japan Broadcasting Co. |
| JONR | Osaka | 1010 | 10000 | Asahi Broadcasting Co. |
| JOFR | Fukuoka | 1190 | 10000 | Radio Kyushu Broadcasting Co. |
| JOKR | Tokyo | 950 | 50000 | Radio Tokyo, Inc. |
| JOBR | Kyoto | 1100 | 3000 | Kyoto Broadcasting Co. |
| JOHR | Sapporo | 1230 | 10000 | Hokkaido Broadcasting Co. |
| JOSR | Wagano | 1260 | 1000 | Shin-Etsu Broadcasting Co. |
| JOQR | Tokyo | 1130 | 10000 | Nippon Cultural Broadcasting Assn |
| JOCR | Kobe | 560 | 3000 | Kobe Broadcasting Co. |
| JOIR | Sendai | 1250 | 10000 | Tohoku Broadcasting Co. |
| JOMR | Kanazawa | 760 | 1000 | Hokuriku Broadcasting Co. |
| JOLR | Toyama | 740 | 1000 | Kita-Nippon Broadcasting Co. |
| JOHR | T. kushima | 720 | 500 | Shikoku Broadcasting Co. |
| JOPR | Fukui | 860 | 500 | Fukui Broadcasting Co. |
| JOER | Hiroshima | 1240 | 1000 | Radio Chugoku Broadcasting Co. |
| JOVR | Shizuoka | 1400 | 500 | Shizuoka Broadcasting Co. |
| JODR | Niigata | 1420 | 1000 | Radio Niigata Broadcasting Co. |
| JOUR | Nagasaki | 1260 | 500 | Radio Nagasaki Broadcasting Co. |
| JOZR | Kochi | 940 | 1000 | Radio Kochi Broadcasting Co. |
| JOGR | Aomori | 1120 | 1000 | Radio Aomori Broadcasting Co. |
| JOFR | Akita | 720 | 1000 | Radio Tohoku Broadcasting Co. |
| JOVR | Fukushima | 1220 | 100 | Radio Fukushima Broadcasting Co. |
| JOXR | Tsu | 860 | 500 | Radio Mie Broadcasting Co. |
| JOYR | Okayama | 1280 | 1000 | Sanyo Broadcasting Co. |
| JOAF | Matsuyama | 1120 | 1000 | Nankai Broadcasting Co. |
| JOBF | Kumamoto | 1140 | 1000 | Radio Kumamoto Broadcasting Co. |
| JOCF | Kagoshima | 760 | 3000 | Radio Minami-Nippon Brd. Co. |
| JODF | Morioka | 940 | 1000 | Iwate Broadcasting Co. |
| IOEF | Yamagata | 1140 | 1000 | Yamagata Broadcasting Co. |
| IOGF | Oita | 600 | 1000 | Radio Oita Broadcasting Co. |
| OHF | Yonago | 580 | 500 | Radio San-In Broadcasting Co. |

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|----------------|------|------|----------------------------------|
| JOIF Kurume | 1420 | 1000 | Kyushu Asahi Broadcasting Co. |
| JOIF Kofu | 1490 | 1000 | Radio Yamanashi Broadcasting Co. |
| JOIF Takamatsu | 1060 | 100 | Radio Tagawa Broadcasting Co. |

This list was dated October 1, 1953, and included all stations which had opening dates through March 1, 1954. (NM)

OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA--HS reports a letter verie from 7EX, The Examiner Station, 74 Charles Street, Launceston, 1010 Kcs. 2 Kw. Schedule is Mon thru Sat 0700-2300, Sunday 1000-2235 AEST. Signer is Arthur E. Evans, Managing Director. (Hal, Tasmania is part of Australia, and is not counted as a separate country-FV) MF reports standard ABC card from 4QS (750) Dalby with rubber-stamped signature. KG reports an ABC QSL card from 4RK (840) for October 27th between 0445 and 0515, proving this to be the station he heard during the HOG special. Nice letter and QSL card received from 4BK (1290). 2CN (1540) sent the usual ABC card. Also a nice personal letter. This made the third of the three Canberra stations. Also a personal message and QSL card from 2RE (1560). (All this from KG. JA heard his first Aussie on 770 Kcs. at 0450 on 3/30 through bad static. Also heard signals on 740 with some programs and another on 750 Kcs. with different program. Would have been a good signal except for the static. Few Australian changes are a new station on 1600 Kcs. in Wangaratta is now 3NE. 2KO (1410) now using 2000 watts. 2KP (680) Smithtown has studios in Kempsey. Power is 10 Kw., with transmitter 11 miles away reached via underground transmission line. RA reports a lot of veries with ABC cards from 2CR (550) and 2C (670). Large brown and tan QSL from 4SB (1060), the "Voice of South Burnett", signed by the manager. QSL card from 2RE (1560) 500 watts, "The Manning Valley Broadcasting Pty, Ltd.". Red & White QSL from 2NC (1360). Verie letter from 2WG (1150), the "Riverina Broadcasting Co." Signer was M. Coleman. Verie letter and red and white QSL from 2MW (1140) with signer as W. G. Diamond, Mgr. Verie letter and QSL card from 4MK (1380) with signer as J. H. Williams, Dir. QSL card for 5MU (1460) 500 watts for best Australian verie. Owner is Advertiser Broadcasting Network of Adelaide. This card shows increase in power of associated stations 5AD (1310) 2 Kw from 500 watts, 5SE (1370) 500 watts from 200 watts. (RA)

HAWAII--Verie letter from KANI (1150) signed by John Ellingson, Chief Engineer and Drew Kaye, Mgr. (RA)

NEW ZEALAND--CMS has a verie in from 2XC.

MYSTERY

From HS on 3/31 on 1155 Kcs. in Spanish, signing off at 2400. 'Radio ----' also on 3/31 on 610 Kcs. at 2150 in Spanish. And on 3/31 on 1025 Kcs. at 2230 in Spanish. Another on 3/16 on 1280 Kcs. in Spanish with music, testing at 0420. And another on 3/4 on 1600 Kc. Spanish music but English talking. And last on 1/18 910 Kcs. Spanish sign-off at 0400 with no announcement. (These HS)

CMS heard a mystery Latin on 1205 Kcs. signing off at 2315.

JA still wants to know who he heard on 665 Kcs. on 1/26 from 2015-2050, definitely not Lisbon.

THE LIST

Because of the length of the DIGEST this month, we are listing here only a few verie signers sent in recently. If there is room at the end of the next page, we will list more stations.

I3A Letter signed by Juan I. Vicioso V., Administrador General (KG)

JKA Letter signed by Jorge Cubides B., Administrador. (KG)

JKO Letter signed by Cesar Rosales, Director. (KG)

Jagob Letter signed by Ivo Sarajcic, Director General of Radio Zagreb

EFW Madaro 204 Oriente, or Apartado 797, Tampico, Tams. Signer is

America Escalona.

(SS)

ELO Apartado 266, Ciudad Juarez. No signer. (SS)

- XERB 905 Bank Of America Bldg., San Diego 1, Calif. Signer was Dorothy Edwards, Secy. (SS)
- XEDM Apartado 285, Hermosillo, Son. Signer Ing. C. V. Rodriguez, Gen. Mgr. (SS)
- XERF Apartado Number 30, Ciudad Acuna, Coah. Signer Alvaro Esquivel Castro, CE. (SS)
- XEG Hidalgo Oriente 426, or Apartado 638, Monterrey, N. L. Signer is Teofilo Bichara. (SS)

REPORTERS

We have some letters from overseas, but rather than miss out on listing the reporters, they will come first, then the letters if we have room on this page.

- SS-Scott or Segraves, Box 680, Stuttgart, Arkansas.
- MM-Normal Maguire, Albuquerque, New Mexico.
- SW-Sweden Calling DXers, Radio Sweden, Stockholm, Sweden.
- RA-Roger Anderson, 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia.
- JA-John Alexander, St. Albans, West Virginia.
- Ri-Roy Patrick, 90 Greengate Street, Oldham, Lancs., England.
- KG-Kermit Geary, R. D. #2, Walnutport, Pennsylvania.
- GMS-C. M. Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada.
- DR-W. Don Reed, 253 Wainona Road, Christchurch E2, New Zealand.
- KM-Ken Mackey, Dvnl Engrs Ofc., P & T Dept., Dunedin, New Zealand.
- HS-Harold Schrock, R. R. #1, Paxton, Illinois.
- RHM-Roy H. Miller, Bellevue, Washington.
- NZ-New Zealand Radio DX League, Invercargill, New Zealand.
- MF-Mike Ferguson, 3337 Prospect, Houston 4, Texas.

If I have omitted your name, please forgive me, as I have had quite a list here.

OVERSEAS REPORTS

KEN MACKAY-DX has been quite here with me. Have not started listening yet, but hope to be cracking again in the near future. We have just joined up a new member in Farnese to whom I wrote and got the following dope (See under Taiwan). He is a SW expert and has no BC on his set. Writes good English and is a Radio Technician by trade. The list is complete as he sent me, but I am a bit doubtful as to its correctness, as stations like BED2, and BED33 are not mentioned. Veries in from WREV DX, Shanghai 800 and 900 Kcs. JONR, French Network on 1403 Kcs., for evening reception at 7:45 PM on 2/15. The sun was still up at this time. Budapest I, KALI, WTAW DX, CKCK, DZMB, DZRH, DZPT. He sent his log totals, but we just don't have the space to run them.

ROY PATRICK-I want to thank Roy here for sending magazines from Europe concerning radio reception and transmission over there. Roy says that he is trying for Spanish stations this summer.

DON REED-Not much doing in the DX world here as the few weekends I've been home lately conditions have been poor. Recent loggings include the new Indian outlet, Bombay, on 550 Kcs., VOA Okinawa (1180), now on regular programs heard in English till 1400 GMT. Then foreign on same frequency. Russian on 548 Kcs. to 1500 GMT believed to be Vladivostok. There were 5MU, JODR, KEWA, and a few Europeans. Verifications are in from KHSL, KLRA, KROD, KOOL, WGY, KRIN, KYOR, WLOX, TAW, Milan, Karachi, JOKR. TAW verie was a letter from Mesut Cemil, Director, "Radio Istanbul". JOKR verie nice QSL card. All Japanese commercial stations turn out nice QSL cards. Karachi sent usual Radio Pakistan postcard QSL. Milan sent usual RAI Radio Italiana card showing map of Italy.

FRED ANDERSON-Ray Edge forwarded a letter from Andy, but out space is pretty well gone now. He notes that he is in Munich and will be glad to hear from DX friends. Will verify AFN-Munich, as he did for AFN-Stuttgart. His address is M/Sgt. Fred A. Anderson, AFN Munich, APO 108, Care Postmaster, New York, New York. He mentions hearing some US stations while over there, also some of the local Europeans. And that cleans us up for this time. Next DX NEWS in July, see deadline dates.

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The  DXer
 June 1954

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 Buffalo 16, N. Y.

From your reports received here, the last of May and the first weeks of June have been outstanding DX reception days for you TV DX fans. But, before we get into the reports at hand, I have a few comments to pass along. First, the recent months have been most frustrating to this editor due to the poor reproduction qualities of the stencils which I know made for difficult reading. I am pleased however, that all of you apparently "put up" with this situation in good humor since not one word of complaint was received here. At first the typewriter was blamed, then the stencils, and other assorted ideas and experiments. Finally it narrowed down to the stencils and with this edition of the TV DXer, another brand of stencils is being used and it is hoped that the situation will be relieved. Secondly, you will notice that in the upper right hand corner an information box has been added. This has been done to expedite inquiries concerning the TV DXer to be directed to Headquarters where facilities for sending out N.R.C. info and sample copies are maintained. I am indeed pleased at the number of inquiries about the TV DXer that have been received here and at the new members that have joined the N.R.C. as a direct result of this column. Several mentioned seeing an issue of the TV DXer, so it is felt that by adding the Headquarters address to the copy, potential new members will be able to write direct to Headquarters for the information they desire. Thanks to those of you who have passed along the TV DXer to TV fan friends of yours, and also a public thank you to Radio-Electronics Magazine who have referred many TV DX fans to the N.R.C. With such outstanding support from N.R.C. members and recognition in a nationwide publication such as Radio-Electronics, we can all feel very proud of the part each and everyone of us has played in keeping the National Radio Club foremost in its field in service to the DXer, TV or BCB. ---Hank.

F C C INFORMATION

Construction Permits:

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|---------|-------|----------------------|---------|--------|---------------------|
| KJN-TV | Ch. 5 | Juarez, Mexico* | WLEX-TV | Ch. 18 | Lexington, Kentucky |
| - | " 7 | Wausau, Wisconsin | WFLB-TV | " 18 | Fayetteville, N. C. |
| KQVI | " 11 | San Jose, California | WPMJ-TV | " 21 | Youngstown, Ohio* |
| KVSO-TV | " 12 | Ardmore, Oklahoma | WNYC-TV | " 31 | New York, New York |
| - | " 12 | Flint, Michigan | KCOR-TV | " 41 | San Antonio, Texas |

Call Letters Assigned:

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|---------|-------|---------------------|---------|-------|--------------------------|
| KCKE | Ch. 2 | Great Bend, Kansas | WSIA | Ch. 8 | Selma, Alabama |
| WTNO | " 2 | Bangor, Maine | KPVX | " 8 | Muskogee, Oklahoma |
| WUSN-TV | " 2 | Charleston, S. C. | KREB | " 10 | El Dorado, Arkansas |
| WMVT | " 3 | Montpelier, Vermont | WSEA-TV | " 12 | Montgomery, Alabama |
| WAGE | " 6 | Marquette, Michigan | CHEL-TV | " 12 | Peterborough, Ont., Can. |
| WCNY-TV | " 7 | Carthage, New York | KPLJ | " 13 | Houston, Texas |
| KPLV | " 7 | Rapid City, S. D. | | | |

Call Letter Changes:

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|--------|-------|------------------------------------|
| WGB-TV | Ch. 2 | Buffalo, New York (from WGB) |
| WIRI | " 5 | Bloomington, New York (from WBLD) |
| KFYI | " 6 | Nampa, Idaho (from KPAD-TV) |
| KPCS | " 9 | Seattle, Washington (from KVOH-TV) |
| KPIC | " 16 | El Centro, California (from KELB) |

Network Affiliation:

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|---------|-------|-----------------------------------|
| WGB-TV | Ch. 2 | Buffalo, New York, new NBC |
| KID-TV | " 3 | Idaho Falls, Idaho, new ABC |
| WBRC-TV | " 6 | Birmingham, Alabama, CBS (ex NBC) |
| KPRN | " 10 | Ada, Oklahoma, new ABC |
| KOLM-TV | " 12 | Lincoln, Nebraska, new CBS |
| WAST | " 13 | Birmingham, Alabama, NBC (ex CBS) |

1,876-ft. Tower for TV!

The Deep South Broadcasting Co. has announced that construction plans for an 1,876.6-foot tower will go ahead in Montgomery, Ala. as soon as the F.C.C. approves a request for an increase of wattage. ---Hal Wagner, North Girard, Pa. (This will top KFTV's 1574-foot tower by over 300 feet and Empire State Building by over 400 feet!) ---Ed.

Stations Deleted:

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|---------------|-----------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| KTRR-TV Ch. 9 | Lufkin, Texas | WIP-TV Ch. 29 | Philadelphia, Pa. |
| KMSL | " 16 Marshall, Texas | KMER | " 34 Merced, California |
| WSCV | " 17 Spartanburg, S. C. | WTVX | " 34 Goldsboro, N. C. |
| ERTV | " 17 Little Rock, Arkansas | WTTM-TV | " 41 Trenton, New Jersey |
| KITO-TV | " 18 San Bernardino, Calif. | WTLK | " 43 Paducah, Kentucky |
| KTCO | " 20 Fort Worth, Texas | WDBM | " 47 New Brunswick, N. J. |
| WBEY | " 21 Beckley, West Virginia | WSJL | " 49 Bridgeport, Conn. |
| WCBS-TV | " 21 Greenwood, S. C. | WQUC | " 49 Chattanooga, Tennessee |
| WJRE | " 26 Indianapolis, Indiana | WGLM | " 72 Lawrence, Massachusetts |

denotes Educational Facility. * denotes "On the Air."

As always, we are grateful to Bill Moser of Uniontown, Pennsylvania who keeps us up to date with the FCC information. --Hank.

SEEN AND HEARD

Stan Morss, R. R. No. 3, Bradford, Massachusetts:

5/14: KGLO-TV-3, easy Test Pattern and tone 5:05 PM EST to fade out 5:45 then KDAL-3 Deluth took over. 6:45 KYTV-3 Springfield, Mo. easy-like a local both sound and picture to 8 PM. WLMD-2 Dayton 8 PM. WAT, also on 2 earlier but not new. 5/22: WEAR-TV-3 Pensacola, Fla. 3:55 PM EST for about an hour, both voice and sound. Veries: KYTV-3; KDAL-TV-3; WOW-TV-6 and KGLO-TV-3.

Frank Wheeler, Box 176 R. D. 5, Erie, Pennsylvania:

I just put up a Double Stack Fan Array (super-fan) antenna 35' high, which I'm sure will help my TV DXing. It has already, after having it up only 3 days. To date (May 25) I've received the following TV stations thus far: WTCU Ch. 12 100%; CPPL Ch. 10 100%; CBLT Ch. 9 100%; WKEL Ch. 8 50%; WKYZ Ch. 7 60%; CKOC Ch. 13 100%; WEWS Ch. 5 50%; WSEN Ch. 4 90%; and here's one WSEE Ch. 9 our local UHF station which operates on Ch. 35, but I received their test pattern on Ch. 9 several times, but not their programs. I wonder how come?

Ronn de Neuf, 516 Parkway, Ithaca, New York:

I have read your column since I joined the N.R.C. a month ago and find them very interesting. Logged here are 263 points for the NRC TV DX Contest if they all verify. Lately I have received KCEW, WLBT, and KARK all new stations for me and KPRC, WOW, KATV, WTUV, WSB, KRLD, WBAP, KOTV, KYTV, KFEQ and WKY, plus tropospheric and locals. I have now logged 66 stations with only 45 verified and about 40 pictures of patterns or breaks. (Thanks Ronn, and a big WELCOME to the N.R.C.! --Hank)

Hal Wagner, R. D. 1, North Girard, Pennsylvania:

Have had no time to look at TV and when I do turn it on, no skip shows up so have not a thing to report in that line at all. It's going to be hard for tropospheric bending to break thru now with almost all channels filled by fringe or semi fringe stuff. (From the member's reports, Hal, you MUST be missing some good catches. Perhaps your timing is like mine, way off. Hi! -H.)

Hank Ward, 404 North 14th, Ponca City, Oklahoma:

5/22 I was amazed with good video signal from what must have been HIT-TV in the Dominican Republic though no ID slide with that call was given. Only a "Television Nacional" ID slide, no country. Plenty of info for a report but loused up time angle in getting to P.O. for some I.R.C.'s. Moral: Keep a supply on hand. Also seen that date but not needed, WBR-TV on 4 in Jacksonville, Florida. KOAK-TV, 7 in Pittsburg, Kansas logged recently as well as XTEN, 10 in Ada, Oklahoma. 6/7 the bands were teeming with activity from 5 p.m. (CST) until around 6:30. New ones were WFBC-TV Ch. 4, Greenville, S.C.; WCSC-TV Ch. 5, Charleston, S.C.; and WFED-TV Ch. 6 in Wilmington, N.C. Also received but not needed were WEAR-TV Baltimore, Md. and WFTV Charlotte, N.C.

Fred Van Voorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Pennsylvania:

Waited until May first to start reporting TV stations. Have now reported to WGAL-TV, WBAL-TV, WMAL-TV, WHUM-TV, WTPA, WABC-TV, WDEL-TV, WSBA-TV, and WFBG-TV. Of this group WBAL-TV, WMAL-TV, WTPA, and WABC-TV have verified. Whoops, also got WFBG-TV yesterday, so the TV DX is moving along. So far the only DX (Stations which are not normally available) has been WDEL-TV, Channel 12; WTVR, Channel 6; WTRF, Channel 7; WABC-TV, Channel 7; WJAC-TV, Channel 6. WTVR, WTRF, and WJAC-TV were all seen before the first of May, so reports were not sent. Hope they show up again. I have still seen nothing to convince me that DX is possible on UHF. Still have seen nothing other than the seven stations which have always been seen. They haven't varied in quality or strength either. They are always just as good or just as bad. Best distance is about 45 miles, and one local 5 miles away is snowy. I'll really be surprised if I turn up any DX here on my various wandering tries. Well, after mentioning the above stations to whom reports have been sent, I still have the following regulars to write: WMAR-TV; WPTZ; WNBW; WTTG (not very regular, more unusual); WFIL-TV; WTOP-TV; WCAU-TV; (Forgot, I wrote WAAM too); WLBR-TV; WNOV-TV; WCHA-TV; and WHP-TV. 11 regulars to get yet. Usually try to log one every evening I'm home. Eleven o'clock is a good time, for almost all have local news programs with plenty of good logging information.

Mike Ferguson, 3337 Prospect, Houston 4, Texas:

In case you haven't enough to fill up your TV page, you might be interested in my reception of WMBR-TV Channel 4, Jacksonville, Fla. and WCCO-TV-4- Twin Cities. Stationary antenna pointed toward Galveston makes more DX impossible but pretty thrilled about WCCO-TV as antenna is pointed other way. Had NBC on Ch. 5 which I believe was KSD-TV St. Louis. Also on Channel 4, June 6, 9:30-10 p.m. CST had unidentified station with filmed "Toast of the Town," a program I saw here the Sunday before. Rather odd time for such a program to be on unless it was West Coast signal. Would appreciate any ideas anybody might have about identity of this one.

Bill Moser, 217 Connellsville Street, Uniontown, Pennsylvania:

As predicted, this is a hot season for TV DX and I hope no one is missing all the excitement. 5/13 - WMT-TV reported and verified. KFEQ-TV and KGNC-TV also reported and verified. WTVJ and WOI-TV seen, but neither one needed. 5/14 - KFEL-TV and KOA-TV seen. 5/23 - KFDX-TV and KMID reported and verified. WKY-TV, KGNC-TV, and KWFT-TV also seen. 5/24 - KFBC-TV reported. KOA-TV and KFEL-TV were seen along with KGNC-TV. 5/26 - KMTV reported and verified. Television Nacional, channel 3, reported. Also seen were WPAI-TV, WEAR-TV, WLW-TV, KPRC-TV, WBNS-TV, WLBT, CMQ-TV, CMHQ-TV, WMBR-TV and Television Nacional, channel 4. 6/1 - KGBT-TV, KGBS-TV and KRGV-TV reported. KMTV, KPRC-TV, XHTV, XEW-TV, and WOAI-TV also on the air. 6/2 - KOA-TV, KFEL-TV, KRLD-TV and KMID were seen. 6/3 - KARK-TV reported. Also seen were WBEN-TV, KGNC-TV, WMBR-TV, WLBT, WEAR-TV and KPRC-TV. 6/4 - KPRC-TV was seen some more. 6/6 - KMID and WOAI-TV were on the air here. Locals WXEL and WLW-D have also been reported. 6/7 - KFEQ-TV, WOI-TV, KRLD-TV, WBAP-TV, WOAI-TV, KGBS-TV, KFDX-TV, and KWFT-TV all seen. 73's.

Hal Wagner, RD 1, North Girard, Pennsylvania:

I've been on the go constantly here for past 6 to 8 weeks and have caught no TV openings at all. However, tonight (6/6) while helping wife rearrange TV and radio in living room, turned set on when finished and noted cross-hatching on local WIGU ch. 12 only 15 miles away, turned out to be CHCH Hamilton, Ont. ch. 11 with test pattern and announcing that regular programings start tomorrow June 7th at 8 pm EST. Boy, if only they would come in like that all the time, they must be 100 miles away, high band reception was pretty good this evening so don't imagine they will hold up all the time. Our local paper, owners of WSEE, ch 35 in Erie are now printing the ad for CEPL in London so you can

(Hal Wagner continued) imagine how well it comes in.

Bob Cooper, 1016 Sunnybrook Drive, Lafayette, California:

I have had some pretty fair luck with TV here and have logged the following stations: WJBL, WBBM, WKZO, KPRC, WBAY, KMLD, KFDX, KVOA, KROD, KFEL and XE7. Six of them are double hop and 3 are over 2,000 miles. Not much else here as I have been real busy.

Maurice W. Wittler, Geneva, Nebraska:

This is my first report on TV-DXing since I have only recently acquired a receiver. However, I have been doing okay using a 30-foot Bazooka antenna (channels 2-13). Have picked up stations in 18 states from coast to coast and Washington, D. C., in the last couple of weeks. Have veries from WBBN-TV-4; WBTB-TV-3; WSYR-TV-3; WKZO-TV-3; WBBK-TV-3; WSB-TV-2; WRBL-TV-4; WJAC-TV-6; KBOI-TV-2; WJAR-TV-2; WCSC-TV-5; KPHO-TV-5; WOI-TV-5; KCRI-TV-9; KWTB-TV-9; KELO-TV-11; and have reported WJBR-TV-Jacksonville; WVAR-TV-Pensacola; KNHH-Los Angeles; WDTV-Pittsburgh; WFLY-Greensboro; KROD-TV-El Paso; WNBC-Greenville, S.C.; WSAZ-TV-Huntington; WTTG-Washington, D.C.; WJBK-TV-Detroit; KWVL-TV-Waterloo; and KHQA-Hannibal. Don't think this is bad for two week's work. (A-men, H.) I have a directional antenna pointed towards Omaha, 125 miles northeast. Have not had much in the last few days but Monday 6/7 had Jacksonville-4 and Syracuse-3 in for the second times. Have picked up Pittsburgh-2; Boise-2 and Baltimore-2 several times each, so have had a fairly profitable debut in TV-DXing.

OVERSEAS REPORT

Ken Brownless, 7, The Avenue, Clifton, York, England:

A report appears in the Daily Express reporting that on May 9 - between 10:30/11:00 GMT a 9" tube TV receiver tuned to the Holme Moss VISION channel of 51.75 mc. produced a faint signal of what is thought to have been an American test card. The main point, as I see it, is that as far as I can see from W.R.H. NO U.S.A. TV stations work on a frequency for vision as high as 51.75 mc. Channel 2 is 55.25/59.75. Unless there are vision signals on 51.75 it seems that it is NOT a U.S. signal. Attached is a list of the TV stations now in use in the United Kingdom. '73's and good DX. (I replied to Ken and sent along several sketches of American ID and Test Slides and shortly after received an Aerogramme from Ken which follows. Hank.) Thanks very much for your comments on the TV problem, I find them interesting. It seems from your remarks and also those of some of my English radio friends that the station is NOT American in origin. (The list of TV stations now in use in the U.K. that Ken sent follow. Hank.)

| Station | Vision Mc/s | Sound Mc/s |
|----------------------|-------------|------------|
| Alexandra Palace | 45.00 | 41.50 |
| Sutton Coldfield | 61.75 | 58.25 |
| Holme Moss | 51.75 | 48.25 |
| Kirk o' Shotts | 56.75 | 53.25 |
| Wenvoe | 66.75 | 63.25 |
| Pontop Pike | 66.75 | 63.25 |
| Glencairn | 45.00 | 41.50 |
| Truleigh Hill | 56.75 | 53.25 |
| Douglas, Isle of Man | 66.75 | 63.25 |

VERIE SIGNERS

- KFEQ-TV Channel 2 Doris Lewis, Mailing Department
- WMT-TV " 2 William B. Quarton, General Manager
- KMFV " 3 QSL card, no signer.
- KFDX-TV " 3 Howard H. Fry, Vice-President
- KANC-TV " 4 Bud Thompson (No title)

--Bill Moser, Uniontown, Penna.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

CINCINNATI
RED LEGS
WCFO-1230 WBHU-2240 WTB-1360 WCSI*-1010 WGNB*-1580 WLRP-1570*
WKBV-1490 WPKY-1490 WKIC-1340 WVLK-590 WPBT*-960 WKY-1340
WATH*-1640 WILE-1130 WREX-1490 WOND-980 WIRO-1230 WHOK-1320
WIMA-1240 WMCA-1490 WWHN-1490 WFTB-910 WCLT*-1430 WPDV*-1570
WNXT-1360 WIZE-1340 WCHO*-1250 WKOV*-1570 WHIZ-1240 WNNR-690
WKNA-950 WHTN*-800 WVOW-1290 WCOM*-1050 WPAR-1450

MILWAUKEE
BRAVES

WEMP-1340 WTMJ-630 KOHA*-860 WDBA-1490 KXIC*-800 KRIB-1490
KOEL-950 WESK-1490 WIKB-1230 WDMJ-1320 WDSM-710 KDHL-920 WCOV-
1590 WSHB-860 WATK*-900 WHBY-1230 WATW-1400 WHEV*-1430 WBEL-
*1380 WGEZ-1490 WBIZ-1400 KPZ-1450 WJPG-1440 WCLO-1230 WKTY-
580 WLDY-1340 WISC-1480 WWO*-980 WMAM-570 WDLB-1450 WIGM-1490
WNAM-1290 WOSH-1490 WPDR-1460* WPRE*-1280 WOBT-1240 WVMC-1240
WRCO-1450 WKLJ*-990 WSPT*-1010 WDOR*-910 WTTN*-1580 WAUX*-1510
WOSA-550

NEW YORK
GIANTS

WGSS-1490 WMBO-1340 WFCB-1410 WENY-1230 WVOS-1240 WLFH-1230
WHD-1270 WADR-1260 WSCR-1320 WBRE-1340 WMCA-570 (All games)

PHILADELPHIA
PHILLIES

Same network as Philadelphia American League. When game times do
not conflict, network will air both games; when they do, they'll
carry the home game except the last home game of a home stand.

PITTSBURGH
PIRATES

WWSW-970 WDYK-1230 WRTA-1240 WBVP-1230 WBUT*-1050 WOPA*-900
WCVI-1340 WQED-1230 WLIB-620 WHUN*-1150 WDAD-1450 WJAC-1230
WKST-1280 WKRZ-1340 WVSC*-990 WMAJ-1450 WKBI-1400 WMAE-1390*
WBLK-1400 WVVW-1490 WKWK-1400

ST. LOUIS
CARDINALS

KXOK-630 KWHN-1320 KHOZ-1240 KWFO-1340 KBTM-1240 KGHI-1260
KTLO-1490 KNEY*-1280 KDRS-1490 KBRB-1340 WJBC-1230 WKRO-1490
WROY*-1460 WGIL-1400 WEBQ-1400 WJPT-1340 WKET-1450 WQUA-1230
WIRL-1290 WGEM-1440 WMAY-970 WHIW-1340 WTGJ-1230 KPIG-1450
KOKK-1310 KWPC*-860 KTHF-920 KSOK-1280 KCRB*-1460 KGGF-690
KSEK-1340 WREN-1250 WNBS-1340 WMCA-1230 KFVS-960 KCHR*-1350
KCHI*-1010 KFRU-1400 KREI*-800 KMD-1240 KHM-1070 KWOS-930
KFSB-1310 KXBO-1340 KNCM-1230 KNET-1240 KWOC-1340 KTR-1490
KSCM-980 KFEQ-680 KSMO-1340 KDRO-1490 KSLM-1400 KICK-1340
KALM*-1290 KWFM-1450 KGLC-910 KMUS-1380 WDSG-1450 WIRJ*-740
WJNS-1390 WMPB-680 WENK-1240. * indicates days only; Others, all.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

HOLLYWOOD - KWFB-980. All games. LOS ANGELES - KMPC-710. All games.
OAKLAND - KILX-910. All games. PORTLAND - KWJJ-1080. All games.
SACRAMENTO - KFBK-1530. All games. SAN DIEGO - KSDO-1130. All games.
SAN FRANCISCO - KSFO-560. All games. SEATTLE - KOL-1300, KHKW-1450 KVOB-
790 KELA-1460 KHKO-1380 KBRG-1430 KGY-
1240 KONP-1450 KAPA-1340 KTNT. All games.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

CHARLESTON - WCAW-1400 WNNR-620 WLOG-1330. All games.
COLUMBUS - WHKC-610. All games. INDIANAPOLIS - WISH-1310. All weekday games.
KANSAS CITY - WEB-710. All games. LOUISVILLE - WINN-1240. All games except
Sunday home games.
MINNEAPOLIS - WLGL-1330. All games, except Sundays and holidays.
ST. PAUL - WMIN-1400. All games, except Sunday and holiday home games.
TOLEDO - WOHO-1470. All games.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

BUFFALO - WEBR-970 and WGR-550. All games. HAVANA - CMCF-910, CMCD-740. All home.
MONTREAL - No arrangements known yet. OTTAWA - CFRA-560. All games.
RICHMOND - WLEE-1480. All games. ROCHESTER - WREY-950, WBTA-1490, WCPA-
1240. All games.

NINETY-ONE STATIONS DXED FOR THE N. R. C. THIS SEASON
- by Len Kruse

The Courtesy Programs Committee of the NRC, under the Chairmanship of Sid Rosenbaum, has arranged and presented ninety-one (91) stations for special DX programs for the club during the 1953-1954 DX season. How many of these did you log? During the six-month period this would average 15 programs per month. It might interest you to know that DXes came from two thirds of the states, plus several foreign countries, so everyone will readily agree it was a banner year for the CPC. Our hats are off to Sid Rosenbaum and his staff! The DX Specials came from:

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|-----------------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------|---------------------|
| W R O S 1330 | 1,000 D | Scottsboro, Ala. | W H E D 1340 | 250 | Washington, N. C. |
| W J B Y 1240 | 250 | Gadsden, Ala. | W T R F 1290 | 1,000 | Belleaire, Ohio |
| K H O Z 1240 | 250 | Harrison, Ark. | W O N W 1280 | 500 | Defiance, Ohio |
| K O S E 860 | 1,000 D | Osceola, Ark. | K P A M 1410 | 1,000 D | Portland, Oregon |
| K F X M 590 | 1,000 | San Bernardino Cal. | K O D L 1230 | 250 | The Dalles, Ore. |
| K T I M 1510 | 1,000 D | San Rafael, Cal. | K U I N 1340 | 250 | Grants Pass, Ore. |
| K C K O 570 | 1,000 D | Alturas, Calif. | W P M E 1540 | 1,000 D | Punxsutawney, Pa. |
| K G L N 1340 | 250 | Glenwood Spgs. Col. | W P X Y 1380 | 1,000 D | Punxsutawney, Pa. |
| K I U P 930 | 1,000 | Durango, Colo. | W F R M 600 | 500 D | Coudersport, Pa. |
| W N A B 1450 | 250 | Bridgeport, Conn. | W V P O 840 | 250 D | Stroudsburg, Pa. |
| W G G G 1230(2) | 250 | Gainesville, Fla. | W B A X 1240 | 250 | Willas-Barre, Pa. |
| W Z K O 860 | 250 D | Cocoa, Florida | W V P A 1340 | 250 | Williamsport, Pa. |
| W H W D 1320 | 500 D | Hollywood, Fla. | W G C B 1440 | 1,000 D | Red Lion, Penna. |
| W G T A 950 | 1,000 D | Summerville, Ga. | K D S J 980 | 1,000 | Deadwood, S. D. |
| W M O G 1490 | 250 | Brunswick, Ga. | K R S D 1340 | 250 | Rapid City, S.D. |
| W B G E 1340 | 250 | Atlanta, Ga. | W M T S 860 | 250 D | Murfreesboro, Tenn. |
| W I T Y 980 | 1,000 | Danville, Ill. | K V S P 1460 | 500 D | Lubbock, Texas |
| W K A W 1330 | 500 D | Evanston, Ill. | K V O Z 1490 | 250 | Laredo, Texas |
| W C S I 1010 | 250 D | Columbus, Ind. | W H W B 1000 | 1,000 D | Rutland, Vermont |
| K P I G 1450 | 250 | Cedar Rapids, Ia. | W T W N 1340 | 250 | St. Johnsbury, Vt. |
| K I U L 1240 | 250 | Garden City, Kans. | W J O Y 1230 | 250 | Burlington, Vt. |
| K G G F 690 | 10,000 | Doffeyville, Kans. | W L S D 1220 | 250 D | Big Stone Gap, Va. |
| K B T O 1360 | 500 D | Eldorado, Kansas | W S S V 1240 | 250 | Petersburg, Va. |
| W L B N 1590 | 500 D | Lebanon, Ky. | W K E Y 1340 | 250 | Covington, Va. |
| W F U L 1270 | 1,000 D | Fulton, Ky. | K P K W 1340 | 250 | Pasco, Wash. |
| K T I B 630 | 500 D | Thibodaux, La. | K U J - 1420 | 5,000 | Walla Walla, Wash. |
| W T T R 1470 | 1,000 D | Westminster, Md. | K T A C 850 | 1,000 | Tacoma, Wash. |
| W A A B 1440 | 5,000 | Worcester, Mass. | W P F P 1450 | 100 | Park Falls, Wisc. |
| W G A W 1340 | 250 | Gardner, Mass. | W E K Z 1250 | 500 D | Monroe, Wisc. |
| W L Y N 1360(2) | 1,000 D | Lynn, Mass. | K L U K 1240 | 250 | Evanston, Wyo. |
| W M P C 1230 | 250 | Lapeer, Mich. | K v W O 1370 | 1,000 D | Cheyenne, Wyo. |
| W A T T 1240 | 250 | Cadillac, Mich. | K B Y R 1240 | 250 | Anchorage, Alaska |
| K R O C 1340 | 250 | Rochester, Minn. | C K L N 1240 | 250 | Nelson, B. C. |
| W J M B 1340 | 250 | Brookhaven, Miss. | C H W K(4)1270 | 1,000 | Chilliwack, B.C. |
| W L S M 1270 | 1,000 D | Louisville, Miss. | C K R D 850 | 1,000 | Red Deer, Alta. |
| W A Z F 1230 | 250 | Yazoo City, Miss. | C K L C 1380 | 1,000 | Kinston, Ont. |
| K F G T 1340 | 100 | Fremont, Nebr. | C H R C 800 | 5,000 | Quebec, P. Q. |
| W L F H 1230 | 250 | Little Falls, N.Y. | C J G X 940 | 1,000 | Yorkton, Sask. |
| W G V A 1240 | 250 | Geneva, N. Y. | G F H R 1230 | 100 | Hay River, N.W.T. |
| W H A Z 1330 | 1,000 | Troy, N. Y. | C F Y T 1230 | 100 | Dawson, Y. T. |
| W L N A 1420 | 1,000 D | Peekskill, N.Y. | H G J B 700 | 1,000 | Quito, Ecuador |
| W S A Y 1370 | 1,000 | Rochester, N.Y. | H O G - 840 | 500 | Panama City, Pan. |
| W A L L 1340 | 250 | Middletown, N.Y. | Y S D F 1330 | 50,000 | San Salvador, E. |
| W N R C 1460 | 500 D | New Rochelle, NY | 4 V Y M 1250 | 1,000 | Fort-au-Prince, H. |
| W R E V 1220 | 250 D | Raidsville, N.C. | C N H C 1410 | 1,000 | Santa Clara, Cub. |
| W O X F 1340 | 250 | Oxford, N.C. | | | |

We want to thank each and every member of this most important committee for having arranged for such a fine DX card for us the past season. We express our thanks also to the above stations and their personnel, and also thank our membership for supporting the programs with their fine DX reports. And, while still in a thanking mood, thanks also to Len Kruse who compiled this list for us. A great season has ended!

- 770 WABC New York N Y back on alnight Except MON AMS (E Cooper-Brkin)
- 830 WNYC New York N Y S/on 7-days a week at 0555 (E Cooper)
- 900 CHML Hamilton, Ont seems to have quit alnighing (E Cooper)
- XEW Mexico City D F also seems to have quit alnighing (E Cooper)
- 950 WPEN Philadelphia Penn a new Alniter Ex MON AMS (Erick Johnson)
- KIMN Denver Colo NOW s/off daily at 0300 (Len Kruse-Iowa)
- 1170 KSTT Davenport Iowa 24 hours ex MON AMS on ~~xxx~~ 0545 (Kruse)
- 1180 WHAM Rochester N Y seems to have quit alnighing (E Cooper)
- 1300 WERE Cleveland Ohio is another new alnigher (E Cooper)
- 1400 WDOT Burlington Vt S/on weekdays at 0430 - off 0002 and heard on F/C-TT on 6/5 (1st SAT 0145-0155, (E Cooper))E Cooper)
- WICK Scranton Penn S/off at 0004, has local record show last hr.
- 1490 WMRB Greenville S C F/C-TT 3rd SAT at 0450-0500 (Kruse)
- WGSS Amsterdam N Y on-top at 0500 S/on. (Joe Enz-Brooklyn N Y)
- 1540 WADK Newport R I in clear here eves around 1900-1930 (Enz)
- 1580 KFMA Davenport Iowa F/C is 1st TUES at 0630-0645 (Kruse)
- 1590 WADP Kane Penn hrd ETing, mostly TT and OC on 6/5 (Erick Johnson)

Well lads this cleans up everything received at this location. Remember Lefty has moved his deadline date up one day for the summer issues. I asked for this because his stencils, although mailed as he always did, has not been arriving until Saturday mornings. I like to get the DX News mailed Saturday mornings because it seems to make better time in being delivered. However if this issue is received a few days late you can blame it on it being an extra large issue. So it might still be a monday mailing this issue. I'll try hard for Sat. However with my work schedule bawled up again I will be working from 4PM to Mdt Friday and Saturday and again same time when next issue is due to be issued. Anyway all of you have a real enjoyable summer.

Board Chairman, Bob Gorsuch states that in the July issue of DX-NEWS there will be a page of notes and comment on the years activity of the Board of Directors.

An item for you members in Service. When you have a change of address, please drop a line to Club Headquarters. Remember your copies of DX NEWS are not forwarded by the service but returned to the club and because we have no knowledge of your new address, well we just have to hold them and wait until information is received from you. Then also on those returned to us we have to pay return postage which could be avoided if your change of address is sent to the Club.

In future issues more news will be published regarding our annual convention. This year the entire 3 days affair will be held at the home of Joe and Marty Brauner. This idea was Marty's and agreed to by Pop. Thought it would be very nice to have it all in one place. In the August 14th issue final information will be published as to the deadline for reservations etc. So better make your plans now. From past years we can assure you a swell time. Plenty of DXers and plenty of DX talk and plenty of eats.

Lastly we urge you to watch the different deadlines for the different Editors. They are listed in each section. One especially to check is Lefty's deadline for the August 14th issue. I believe his will be a week earlier than usual account of his vacation falling in the week of August 8th and this year Pop will be unable to cut stencils for him. Well thats it until July 17th. So-long for now Pop

Edited by: Roy H. Miller, P.O. Box 754, Bellevue, Wash.

"DX DOWN THE DIAL--WESTERN STYLE"

- 570kc 2YA Wellington, New Zealand noted with political talk from 4:17-4:32AM, May 17th. (Bob Cooper, Lafayette, Calif.)
- 660 2YG Wellington, New Zealand noted at 3:12AM, May 17th. (Cooper)
- 730 KBOY Medford, Ore. heard testing May 29th from 3:19-3:40AM. (Jim Critchett, San Diego, Calif.) Also, noted by your Ed. on R/s and in the clear after KULE S/off at 10:30PM until KBOY S/off at 10:45PM, this on May 27th. Verie signer is C.E. Wilson, Mgr.
- 800 CHAR Moose Jaw, Sask. S/off at 3:41AM, May 16th. (Cooper)
- 86C 2YZ Napier, New Zealand noted with music and variety show at 2:42AM, May 17th. (Cooper) A nice logging! -Ed.
- 920 KLCN Blytheville, Ark. noted with Early Morning Gospel Show at 4:20AM, May 17th. (Cooper) Bob, you mean 910kc/s? -Ed.
- 960 KAVR Victorville, Calif. now on R/s, HT only. (Critchett)
- 995 TLEB San Jose, Costa Rica operates from 11:AM-11:PM daily (exc. Sun. from 2:PM-11:PM) with lkw from Vertical antenna. QRA: Apartado 1307, San Jose, Costa Rica. This info. from station and S.W. QSL card. (Miller)
- 1140 CKXL Calgary, Alberta noted with "All Night House Party" at 5:09 AM, May 16th. (Cooper) /er
- 1150 KAYO Seattle, Wash. announced testing 4:20-4:35AM, May 17. (Cooper)
- 1230 KELY Ely, Nev., F/c June 14th, 3:30-3:45AM with tone. (Critchett)
- KYJG Medford, Ore. F/c 5:5-5:15AM, May 17th. (Cooper) I see listed 4:30-4:45AM--Ed.
- KLAN Renton, Wash. F/c 3:45-4:AM, May 17th. (Cooper)
- KRIZ Phoenix, Ariz. heard with News at 4:30AM, May 23rd. (Cooper)
- 1240 KBMA Santa Maria, Calif. stays on until 4:AM Sundays; heard May 30th. (Critchett)
- KXLJ Helena, Mont. heard with All night Fishing show, 5:30-5:45 AM, May 16th. (Cooper) / (Cooper)
- KWRC Pendleton, Ore. noted with Election Returns, 5:20AM, May 22/
- CJAV Fort Alberni, Br. Col., S/off at 5:06AM, May 23rd. (Cooper)
- 1280 KTLN Denver, Colo. noted with music at 4:54AM, May 16th, announced as new frequency. (Cooper) Also, noted on until 4:AM, Sun. May 30th. (Critchett) / (Critchett)
- 1290 KINY Juneau, Alaska heard good until 3:AM S/off, Sat. June 5th.
- 1340 KGLS (?) ETing at 4:28AM, May 17th. (Cooper) Bob--KGLS is on 1360, I believe; check call?? -Ed.
- 1350 WBAY ----- heard with Palsey Telethon, 3:50AM, May 23rd. (Cooper) I'm lost! Where is WBAY?? -Ed.
- KSPO Spokane, Wash. heard with all-night show at 5:55AM, May 23rd. (Cooper) Isn't KSPO on 1340?? I think tis. -Ed.
- 1370 KCLF Butte, Mont. All night fishing show, May 16th. (Cooper)
- 1380 KWK St. Louis, Mo. S/on at 5:45AM, May 22nd. (Cooper)
- KNOE PLEASE NOTE: ALL TIMES HEREIN ARE EASTERN STANDARD TIME (I hope Ed.)
- 1390 KNOE Monroe, La. S/on at 6:AM, May 17th. (Cooper) Ed.)
- 1440 KMLB Monroe, La. News noted 6:-6:15AM, May 17th. (Cooper)
- 1450 KEYY Provo, Utah heard ETing 4:50-5:05AM, May 22nd. (Cooper)
- 1480 WHBO Canton, Ohio S/on 5:AM, May 22nd. (Cooper)
- 1490 KENE Toppenish, Wash. said F/c 3:40-3:50AM, Thurs., June 10th. (Critchett) "Radio Kene" is operating on R/s now. -Ed.

FREQ. CHECKS HEARD AS LISTED: 2nd THURS: KGAL; 3rd MON: KXLJ.

Thanks to Critchett and Cooper for these "heard as listed" F/cs.....

Bob Cooper lists a number of veries received, including OKOV, JOAB, WION, WCAE, KDAC, KWIL, WAPA, KFUY, WROL, WKY, KALG, WBAZ, KGME. KBOY is the only new verie your "Ed." has... OK, this is it. I've "had it" as someone said. It's been fun, and I would sure like to see someone carry on this "FWS"---So, THANKS to all who contributed; see you in "Musings" and FVW's column from time to time. 73s from Bellevue...

CONTEST STANDINGS

1st Place: Robert Seybold, Dunkirk, N. Y.

3 points - WNBK

5 points - WDPV, WJAR-TV

8 points - WBAY-TV, WKZO-TV

12 points - WMT-TV, KFEQ-TV, KYTV, KMTV, WDAF-TV

16 points - KPRC-TV, KRLD-TV, WTVJ.

Total: 137 points.

2nd Place: Bill Moser, Uniontown, Penna.

3 points - WNBK

12 points - KFEQ-TV, WMT-TV, KMTV

16 points - KGNC-TV, KFDX-TV.

Total: 71 points.

3rd Place: Hank Holbrook, Washington, D. C.

1 point - WAAM, WBAL-TV

3 points - WSWA-TV

12 points - WMT-TV

16 points - KMTV.

Total: 33 points.

4th Place: Fred Van Voorhees, Lemoyne, Penna.

1 point - WTPA, WFBG-TV, WBAL-TV

3 points - WJAL-TV

5 points - WABC-TV.

Total: 11 points.

5th Place: Frank Wheeler, Erie, Penna.

1 point - WREN-TV

3 points - WJWS, WHAM-TV, CKCO-TV.

Total: 10 points.

No entries: Bob Brown, Bruce Cleveland, C. B. Conley, Robert Cooper, Ronn de Neuf, and Bob Gorsuch.

TV DX PREDICTION

Bob Cooper, Lafayette, California

Because of the increased number of days open for skip, the 27 day prediction will not be presented. Instead, a general outlook will be given.

June 10-25th: This period will be the most active for skip yet observed by most DXers. The peak should reach you before this column does. Actually, the predicted peak fell between the 12th and 16th with the 13th looking quite good. Watch for multi hop openings in the early evenings, and especially around 9-10 pm in the East. You fellows in the East should have seen some West Coast stations by the end of this period.

June 25-July 10: This is the period during which most of the double hop will occur. In fact, out on the West Coast, it will be more common than single hop. Watch for signals on channels 2, 3 and 4 during the early evening for the following: signals with double images (Reflection), and signals with a dark line passing down the center of the screen. This indicates multi hop signals that have passed over land. The first west coast signal seen by most of you easterners will be KIBL, channel 3 in Eureka, California. You fellows in the middle west can catch a double hop opening by looking for signals to the south during this period, except look around 6 pm local time. And when you DXers in the middle west observe signals coming in from the east and west at the same time, then you know that double hop is in progress on both coasts.

July 10-25th: This is the period of the year when the long single hop sets in. During this period, many signals 1400-1500 miles away will be seen by alert observers. This type of skip occurs between 10 am and 5 pm local time. That's it for this month. Best of DX to all of you!

LATE FCC INFO

New Stations:

- Channel 4 Oak Hill, West Virginia
- " 5 Fort Smith, Arkansas
- " 7 Munford, Alabama*
- " 36 Mansfield, Ohio

Call Change:

- *"Television Nacional" Channel 4, Havana, Cuba (from CMUR-TV)
- On the Air:
- *"Television Nacional" 3, Santa Clara, Cuba

THE LAST WORD

Frank Wheeler, Erie, Pennsylvania: Since my last report (May 25) I received the following new ones: WJAC Chan. 6 35% to perfect, WHAM 50% Ch. 6, WJBK Ch. 2 90%, and CHCH 85% Ch. 11, on test. They are suppose to start tonight (June 7 at 8 p.m. EDT). I received varies from CKCO and they said they were using half power 8 Kw. at the time (May 24); NEWS, WBBN and WHAM. Reports out to CFFL, WJBK, WBBK and CHCH. I have to work during the best hour for dxing (12 noon to 1 p.m.). Log now stands at 14 seen and 4 varies. 73s.

Stan Morss, Bradford, Massachusetts: 6/7 - Between 6 and 9 pm EDT WBBK-3, WBTW-3, KSD-5, WAVE-3, CBWT-4 through local (40 miles) WBZ and only because I used rotor to best advantage. Also seen WZZO-3 but not enough for report. And already verified stations such as WFEQ-2, WVAR-3, KDAL and WLBZ-3. A station on 4 I believe was WTTV gets a tentative report. Varies 25 from 15 states. Have seen 22 states so far. 6/8 - WLBZ-3, WGBS-2 and WVAR-3 seen poorly.

Ray Edge, 325 Shirley Avenue, Buffalo 15, New York: My son-in-law is really interested in T-V DXing, since April he has seen stations from 18 states for a total of 35 different stations. Last evening, early around dinner time, (6/7) he had 7 of them with 5 of them being new ones, especially KDAL-TV and one from Rapid City, S. D. and Bismarck, N. D.

Ron de Neuf, Ithaca, New York: I had 2 big DX days here in Ithaca. 5/18 when I got KRLD, WBAF, KOEN, WLBZ, KARK, KPRC, WTVJ, WXY, KOTV and KFDX. On 5/20 I logged PRF-3-TV, CMA, WTVJ, CMAQ, CMAQ and I believe YLV? Also logged for the month of May, WDAI and KFEL on 5/24 plus 2 "probables" KOA and KFBC. 5/26 I logged WVAR and JSB. Other DX logged includes KATV, WOW, WDTV, WOR, WABC, WABD, WBBZ, WGBS, KATV, KBBQ, WTTG, WMAI and WVAR. Also, CHLT, WPTZ and WFIL, plus "locals." PRF-3-TV was my best DX. Bob Seybold also logged PRF-3 but did not log other foreign stations. Antenna used for Tropospheric Bending is a Binghamton Channel 12-15 element co-linear. Skip was logged on a 2 bay double stacked Channel 6 Yagi. Receiver here is a Zenith 17 inch. Tropospheric Bending is exceptionally good this year. WNEO, 200 miles over the Adirondacks is my pride and joy. Age here is 15 and I am a ham, KN2DXX. Well, good DX luck. I'll send a report the end of June.

Hank Ward, Ponca City, Oklahoma: HIT-TV turns out to be, I'm sorry to say, CUBA! Enid, Oklahoma on 5 slated to began tests June 15th. 6/12 - WXY-TV, KATV, KZEN, KOAM-TV, KTVH and shadow picture from KOTV seen here. 100% clarity of audio and video for KATV which is unusual and got to enjoy Jackie Gleason's show which was a prime favorite of mine before CBS opened operations on KATV and had the channel 6 antenna up for KOTV. Latest word from out of Oklahoma City is to the effect that KATV won't have that 1500-plus-foot tower ready for operation before Fall.

Well that's the TV DXer for June 1954. . .and from the lineup of your swell reports, the listings in the Contest Standings, and your other comments. .this is truly proving to be THE banner year for TV DX. Hope that next month ALL your TV DX fans in the N.R.C. will have a report of activity in here. From the openings being reported across the country all of you MUST have SOMETHING to report. So, how about it gang, let's have a deluge of reports for July on this tremendous amount of TV DX that is available this year, the greatest for both quantity AND quality!

DEADLINE for the July TV DXer will be SATURDAY, July 10, in Ponca City!

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