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

Date	Host Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. EST	Station Time
Mon. Jan. 12	K O W N	1450	Escondido, California	250	4:15-4:45	1:15 PST
Mon. Feb. 2	K F N F	920	Shenandoah, Iowa	500	3:30-4:00	2:30 CST
	2 W L C X	1490	La Crosse, Wisconsin	250	3:30-4:00	2:30 CST
Mon. Feb. 9	C K X	1150	Brandon, Manitoba	1,000	3:00-4:00	2:00 CST
	9 C F R C	1490	Kingston, Ontario	100	4:00-5:00	4:00 EST
Mon. Feb. 23	W A M P	1520	Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania	5,000	3:00-5:00	3:00 EST

FOR THE NEWARK NEWS RADIO CLUB

Thu. Jan. 8	W A K N	990	Aiken, South Carolina	1,000	3:00-3:30	3:00 EST
Sat. Jan. 10	W A T S	960	Sayre, Pennsylvania	1,000	12:30-1:00	12:30 EST
Mon. Jan. 12	C F A C	960	Calgary, Alberta	5,000	4:00-5:00	2:00 EST
Thu. Jan. 15	W H C H	1260	Church Hill, Tennessee	1,000	1:30-2:00	1:30 EST
Fri. Jan. 16	C J D V ?	910?	Drumheller, Alberta	1,000	4:10-4:45	2:10 EST
Sat. Jan. 24	C J B Q	800	Belleville, Ontario	1,000	4:00-5:00	4:00 EST
Mon. Jan. 26	K B R C	1430	Mount Vernon, Washington	5,000	3:01-6:00	12:01 PST
Mon. Feb. 9	Z B M 1	1235	Hamilton, Bermuda	250	12:01-5:00	1:01 AST
	9 C F R C	1490	Kingston, Ontario	100	4:00-5:00	4:00 EST
	9 C K X	1150	Brandon, Manitoba	1,000	3:00-4:00	2:00 CST

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HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

✓630	K G V W	Belgrade, Montana	NRC	✓1230	K I A L	Ex-KVAS	NRC
✓	W I S K	Ex-1590 kc/s.	NRC	✓1580	K D O M	Windom, Minnesota	NRC

V E R I E S I G N E R S

540	W D A K	Allen M. Woodall, P	F	1070	K N X	Ted Denton	C
550	W SqV A	J. B. Foley, CE	BD	1100	W HqL I	F. Knaack, CE	C
570	W NqA X	Clif Todd, CE	B	1130	W D G Y	Kenneth E. Larson, XSu	E
590	W R O W	Charles R. Heisler, CE	D	1140	K S O O	Max E. Pierce, CE	F
610	W I P	Varner Paulson, PD	I	1150	K JpB C	Jack Beal, CE	K
	W T V H	Eugene Cafege	I	1170	K V O O	John M. Bushnell, DoE	I
	W G I R	Harry H. Handfield, CE	D	1220	W E R T	Kenneth E. Kunze, CE, GM	L
620	W H E N	Robert W. Ardner, CE	D		W A V N	Douglas Anes, CE	M
	W S U E	William J. Couling, CE	B	1230	W T O L	J. A. Weygant, E	I
	W A T E	Wayne Hudson, PD	B	1240	W O W L	Mel Hunt, CE	D
630	K H O W	Ben Stenton	B		K D L R	Bert Wick, GM	A
	C J E T	Ron McKee, PD	D	1260	W EqZ E	Homer H. Odom, GM	E
640	C HqHqQ	R. Lopez Luiuf	D	1280	K T O O	Robert A. Janes, VP	B
650	K R C T	Deacon Dougherty	B	1300	W AqV Z	Fred Brill, SE	D
740	W K I S	W. R. Miller, CE	C		W R B C	William K. Phillips, CE	I
750	K HqH J	U. L. Lynch, CE	A	1310	K NqO X	David L. Chumley, CE	BD
770	W E W	Bruce Barrington, GM	F		W IqS H	Stokes Gresham Jr.	D
790	W H C	Dean L. Osmundson, PM	B	1330	W EpV D	Kenneth J. Moyy, Su	D
800	C J B Q	J. B. Buchanan, E	D	1370	K F R O	James R. Curtis, P	I
	C K L W	John Godrom, Publ. D	E	1400	WqJpLuB	G. E. Ryan, CE	D
	YpV MnB	Jose Muntane	H		C K C Y	J. H. Meadows, Prod M	K
830	K B O A	John T. Reeder, SM	B	1410	W IpM G	E. Ryan, CE	D
860	W IfV K	Milton Jones, CE	E	1420	W R B L	Joseph Gamble, CE	I
870	W K A R	John Blakeslee, CE	E		W K T F	Albert F. Moore, CE	J
880	W R F D	Harold Schnaaf, CE	E		W E M B	David Bruce, PD	J
900	K A L P	David A. Womack, GM	E	1440	K I L O	Arnold Patricia, CE	BE
	K F L D	B. K. Barker, Jr., CE	B	1490	W I G M	Ray Bohnert, CE	B
910	W J H L	William C. Hunter, CE	B		W O L F	Donald A. Muir, CE	D
	V PqF B	L. H. Bechmitt, CE	J		W D X B	James B. Robison, CE	I
920	K T L W	Luke Stribling, CE	B		K O R N	R. V. Eppel, GM	K
950	K S E L	Gerald H. Sanders, GM	A	1520	K A C Y	Claude Warren, CE	K
	K XqJ K	W. L. Smith, CE	B	1570	X E R F	Almaiza Martinez	C
	K B H S	A. M. McGregor, P	I		W L S C	Arthur D. Nix, CE	GLM
960	C K W S	Bert Cobb, CE	J	1580	W O W E	Robert L. Ritz, CE	H
	W A B G	Don Neil, M	B		W E S Y	M. Abraham, CoM	I
980	W T E Y	Frank S. Belasko, CE	B		W A M Y	C. C. Boren, GM	I
	W R C	J. G. Rogers	J	1590	W AqT M	Thomas C. Miniard	K
	C F P L	Mary Pascoe	J	1600	W BfL Y	Carl Egbert, CE	M
990	W T I G	Joseph Kish Jr., CE	D		W H B T	Ted Foster	M
1050	C H U M	George Jones, CE	I		W H L L	Fred A. Grewe Jr., GM	E
1060	C FqC M	R. Lamb	BC		K A T Z	E. O. Rich, CE	I

C R E D I T S

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B - M. Wright	E - T. Shindedecker	H - S. Morss	K - K. Robinson
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			M - E. Cooper

John Tudenhom - 4248 West 12th - Amarillo, Texas

Ross Harp here in Amarillo told me of your Club. I hold an amateur license, K5CYK, also a first class commercial and work part time at Station KLYN here in Amarillo. I am interested in BCE DXing. (Welcome, John, to NRC - your note forwarded by H.W.-Ed.)

K O W N

Monday, 1/12/59, 4:15-4:45 a.m. EST

Julia C. Owen, President, Route 3, Box 29

This is one of radio's newer stations, having opened for regular operation on May 1 of 1958, so not too many DXers have heard it yet. Pres. Julia Owen says they'll be happy to put on an NRC DX program, and it has been suggested they use marches and polkas for easier identity of their signal, plus some info about Escondido. Escondido is in the center of the avocado empire of the world. Eastern members will probably have to lose out on this new station, due to all-night operation by WJXN/WLEU/WQSN but in the West, 1450 opens up Monday mornings at 1:10 a.m., PST after KPAL's s/off. We hope all of you are able to hear, then, the Polomar Broadcasting Company's station, KOWN. F. Wittler

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FREQ	CALL	REMARKS
540	WDAK	Columbus, Ga hrd well after XFWA S/off at 0300 (Williams)
550	MSVA	Harrisonburg Va S/on at 0400, 7 days a week (Wright)
660	WERPM	Mexico City is your station Bassett (Marty Wright-Pekin Ill.)
	WRCA	New York City is silent only MON AMs from 0110-0530 (Wms)
680	WRVM	Rochester N Y New F/C time is 4th WED from 0105-0120, this from Al Rubin, C.E. of WRVM. Invites reports.
790	WEAN	Providence R I Begins Alnight schedule on January 4 1959 and will be off only SUN AMs from 0000-0730 (Magnuson-R I)
930	KIUP	Durango Colo F/C-TT on 3rd SUN at 0200-0215 (Ev Johnson-Ill.)
850	WYDE	Birmingham Ala being heard alnight-7days (Wright)
860	KFST	Fort Stockton, Texas F/C-TT- 1st TUES 0530-0545 during the months of March-June-Sept-Dec. (Len Kruse-Lubuque Iowa)
1.070	WAPI	Birmingham Ala S/off at 0200 (Ev Johnson)
1.140	WITA	San Juan P R may be an alnighter; Hrd 12/11- 0230-0255(Wms)
1.150	WJBO	Baton Rouge La Sign off at 0100 (Johnson)
1.240	WRAL	Raleigh No Car Hrd after 0300 on MON, Maybe no silent period. (Williams-Seymour Conn)
1.250	WREN	Topeka, Kansas signs off at 0200 (Johnson)
1.270	WKYR	Keyser W Va Sign on at 0400 daily (Wright)
1.280	WQIC	Jacksonville, Fla Sign on at 0400 (Johnson)
	WVET	Rochester N Y S/on MON AMs at 0552 (Dan Phillips-Clinton Tenn)
1.290	KJEF	Jennings La F/C is 2nd SAT from 0130-0145 (Wright)
1.320	WCPC	Houston, MISS has F/C on 4th WED from 0145-0230 (Kruse)
1.340	KDLM	Detroit Lakes, Minn F/C on 2nd MON from 0245-0300(Williams)
	WIRY	Plattsburg N Y Hrd 12/15 bet 0130-0310. Seemed to be RS with request recordings (Williams)
	WKGN	Knoxville, Tenn SILENT only MON AMs from Mdt-0500 (Phillips)
1.350	KTAT	Jasper, Texas F/C-TT on 3rd TUES from 0545-0600 (Kruse)
1.360	WOBS	Jacksonville, Fla Signs on at 0400 (Johnson)
1.390	WANY	Albany, KY F/C on 4th SUN from 0430-0445 (Kruse)
1.400	KBMI	Henderson Nev will be SILENT from Mdt on 12/6 to 4/6/59(Brdg.)
	WSJM	St Joseph, Mich F/C on 1st MON from 0310-0325 (Wright)
1.470	WBIG	Greensboro, No Car Not heard on SUN AM on 12/14 nor FRI AM 12/19, Only XESM heard in clear on these dates. (williams)
	WSAN	Allentown, Penn. Same info as above for WBIG (Williams)
	WMBD	Peoria, Ill. Sign off at 0130, 7 days a week (Wright)
1.490	WSYL	Sylvania, Ga F/C on 1st SUN at 0530-0545 each month(Kruse)
	WDAB	Chattanooga, Tenn S/on at 0455 (Johnson)
	WIGM	Medford, Wis F/C is 1st WED from 0230-0300 (Wright)
1.570	WLSC	Loris, So Car. This is the CORRECT CALL and NOT WISC as listed in the new Weyrich's log. (Williams)
1.580	KDOM	Windon, Minn hrd on early morning ETs on 12/23 and more are to follow. (Kruse)
	KDSN	Denison, Iowa F/C is 2nd FRI from 0130-0145 (Wright)
1.600	WHBT	Harriman, Tenn hrd testing their new % Kw transmitter at 0415 on 12/22. Will probably do this until they actually change to 1600 kcs. (Ev Johnson)

A Very Happy-Prosperous and Safe New Years to each and every one of you people. Thanks loads for the many Christmas cards you sent to the Edges, they were really appreciated a lot.

Would also like to THANK all you who have so generously contributed to this column. It is hoped that your support will continue during 1959. As it is well known, this column can be the source of very valuable and late DX information. However we again ask those who contribute to be sure any data they do send in, is definite. Deadline is Thursdays. Please Support Your Editors with your reports. Will you do this in 1959?

NO FOREIGN STENCILS FROM FRED BY SATURDAY. HOPE TO GET THEM ALL IN

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERSJ. B. "Pat" Reilly - 236 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries are CJNE WFOA. A Happy New Year and plenty of new veries to all the NRC members in new year. 12/14- CKTR DX OK for new call. CJIC, 1050, affair at 3:06. Loud Spanish Speaker on 1330 at 3:13. WHIS, 1440 on money raising program at 3:35. Radio Trinidad, 730, on at 3:59 $\frac{1}{2}$. 12/15- A Spanish day today, on 850 with KOA and CIVL, TIRS, 920, at 3:03; on 1260 at 3:24, the loud one with CMCB at 3:35. XESM, 1470, at 3:50, the Cuban on 1420, a good S-5 at 3:55. No WTSL heard because of WJET. TT on 640 at 3:41 but no ID. WCOO, 830, test at 2:50. 12/16- Can't figure the 1330 Spanish speaker atop CMCB. WJPS, 1330, TT at 2:50. HJAT, 1080, atop KRLD at 3:33. 12/17- Carrier on and off at 2:50 on 730. WLOF, 950, covered the others here at 3:24. HJAT good again at 3:36. Unknown Mexican on 1150 at 3:37 that gave location as Baja California. WISJ, 1480, ET at 4:13. 12/18- XEWA, 540, at 2:56. WBOW, 1230, atop others here past few days. Unknown Spanish speaker on 1350 atop XEQK. Spanish speaker atop others on 1440 but no ID. 12/19- Spanish one again on 1440 at 4:00. Guess ET are getting more and more lately without any calls used. 12/20- XEWA, 540, after 3:00. WDAK, 540, at 4:09. UGTO, 540, ET at 4:21 for new call. Many thanks for all the greeting cards received.

Michael Rice - 1535 Broadway - Ann Arbor, Michigan

Hi! This is my first report to Musings. I have just joined your wonderful organization, and thought I'd try my hand at this report biz. I have been interested in ECB DX for quite some time, but didn't know about NRC - it's great! Until a couple of weeks ago, my DX consisted of mostly 50 kws, namely WTIC WSB WLS WMBI WQWO KRLD WHAS WBZ WCCO WCDS WGY WBT WADC WEOU WING WRCV WCSC WJAC WSM WFAA WOAI WRVA WVA WENJ XEWF, all of which are confirmed. However, since I have become organized my DX has improved a bit. Heard WXY 12/15/58, WBIG 12/15, XEG 12/18, WQIX 12/18 and WPRW 12/18. Verie in from WXY. Got up this morning (12/23) to try for XEWA and WKTQ, both NRC DX - no luck as I got up about 4:32. Two minutes after s/off of WKTQ. Did try spinning the dials, however, and found WJMI, Lewisburg, Tenn. at 1490 kc/s. with 250 watts. Also found WTSP at 1380 kc/s. Happy New Year everyone, unless I forget to mail this and it's already '59. (Welcome to the NRC, Mike, and your reports will be welcome too!-Ed.)

Charles P. Atherton - East Slough Road - Harvard, Massachusetts

Not much to report from here, but have had the set on a few times and sent out a few reports, with a couple of veries in. By dateline: 12/6- Report to CJNR-750 on what I guess was their DX, which I didn't realize until afterwards. 12/4- Report to WTUC-1580 on r/c. 12/7- WBZY-990 for change in call, and in the evening found a few Latins and Caribbeans on the split, with a report to TII on 775. PJA-10 was good, but never verified last year's report. YNW-935, YSEB-1025, TIFC-995 and PJC-2 on 864 all with excellent signals, while a weak signal on 917 should be tried by some of you sharpshooters. Try this one also on a s/on on Sunday and Monday at about 4:30, as I heard him on 12/14 and 12/15 at this time! 12/9- Report to TOW-640 with the first program in 20 years and a dozen times heard that I had the patience to stick with to get sufficient hope for veries - Christmas Carols made it easy. Have always listened to this one and said I would report the next time - first heard in 1934 which makes me the worst procrastinator in the Club, hi! 12/14- Caught WCHI-1450 on Sunday s/on at 5:45 for just a few minutes before disappearing into the 1450 tangle, report to WVOP-970 on o a.m. s/on with WSW silent, and report to WEZL-1590 on RS at 5:30 a.m. On 12/15 report to DX from welcome WTSL, although he had millions of competition from others. Announcements fairly good but music blended in with that from other AN stations on at the time. Looking forward to VHTQ on 12/23 as this is another impossible one from here on RS. Would like to see a DX from WAIM-B 40 and, believe it or not, WCHI-1230. Cannot get this one through WNEB in nearby Worcester. Also on 12/15 caught the new VFRB on 740 in Frostburg, Md. on ET for a welcome new one and report to WPRW-1430. Veries in from WNEB-1230, CKDM-730 for report of last spring. New CE is Alan Watson, who discovered many unverified reports when he took over, and sent me the big card some of you other members have received. However, not a veri, although it is meant to be, so wrote and asked for veri on their letterhead, and asked if the policy of CEBI was now to verify all correct reports. Letter back today, and a fine letterhead, also a definite verification, and a statement he asked me to pass along to all members that he would be happy to verify all correct reports. Other veries- WHLI WGHN WLBA and local WMRC, but out of the few 100 watters left. Total now 1,756.

Marty Wright - 825 Park Avenue - Pekin, Illinois

I am convinced that my new antenna knows nothing but the Spanish language. 12/20- I noted LA very strong on 54 frequencies. Something was giving WBBM a rough time. As for DX 12/22, for the first time I can recall in sitting down for a serious session at the dials, I logged nothing. WX was bad, TV was noisy, someone was running a power tool most of the morning, AN were dominant, LA were numerous, and to top it all I was getting a lot of images from facsimile transmitters. Now that I have poured my troubles out, here is my DX since last report. By the way, I have been giving CST in previous report, so from now on everything in EST). 12/7- WJHL RS 4:54-4:59 p.m., KBOA RS 5:00-5:15, WABG RS 5:16-5:26, WRAB RS 5:33-5:42 p.m. and at 9:46-10:00 copied and reported TGUX-1020. 12/8- VSAR RS 2:15-2:30, WRAX RS 2:30 s/off. 12/12- WABK 3:44-7 p.m. way over WLAG. 12/16, for nothing better to do sent a report to "Radio Piramar" 1020. They were a powerhouse covering KDKA 6:26 to 7:05 p.m. 12/19- KXLR RS 5:33 p.m. and KDLA RS 6:02-6:15. Finally 12/21, KVLC RS 5:57 to 6 p.m. s/off. Noted WBBT, Harriman, Tenn. on 1600 with ET/M AN 12/21, a new one announcing 5 kw. (changed from 1230 kc/s.) New varies are KXJK CFON KFID WIGM KTLW WSUN KNOX WSJM KTOO WSVA WRC WARE WJHL KBOA WABG WIAK WONO KQEO CKRC KRCT. Varies are coming somewhat faster now, but I still have 37 out there somewhere unanswered. With just 23 reports out in December I am running far behind November. I'll set a goal of 100 for January to make up for it, hi! Congratulations to the FCC as last week they reversed their long long stand in regard to 1-A clears. Twelve of them (mostly East Coast assignments) will be re-classified 1-B and duplicated Out West. The remaining 12 will tentatively remain 1-A, however no increase beyond 50 kw. In addition to the 50 kw. duplications the Commission also gave the green light to applications for full timers up to 5 kw. on the former 1-As. I believe the re-classified frequencies are 660 670 890 1020 1030 1180 1210 in the East, 750 760 840 870 1100 in the mid-East. This has not met final approval as yet, but the FCC has recommended it, so I believe I can state that it will be approved without question. I've been too long-winded so I better 73. Good DX.

Leon S. Neblock - 263 Yates Street - Galesburg, Illinois

A Happy "DM" New Year to all. New loggings in here with poor returns from DX programs. 11/20- WRBA 1430 TT 1:35-2:00. 11/21- CJGX 940 RS s/off 2:05. 11/29- KOFO TT 1:40-2:30. WAWN 1230 f/c 2:05-3:01. 12/1- KNOX f/c 12:20-1:30 s/off, CKOY interference. WETU ET 1250 2:15-3:00. 12/3- WHER 1430 f/c 2:40. 12/4- KFDM 550 TT top of WLBQ. 12/12- WTJH-1230 TT 1:30-2:20. 12/13- WCMP 1350 ET 1:30-2:10. 12/15- KIKS 1310 f/c s/off 1:56. KADQ 1350 f/c 2:18, s/off 2:30. KBCL 1220 3:00. 12/19, logged from 12:00-1:06; WATE 620 RS 12:00. KSD 550 12:10, WKYB 570 12:20, KXOX 630 12:25, WSB 750 12:30, WLAP 820 12:35, MOA 850 12:40, CJBC 830 12:45, WWL 870 12:45, WLS 890 12:45, CMCF 910 12:55, WTAD 930 1:00, WIA 960 s/off 1:03, WITY 980 s/off 1:06, all RS. 12/22- KPAC 1250 RS s off 1:00. KVIN 1330 ET 1:30-1:55, s/on 7:00. Varies in, WRPC WEUP WHYL KVBC on KENN stationary, WEVE WBNW KBIN KWFB KGLO WLOL KRUX WLBL WIRB WDBQ WBBT KOFO WAVI WCMP WTJH KVOX on 1/13/59 report. 1958, 72 letters, 14 cards.

Spd. Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

A slow start on DX this season because of unfavorable work schedules. Have been combing 1530 to 1600 at twilight and as in previous seasons find these channels alive with remarkable evening skips, on most evenings. On Dec. 21 added WAMY 1580 at 5:45 s/off which uncovered WESY 1580 through 6:00 p.m. s/off. WESY announced as only all-night station in Mississippi. WEMP 1530 also heard at intervals under WAMY but no report sent as this one failed to answer a couple of other reports. A long overdue varie from CJSP 710 is the only recent varie. Thanks to all the NRC members who sent Christmas cards. Hope to get back on the beam and be able to support Musings. A prosperous 1959 to all NRCers.

Sam A. McLaughlan - P.O. Box 26 - Gatineau, Quebec

Due to exams not much Night Owl DXing was done here last week. Now that I am home for two weeks, hope to add quite a few to the log. Here is the activity for the last week. Semi-locals CJBQ and CHUM were reported to and verified. DX programs from CMTT and WTSL were heard well. Also sent out reports to WHIS-1440, WCAE-1250 and WBBF-950. Tried to get up for the KXMT DX but was so pooped out after the exams that I heard the claim but it didn't wake me up, hi. Verifications in during the last week are CHIQ WROW CJBQ CHUM WJLB (QSL sent after return postcard was received) WISH (two now signed by OM and Assistant OM). Hope everyone has a good DX season during the holidays, and the coming year. 73.

Warren Routzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania

DXing at a leisurely pace here, less than 50% of last season at this date. Crowded channels keep a guy sort of hemmed in. Passed up some of our Specials maybe too quickly on that account. Last Saturday I forgot about the JWMT DX much to my sorrow. 12/1 WHNY in good despite WETU, WTIV-1290 s/on at 4, WMRB very good, CKNX-920 seemed to be DXing at 4:15, WNET also good with WDXB-1490 s/on 4:55 also now here. 12/6- F/c's of WHLT and KNSI didn't seem to be on. CJNR good for NNRC 3:15. 12/8- CKPG and CHSA both covered here if they were on. That evening got WAPF-690 s/off under WVOX at 5:30. 12/9- WYTI r/c 12:10-12:30 good here, WDEH-800 didn't seem to be on. 12/15- Confiant copy WRVA-380, a tone on though, and an unID s/off. WVJS-1420 s/off 1 a.m., KSGA-980 ended a f/c at 1:30, KIKS-1310 f/c good 1:40-1:55. WOP-1150 testing at 2:15, WJMT in clear 2:20. 12/16- WNRG-1250 f/c with Van Nostrand 1:50-2 a.m. followed by ADVA test right after 2 a.m. 12/22- KENN lost in KCBC and WFBL. LAs strong, one on 1410 and 1440 seemed strangers. CHRC-800 good on DX, WHBT-1300 testing 4:30. TIRS-910 good but didn't report, tried them before. Last Sunday evening heard WRMF-1050 s/off 5:30 and that AM I had copied WNTA s/on at 7 a.m., good here. Weekday AMs WFLR-1570 c/on very good here at 6 a.m. WFLN-900 doesn't register here either Joe, we must be lined up with a null. Wish you all the best of DXing in the New Year. 73s.

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

Latest additions to my heard log are: WPRF 960 Prestonsburg, Ky.; WAKY 790 Louisville, Ky., WDAK 540 the new ANer in Columbus, Ga., and WITQ 1450; Paris, Me. I also heard ex-WNRC 1460, New Rochelle, N.Y. using their new calls, WWES, the last three letters signifying the county it's in, Westchester. Only one veri came in of late, WIAV's letter. A brekdown on my DXing reads this way: 12/19, WPRF came in fair with their monthly ME and ID test @ 12:50 a.m. 12/20, looking for KWMT's DX, I found them almost obliterated by WDAK @ 3:30-4:00. 12/21, WAKY's AN record program came in fine, ID seldom made, though. 12/22, unneeded CHRC came in quite well with its DXcast @ 3:00-4:30. WITQ DX badly hashed by WLEU and contrarily, WFBL tested auxiliary transmitter, thus blanking out KENN's DX for me.

Phil Jacobs - 6097 Macdonald Avenue - Montreal, Quebec.

New loggings are: 12/15- WTSE 1400 @ 4:02 on DX; CKPH-1400 @ 4:10 on AN show, WSVA-550 @ 4:30. 12/21- CHLT-630 @ 11:36 a.m. on RS. CKTR-1150 @ 3:22 p.m. on RS. 12/22: CHRC-800 @ 2:50 on NNRC DX; WILS-1320 @ 3:31; WPRF-1460 @ 4:00 s/on and WKEO-1450 @ 4:11 on HRC DX. New veries are: WOAI-1200, CFCN-1060; WHLI-1100, a very nice card wishing me Season's Greetings, and CHSJ-1150. I raised the height of my antenna to 25'. It sure helps. 73s and Happy New Year to all members.

Anthony Lazatutta - 371 Eighth Avenue - New York, New York

Well, I promise Bert a DX report, so here is my contribution to DX NEWS. DX has been poor this past week. Lots of reports off to stations but only two veries, WARR 780 and WEEZES 1240, experimental call letters of WGEB. It is inevitable that I will have a good location some day. Well, 73s and good DX to all.

Francis H. Mittler - 2305 South Lincoln Street - Denver 10, Colorado

DX has slowed down at this den but have managed to add a few new ones. On 12/20 added five new ones in KEAN 1240 on r/c-TT 1:45-1:55, KOYE-1150 El Paso on r/c 2:11-2:20, both of these with very strong signals. Also found the new KGVW-630 Belgrade, Montana on ET at 2:32 and throughout the morning and also WISK-330 South St. Paul testing on their new frequency for another new one. Other new catch was KACY-1520 Port Hueneme on their AM show weak but enough for a report. A report was also sent to KOSA-1230 Odessa for a f/c-TT 1:18-1:25 and said it was their r/c. On 12/21 sent a report to KDTA-1400 for f/c-TT 2:26-2:35 for second report to them. On Monday 12/22 nothing new heard but did send another report to KBYG-1400 for AM show. Also a report to KTUL-1450 Tulsa for RS and a second report to KFYO-790 RS. Only two veries received this week were from KATJ-750 PP card and letter from KSEL-950. As usual the Christmas rush has slowed down veries coming in. I won't be doing any listening over Christmas as I will be spending the weekend in Nebraska but hope those of you who did listen logged some good catches. Also want to wish everyone a banner year for DX in 1959. 73s.

Howard Korp - 140 Court Street - Laconia, New Hampshire

WIPS of Ticonderoga, New York has a test period using 1,000 cycle tone and test material on the fourth Wednesday of every month at 12:20 a.m., E.S.T. Station identify each two minutes of test period.

REPORTS ARE URGENTLY REQUESTED, BOYS. LET'S HEAR SOMETHING FROM YOU FOR THE NEXT ISSUE

Andrew Thusing - 3676 Sunset Avenue - Marham, Illinois

DX here has been pretty good since last report. On 12/20 WBEZ 1570 kc/s., great DX, one mile away. Also on the 20th WLOI 1540 kc/s. s/off at 5:15 p.m., WPCF 1430, WOKJ 1590, fourth report sent. KWED 1580 bringing Texans to 24 logged, 15 verified. On 12/21 I got up and I didn't even set the alarm clock. It was a pretty profitable night. WDSU 1280 1:30-2 a.m., WRBC 1300 s/off 2:00, not needed. WBEZ 1600 formerly 1230, testing at 2:10-3:00. They were sked to go on 1600 with 5,000 watts on 12/22. WHHY 1440 2:35-2:55 AM. On 12/22, WQAM, 560, 3:55 a.m., WPRW 1460 4:10-4:25. WMYR 1270. Both of these were needed and happily received. WOBS 1360 4:55-4:55, WCPC 1320 5:00-5:15, WTSP 1580 s/on 5:00, WERH 970 very strong 5:05-5:30. WLIK 1270 5:30-5:45. Not many varies lately, but hope I will get a lot more after this. Well, here they are: WRBL, WAIY, WRBC. I am getting a lot of Christmas tips from the people I deliver to on my paper route which I like very much. 73s for now.

Jim Ernst - 563 Park Avenue - Scotch Plains, New Jersey

Goin' to Sammie Duffy's for another gabfest today, so I guess I'll hand this thing to Lefty there. Went up to Summit to Bob Foxworth's last Sunday (the 23rd) and Lefty and Ron Schiller dropped in, so we had a nice little gab. Little DX: Dec. 19- WQAM-560 heard on AN RS from 2:06-2:20. HJAQ-1020 was heard with a dandy signal from 3:20-3:45 p.m. Report out to them. Dec. 20- CMCI-1230 from 8:48-8:57 p.m. No report - I've given up on Cuba, almost, hi. Dec. 21 was my best morning this or any season - got two more countries! WIVI-1040 in the Virgin Islands was heard with a f/c-TT from 1:57-2:05. Report out by air mail. Back to bed, and up at 5:00 when I heard VPRD "Radio Trinidad" for 15 minutes. Also an air mail report. Dec. 24- WOOW-1340 on top, so it was logged at 1:00-1:18. Dec. 25- This was to be my big morning - all those SAs, EAs, hi. Did hear one or two on AN. One was HJED-820, however, not needed. Got one new one - WBCB-1490 for a real great catch - all the way from Pennsylvania, hi. Dec. 26- Got my loop done, and it seems to be going quite well. WGNV-1220 was heard for the first time with it. Also, XEM-900 was finally logged with American music at 9:15-9:30. Not new, but something decent to log. Dec. 27- WELI-960 was pulled out of the mess with the loop. Varies are few and discouraging, considering the reports I've sent out this season (36): WMPS-680, CFPL-930, CKWG-960, WRC-980, CMQ-630, and WPEB-910. WPEB did not mention it's using 100 watts as I had requested. I have 12 foreign reports out so far, with 1/3 return. Here's hoping. 73s to all. Happy New Year.

Harold S. Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

Noted that my "Missings" missed the 12/20 issue, even though mailed in time. If the Brooklyn P.O. isn't the worst in the country they certainly must be "runner up" hi. We sent a letter to my wife's niece in Glendale addressed to Brooklyn 27, and eight or nine days later it was returned with the Brooklyn P.O. rubber stamp notation "No such office in the state." So Brooklyn must have succeeded from New York! DX by date-line: 12/20- GJOB-210 Winnipeg, Man. logged through QRM 3:00-3:30 for another non-Canadian. Winnipeg temperature given as 11 below zero and 30 above here. The not needed WMT-540 fairly well heard on NARC DX through WDAK and WGTG testing. 12/22- CHBC-200 Quebec City well heard on their NARC DX and needed. Thanks to John Mann, this DX was a honey. I was really surprised to log CKCY-1400 Sault Ste. Marie, Ont. with news and s/off 3:00-3:05. KEMN-1390 was completely blocked by WFBL with TT and music. way WFBL "murdered" the Christmas music was a crime). WKIQ-1450 "Katie-Q" was very well heard on their swell NRC DX. WBUY-1440 Lexington, N.C. heard briefly at 5:00 s/ on quickly covered by WQOK and WHIS. 12/25- The only new logging was HJED-820, reported on Spanish Form (see International DX). Varies: 12/22, QSL card KOMO-1000. V/1 WKXY-930 for NARC DX. 12/23- QSL card from CKTX-820 for NARC DX. 12/24- V/1 after f/ up WLSC-1570. GE states he appreciates DX reports but was too busy to QSL but will do so. Twenty-four varies the first 24 days of December for a total of 2,008. Thanks for the very Holiday Greetings and prosperous 1959 to all. 73s.

Ray Fowler - 2 Rosewood Drive - Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

DX to date: 12/13- Station testing on 1350 from 1:10-1:23 unID. WKID-1580 r/c 1:34, not needed. WGNM-1340 1:53 RS. WRIT-1340 1:50 AM. 12/20- WCOA-1370 s/off 1:00. WQMI 1340 NX 1:00, s/off 1:05. WDAI-1310 AN 1:15. 12/26- UnID Georgia on 1240. 12/27- Un- station on 1320 with r/c 1:00-1:10 saying returning at 6:00. WCOA-1370 testing at 1:13. CKCY-1400 ID 1:17. WLOK-1400 ID 1:23. WBCY-1400 ID 1:18. WPLH-1470 r/c 1:46. WPLC-1470 s/off 2:04. WDXB-1480 RS 2. Verified this year: WCPC WCOY WSAR WPTA WPEB WPRD WKID WJTV WJLV WJIG WKYR WJOK WJAO WJBT WJDC WJOK WJDA WPEB WJIG WJPG WJPD WJAN WJMH WJBL WJBR WJRC WJHY WJND. Best of DX to all. 73s.

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX slow here or should say no new ones to speak of. DXes are not coming through like other years. Only one heard on the 8th was CHEX, not needed. 12/10- CBJ-1300 s/cff midnight. WOOD 1300 s/off 12:05. KPAC-1340 RS 12:43-1:00. 12/11- Three new ones heard, WDIA-1070 s/off 1:08, WAFB-390 ETs and KYSM-1460 RS 1:30. 12/12- WHEB-1440 s/off 1:00. WPAJ-1440 r/c-TT. 12/13- WKID-1580 r/c-TT. CKLC-1380 s/cff 1:39 to return at 5. WEAH-1390 AN. WSAI-1360 AN. WGES-1390 s/off 3:00. WETU-1250 ETs again. 12/14- No DXes heard. WHEY-1440 AN. KIBC-590 AN, WCAT-1390 AN, WAKR and WLAC were off AN Sunday and Monday. WEZL-1590 RS 5:30. 12/15- WOBS-1330 s/on 4. KBCL-1230 Test at 4:30. 12/20- WPMI 1250 off at 2:00. WAPI-1070 off at 2:00. WIAU 1600 ETs. TT on 1360 several AMs, no voice. KOYE-1150 f/c-TT, thanks, Len. LQEO-920 AN. KMET DX OK. 1270 music, EE, no voice. 12/21- WFIS-1600 TT, WJBO 1150 s/cff 1:00. WHBT-1300 or 1230 ETs and asking for reports. KIUP-930 TT Durango, Col. 2-2:15, third Sunday, may be regular. 12/21- TT 540 12-12:10. Who was on AN on 540 kc/s. Monday 12/22 playing music and ID sang which sounded like WGRO, 540 on your radio? I notice WGRO is listed as Lake City, Fla. on 960. Sure didn't sound like WGTO. KENN did not show here. I thought I had KENN as WFBL was testing with music on top of KCBC so copied 15 minutes and it turned out to be KCBC. So no DXes at all. WHBT-1500 on again. Spanish all over the dial. KPOP-1020 Spanish under them. WYDE-850 RS 4:30. WDXB-1190 s/on 4:55. Only two varies 12/19, they are WHEY-dx and WKXY-dx; total, 1,776. All for this time and will try Christmas Morn. So Happy New Year to all and thanks to all for letters. 73

G. Harley DeLaurere - 1 East 8 Street - Mounts Route 21 - Hobart, Indiana

Five new verifications: 12/15: WSUN-620, Saint Petersburg, Fla.; WMOA-1490, Marietta, O. for WRC DX, and WJET-1400, Erie, Pa. 12/18: a letter from WCHS-580, Charleston 24, W.Va. 12/20: A back letter from WHEI-1350, Howell, Mich. which was forwarded by Mr. Edge on September 24, 1958. Thank you very much, Mr. Edge. And now for the additions to my log. 12/21: KLIC-1230, Monroe, La. caught through KNUZ signing off from 3:02-2:05. WNVY-1260, Pensacola, Fla. signing off from 2:59-3:01. CKDM-730, Dauphin, Pa. on AN from 3:00-3:06. WHBT-1300 Harriman, Tenn. ETing from 3:15-3:40. WDAK-540, Columbus, Ga. on AN from 3:40-4:10. KEJP-1150, Mexico, D.F. with a fiesta or party in the clear until 4:15. 12/22: XEQR-1030, Mexico, D.F. "Radio Centro" from 1:25-1:35. WLEU-1450 Erie, Pa. and WJXN-1450, Jackson, Miss. logging simultaneously from 4:30-4:25 12/23: WGAC-530, Augusta, Ga. from 6:35-6:39 a.m. with KALB QRM. WPKH-950, Mattiesburg Miss. from 6:56-6:03 p.m. s/off. 12/24: KYSN-1450, Colorado Springs, Colo. from 12:55-1:01 a.m. s/off. WSJC-1230, Magee, Miss. from 5:00-5:37. WTJH-1260, East Point, Ga. from 6:35-6:36. 12/25: KSCJ-1560, Sioux City, Ia. with KRYS QRM from 1:00-1:05. Two big surprises, best U.S.A. DX of 1958: HJED-320, Cali, Colombia, "La Voz del Rio Cauca" in very strong from 4:15 onwards. Good ID. Also TGUX-1020, Guatemala, Guatemala, "Radio Panamericano" heard with ID at 4:38, and then logged until 4:45. Both HJED and TGUX were logged without an antenna. Finally WAPC-1150, Chattanooga, Tenn. on AN from 5:15-5:20. 73s.

Joe Brenner - P.O. Box 22 - Valier, Pennsylvania

DXing here is getting attention now that I'm not working, but not adding much to the log. Tried several s/ons Sunday; added a good report for WCLA, 1470 on their 5:53 a.m. s/on. WSAI active AN again but WJIG apparently not AN. No sign of KENN's 1390 DX on 12/22, WPEL helped by testing much of the time. Maybe a few opening remarks, etc. at WKTQ, data, but no ID. WLEU blocked them 100% thereafter. WBLG, 1300, caught s/on at 5:00 on 12/22, W000 1310 heard s/off RS on 12/22 and 12/23. WRSA, 1280, RS at 4:10 on 12/23. IDOM, 1580 ET on 1320 at 3:15 on 12/24, and at long last, a few items on WDOE, 1410 back of local KQV. Veries consist of letters from WLSC and WCRR, WLSC out since 7/20, no s/up. WLSC says their f/c is on the fourth Tuesday of the month at 2:15 a.m. WRSA, Saratoga Springs, N.Y. now s/on 1230 weekdays at 4:00, with plenty of QRM from WQIL, etc. That's the news here. DX less frenzied lately than it had been recently. So not getting the remarkable southern DX at present. That's it from here.

Lofty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

V/ls in from WAWN-1220 WLSC-1570 and the two logged together received together, WHBT and WBLV, 1300. Nothing new heard except tentatively WGPC-1320 5 a.m. Sunday. Who s/on 6:00 "The Dixie" on 1300, news ten minutes, then hillbilly music? Could it be WWTB? It was wonderful meeting Richard Morris and Charles Territo, as well as seeing Bernie Duffy, Ronnie Schiller, Bob Foxworth and Jim Ernst again, and Anthony Lagatutta also. We have some fine members in this area, gentlemen! DX is here to stay! 73s.

Dan Phillips - 445 Eagle Bend Road - Clinton, Tennessee

DX by dateline: 12/20- WNAH/1360 s/off at 5:30 EST, KOSE-360 s/off 5:45, WJWV-770 s/off 5:45, KFMJ-1050 Tulsa s/off 6:16, WJBO 1150 at 11:59 p.m. 12/22- KOCY 1340 at 3:16 a.m., WAKR-1540 at 3:46, WPRW-1460 s/on 4 a.m., WRR-1610 at 4:12, WHBT-1600 testing their new 5 kw. transmitter at 4:15, WOBS 1360 at 4:42 RS, WDVA-1250 at 5:03, s/on at 5, WJOY 1260 at 5:16, WGSW 1350 at 5:30, WBTH 1400 at 5:37, WBLR 1430 at 5:46, WJBT-1280 s/on at 5:52. 12/24- WOV 1280 s/off 2:58 a.m., KQEO 920 for call change, WWIL-1510 at 4:00, WYRN-1430 Louisburg, N.C. at 4:10, not in any of my call books so it must be a new station. WBLV-1600 at 4:30 s/on at 4, WLOW, Portsmouth Va. on 1400 at 4:31, WJCH 1510 at 4:55, KQV 1410 at 5:00, WARM 1330 at 5:02, CHAL-900 at 5:12, s/on at 5, WRAD 1460 at 5:30 s/on, WPON 1460 at 5:46, WOKE in Oak Ridge went off at 11 o'clock A.M. on 12/24 and I got WDNT 1280 in Dayton, Tenn. for a new one. FCAR at 3:30 p.m. on 12/24, LFUO 850 Clayton, Mo. s/off at 3:30, KNX 1070 at 10 p.m. 12/25 at 5:40, KNOE 1390 in Monroe, La.. I now have 468 stations with 105 verified. Latest veries are WJWV KFMJ for their 12/20 MURC DX, and WDAK. So far in December I have received 263 stations with 82 of them new stations. 73s.

Roy H. Millar - Box 773 - Bellevue, Washington

DX has been very slim since last, but a few items: Dec. 9- KIAL-1230 (ex-KVAG) s/off at 3:01 a.m. under AN seven days, KQTY. Dec. 11 - KOFY-1050 (ex-KVSM) logged 10:25-10:30 AM, before covered by KUEE s/on; KZIN-1050 ID at s/on under KOFY at 10:27 a.m. Dec. 13- A couple of local notes - KBAM-1270 (ex-1220) and KITN-920 (ex-1440) logged around 3 p.m. Dec. 15- KNOT-1450 ID at 2:30 after extensive ET from KAGR and through f/c of KYLQ; KPST-1400 noted on f/c 3:55-4:25 a.m., with no sign of Easterners, including WTSL's DX. Dec. 20- CBK's Eskimo broadcast, plus KEMB until 4 a.m. s/off KOed any chance at KMET's 540 program. Dec. 22- No KEMN-1390 DX heard; tape of 900 kc/s. of this AM not run yet. Veries in: KPID-1450 DX, "Radio Peking"-840, KWHO-860, KDLA-1010 KSON-1240; WJET-1400, KMBC-980, WBML-1240, CKSW-1400. Some nice veries there for Christmas! WJET is my first Pennsylvania graveyarder, and WBML-1240 is my second Georgia graveyarder and brings my total East Coast graveyarders to 16, WJET and WBML being first such of this season. Thanks to the many who sent Christmas cards; a very happy '59 to all! 73.

Tom Shindlecker - 421 Glen-Moore Boulevard - New Castle, Pennsylvania

Greetings. Hope everyone had a Merry Christmas and will have a prosperous New Year. Early morning DXing on 12/13 netted VEZE 1260 at 12:30 on AN, new Aler KIHQ 1270 under WXYZ at 1:15 and in the clear after WXYZ s/off. KILP 1440 at 1:15 and AN CJRL 1220 weakly at 1:50. The next morning, 12/14, WFRP 1230 AN heard nearly in the clear at 5:21 and KALT 800 ET at 5:25, WVOP 970 s/on at 6:00 and WPET 950 at 6:15. WRRH and others were heard on 970 at 7:00. WELK 1013 finally heard on s/off on 12/17 at 5 p.m. Several mysteries heard on Monday 12/15. Who s/off on 1330 at 11:30 p.m. with the National Anthem? Canadian s/off at 12:05 a.m. on 1280, probably CKSM. 12/19 was a good night for IAs, XEOY 1000 covering WCFL completely at times at 11:54 p.m. and TIFC 995 logged in English 11:45-midnight. Also heard but not logged were HOH 995 and TIC5 855 among others. WLAT 1330 s/off at 5:15 p.m. on 12/21 and WTKX 1800 at 5:30. Got up 12/22 for WTEQ DX but not heard, only WLEU and several others, too much QRM from WLEU for ID. I did manage to hear CJOB 680 AN, WPRW 1460 with mail order ads at 4:15 and WHBT 1600 ET at 4:30. Latest veries are WIVK WOV WDGX CKDM QSL, WKAR WDXN WHLL WRFD CKLN WJCO WEZE KILQ, first North Dakota verie, and KALT. Best DX.

Keith Robinson - Kapuka, No. 7 RD, Invercargill, New Zealand

Here are my latest DX notes: Nov. 5, I heard KARE 1470 on ER. Nov. 10, the second Monday, KLYD-1350 on f/c 3:04 with voice only. Nov. 11, WATM 1590 ET with 5,000 watts at 3. Nov. 18, KBZY 1490 until s/off 3.6. Dec. 4, XEMC 1590 on its AN program at 5.5. This station is now verifying with card and form letter. Dec. 9, WMEP 1590 RS at 5:20. Dec. 13, KQEL 900 RS at 7:17. Dec. 16, the new WACT 1420 RS 8:50 a.m. Today Dec. 21, I heard ET from WHBT 1600 at 3:30. Other reports to JORB 1430, HLKX 1230, BEC27 1560, Pyongyang 785 and 820, DZAQ 620, KCMB Subic Bay, Philippines 1520, Chinese on 1240 and 1090, DZUB, a new Manila station on 1580, Delhi 1070, AFKN Kuma-ri 1400, and an inquiry to Sweden to see if they have a station on 1475. I have heard a station there with much U.S. music and Asian announcements. Veries are WEMB KACY CKCY KORN WJDC WATM WKTG WSK.

WE'RE STILL WAITING REPORTS FROM ALL OF YOU, NEW AND OLDER MEMBERS ALIKE. DEADLINE IS EVERY TUESDAY IN BROOKLYN. SHARE YOUR FUN WITH OTHERS AND SEND IN A REPORT RIGHT NOW.

Carroll Seth - 154 Parkridge - Buffalo 15, New York

DX has been a some-time thing here; sometimes good and sometimes bad. Venezuelans were logged quite well during their elections. A few Europeans have been heard now and then with poor signal strength mostly. Tuning Jamaica on 720 brings WNIA, 1330, a local instead. A report on Wales 881 was verified by G. Goodship, "for Head of Engineering Information Department." The letterhead read Broadcasting House, London W1. My report sent to CE, Welsh Regional, Washford, Wales. It was obviously sent back to London. However, my confirmation is very definite and a welcome change from F. Siler's cautious replies. With regrets to Wagner and Edge, I call it Country #51 verified. There is a suspicion Joe Knack is back from Antarctica. When he thaws out, maybe he might give the Club a special report on radio reception there. Christmas brought no special DX here aside from a weak Latin on 775 between 2:00-2:45 but never good enough for copy. Latins weren't too conspicuous. My best wishes to all in the coming year and thanks to those who sent cards. I hope to reply by letter to those who omitted return addresses when I can dig out the correct home QRAs. The enclosed poem is dedicated to our New Zealand members. Who knows? They might invite me down for a season or two of good DX CX!

Stan Morse - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

News Around the Clock to WPAT as of Jan. 1, from WNEW - looks like another AN for Lefty to listen to. 12/18- WDXM 540 TT 2:24. Radio Reloj? 690 to 3 a.m., weak. IDAL 610 dominant and California station second at 3:30. WDAK 540 AN show on this AN, also WIOD announcing as now on AN. 12/19, with only XESM for QRM copied f/c of KTVY Waverly, Iowa 1:56-1:56 a.m. easily for a new one. WCNB 1580 test 2:09. TT on 1330 2:10, no IDs. PH DX- WLSO 1570 to 5:14 s/off, QRM by WFBE, WEPD 1580 to 5:14 p.m. s/off, WYCL 1580 to 5:17 s/off, a new one and a very different style of s/off. 12/20- WMT 540 test for NERC, QRM by WGTO test and AN WDAK for a new one. WHLM AN show on this AN. 12/21- CIA 1470 RS Sunday AM 3:23 to WOIC s/on 6:30, for a new one. WSTC 1400 6:32. WJMJ/WADK/WPTR fighting it out at 7:45 - was looking for needed WPTS. 12/22- XEOY annual report 1:39. Someone on 1470 at 2:32 with "Hello, 1-2-3-4" several times. Same old carrier and tone on 1490. KQV test 2:53. WAKY at 3:03. WFBL test finished any chance for KENN. WKTQ 1450 a cinch over WLEU 3:36-4:40 with nice show. Said he put on his first DX 21 years ago and hopes to put on another sometime. Verie TVMB, Maracaibo. 12/23- Test on 1470 to 2:19, too much WSAN. WHBT ET 1600 2:43 a.m. 12/24- KTM 1580 United Tree Ann. r/c 5 a.m., QRM by KADM/WAIL. Glad I got 'em - call to be changed to KPCA according to Broadcasting. 5:59 WCOJ s/on, 6:00 WTCR s/on, WMAP 1060 RS 6:05 a.m. WFLR RS 3:18. Verie, WOVE.

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Panhandle Palover, by date: 12/20- Completely forgot KWAT-540 DX for NERC but unbeknowning, I logged during daytime with XEWA QRM; WPEO weak to 5:30 s/off; KINS-1310 strong and dominant to 3:00 s/off. 12/21- KRES-1550 well atop 5:04-5:30 (usually KENT here). 12/22- No DXes heard; 1450 too many AN; 300 just a wish and a flutter; 1590 S9 CST station presumed KCBC, with nothing behind. On 1508 kc/s., had Spanish speaker with numerous IDs as HJ-T, "Nueva Radio Bonitas" so semi-tentative to HJET, Cali, to see if new slogan, 3:20-4:01. Slight hetrodyne on 1510, heard very briefly in Spanish too, but couldn't bring to readability. Presumed HOU44 weak but clear 4:05-4:30 on 1015, announced "Radio Reloj Conda la Hora" rather than "de la hora." Then took definite log at 80% readability on PJC-7 1010 from 4:30 s/on to 5:30 with American hillbilly music. Spanish announcements by girl. Clock struck six at 5:30, after man IDed in Spanish and Dutch. WCPB 1320 logged 5:45-6:01; KTLR-1380 6:01 s/on through others, very distinct, slow call. 12/23- Verie WFUL-1270, nice letter; TVQT-670, very fine letter in Spanish, positive verie, so apparently they were carrying "Radio Continente" ER relay on 12/8; however, I'm not counting this one, as I'm afraid, as I pointed out a couple of weeks ago, that it was actually TWNR-672 that I heard. 12/24- WJSH-1570 strong on f/c 1:30-1:45 through XEUF. WIKY-320 a surprise from 7:55 tune in past 8, when I had to go to work. Loggable by tuning slightly below carrier, through 40 over S9 WBAP. 12/25- Disappointing morning. Signals from the South far below normal. Added only HJED-330 and TIRA-732 on Christmas programs. There was one on 830 which I could not ID. TIRA easily separable from CDM, but couldn't multiply the Q fast enough when KCBS played hi-fi orchestral Christmas music. WRGA-1470 at 4:30 with special Christmas program, derricking XESM. XEHL-1010 running AN with new "Radio Internacional" slogan. UNID IAs on 1560 1150 (an XE), and that's about it. Jammer ?? on 850 ? 75.