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### GETS HIS MONEY'S WORTH

"It was worth every cent of the \$4 for DX NEWS. DX NEWS has been very informative and I've logged many new stations thanks to it. The booklet 'How to Enjoy Better DXing' is really great!"  
-Larry Stutzman, Filer, Idaho

### NNRC DX CALENDAR

Date	Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	E.S.T.
Fri. Dec. 2	W C N H	1230	Quincy, Florida	250	2:30 - 3:00 a.m.
Mon. Dec. 5	W I N F	1230	Manchester, Connecticut	250	3:00 - 3:30 a.m.
	5 C B I	1140	Sydney, Nova Scotia	5,000	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.
Mon. Dec. 19	C J C J	920	Woodstock, New Brunswick	1,000	1:30 - 2:30 a.m.
Mon. Jan. 9	G H W K	1270	Chilliwack, Brit. Col.	10,000	4:00 - 4:30 a.m.
Mon. Jan. 30	W R A W	1340	Reading, Pennsylvania	250	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.
	30 C J M T	1420	Chicoutimi, Quebec	1,000	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.
Mon. Feb. 6	C F O X	1470	Pointe Claire, Quebec	1,000	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.
	6 W A Z L	1490	Hazleton, Pennsylvania	250	4:00 - 4:30 a.m.

(with thanks to Phil Jacobs and Bob Koppelon for the above information)

### CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

#### NEW STATIONS

970	Las Vegas, Nevada	500 D-1		
1090	Honolulu, Hawaii	5,000 U-1	1400	Zephyrhills, Florida 250 U-1
1340	Taos, New Mexico	250 U-1	1570	Beverly, Massachusetts 500 D-3

#### NEW CALLS

590	K H A R	Anchorage, Alaska	1320	W J M G	Washington, North Carolina
910	W N C G	North Charleston, S. C.	1340	K L I D	Poplar Bluff, Missouri
1250	K M S L	Ukiah, California	1370	W K F D	Wickford, Rhode Island
1290	K S N B	Santa Barbara, California	1380	W R H T	Ocilla, Georgia
1300	W T H T	Hazleton, Pennsylvania	1400	K W R A	Idaho Falls, Idaho
1310	K G M T	Fairbury, Nebraska	1460	K S N A	Santa Rosa, California
			1550	W N O H	Raleigh, North Carolina

#### FACILITIES

1400	W B T H	Williamson, West Virginia, to 1,000/250 U-1 from 250 U-1, same freq.
	W T R R	Sanford, Florida, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same frequency.
1450	W B S R	Pensacola, Florida, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same frequency.
1470	K U T Y	Palmdale, California, to 5,000 Dpl, from 1,000 D-a, same frequency.
1490	W I K C	Bogalusa, Louisiana, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same frequency.
	K C I L	Houma, Louisiana, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same frequency.
	W L O K	Biloxi, Mississippi, to 1,000/250 U-1, same frequency, from 250 U-1.

DELETED - K --- Liberal, Kansas, 600 kc/s., 500 U-4. (CALL CHANGES ON PAGE 2.)

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VERIE SIGNERS

550	W A Y R	Gordon R. Linscott, M	E	1320	W F H R	Gordon Miller, CE	F
560	W Q T E	Irving Laing, CE	E	1350	K R V C	R. L. Stanley	D
660	K M E O	William Donovan, DoE	C		C J L M	Joseph Cardin, CE	E
730	W X M T	Russ Johnson, CE	E	1360	K R Y S	Leo S. Burch, CE	B
825	Y N O L	David C. Solt, CE	G	1370	W T K Y	Luther Swan, E	E
900	K T E E	Ray H. Lewis, M	C	1380	W I T E	William Mercer, CE	E
920	W M P L	Francis Locatelli, CE	A		K R K O	Dale Good, CE	B
930	K I U P	Frank Toomey, CE	F	1440	W C F D L	Walter Rude, CE	C
1030	K C T A	Paul H. Waller, CE	B		W H H T	Alfred Jones, M	E
1150	W D E L	Harvey C. Smith, SM	BC		W H r I S	Ken Dick, CE	F
1170	K S T T	George W. Stephenson Jr	CE F	1470	W W M L	Irving Metzger, CE	E
1240	K G Y	Don Jones, CE	D	1480	W I S M	G. R. Batz, XSu	A
1270	K E P S	Daniel A. Ruch, CE	B	1550	W E S N	W. D. Sneed, CE	E
	K T q F I	Carl F. Norris, CE	B		W I R V	S. C. Bevins	E
1320	W E E T	Jess Der Boy PD	A	1590	W M I C	Frank Tefft, M, CE	E
	W A M P	Stephen J. Rodney, GM	C		W Jr S O	Ed Davis, M	C

C R E D I T S

- A - Stan Morse
- B - Maurice Nittler
- C - Fran Nittler
- D - Jim Critchett
- E - Hank Tyndall
- F - Ken Bush
- G - Lefty Cooper

H E A R D S I N C E L A S T I S S U E

910	W N C G	South Charleston, S. C.	NRC	1390	W P L M	Now 5,000 U-4	NRC
1250	K T W L	Ex-KXXI	NRC	1420	K S Y X	Santa Rosa, New Mex.	NRC
1280	W O N W	Now 1,000/500 U-2	FCC		W K P R	Kalamazoo, Michigan	NRC
1290	W C O W	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC	1550	W M S K	Morganfield, Kentucky	NRC
1300	W S O L	Ex-WWTB	NRC	1570	K Z O L	Now Farwell, Texas	FCC
1350	W R W H	Now 1,000 B-1	FCC	1580	W P G C	Now Washington, D.C.	NRC

A D D I T I O N A L C H A N G E S I N S T A T I O N D A T A, f r o m P A G E 1

C A L L C H A N G E S

- 1470 W H U T Anderson, Indiana from WERX
- 1480 K B E A Mission, Kansas, from KBKC
- 1580 K W A Y Forest Grove, Ore. fr KPBC

C O R R E C T I O N

- 1310 K I O T is in Barstow, California, not Barstow as previously listed (by FCC)

O N T H E S T A T I O N ' S S T A T I O N E R Y - L E T T E R F R O M W G E A - 1 1 5 0

"Dear Ken, 11/1/60  
 "I appreciate your interest. I want to know everything that goes on in this equipment all the way from the mike to the antenna and then from there to the receiver. .... (equipment details omitted).....  
 "We like to find out just how our antenna is doing by asking for reports from good people just like you, so if you will tell your friends, I will appreciate it very much.  
 "The next test is November 23, @ 12:30 to 12:45 a.m. C.S.T. (1:30-1:45 EST).  
 "73 till next time." (signed) John Hidle, Chief Engineer.  
 (submitted by Ken Bush of 60 Grace St., Buffalo 7, N.Y.)  
 WGEA is 1,000 watts on 1150 kilocycles, in Geneva, Alabama -Ed.)

L e f t y C o o p e r - 4 3 8 E a s t 2 1 S t r e e t - B r o o k l y n 2 6, N e w Y o r k

One verie, from YNOL-825, letter with card enclosed and a pamphlet about the station and a tract also. To you technical-minded fellows - this is my problem. My HQ-129-X produces all sorts of images on almost every channel at times. There will be a little click, then suddenly the dial is infested with locals WMCA-WINS-WMGM-WNEW at almost every channel, but never on a split frequency. Then another click and they're gone. What can I do to remedy this - is there anything I can add to or change in the set to eliminate this DX-killing condition? Not much this week again - 11/4 and 11/8, WLCY-1380 atop for a report. 11/4, YVKQ-1160 on top and easy to 1:36 s/off, announcing as "Radio Tropical." 11/8- Noted celebrated ANs NOT on - WHAM-1180, WTRY-980, WIEG-990, WROV-1240, WADC-1350. WRDW-1480 s/on 4 a.m. Floridians doing nicely, WQAM-560, WMFJ-1450 on top; WZOK-1320, WKAT-1360, WLCY-1380. WDBF-1420 ET at 2:10; WLOS-1380 @ 2:20.

Roy H. Millar - P.O. Box 773 - Bellevue, Washington

Continuing the "DX-tale." Oct. 21st - YSC-1015 s/ln 6:00 a.m. after a long recording of various farm sounds; roosters, cows, etc. Oct. 22nd- CFTK-1140 Kitimat/Terrace, B. C. logged 2:05-2:30 a.m. for welcome addition from the far North of British Columbia; KRAK-1140 Sacramento added to log at 2:58 a.m. ID; HRUX-865 good enough in evening for tapes at 11:03 and 11:26 p.m. for report. Oct. 23rd- JOQK-850 ID at 5:00 a.m.; no sign of wanted KICY; 4VEC-1035 ID at 10:35 p.m. after long log on what I thought was "AVROS." Oct. 27th- Merry mess on 700 kc/s., "NHK" call at 5:30 a.m., QRM'd by Jamaica Broadcasting Company; since JOTG moved, no NHK station is known to be on 700, help? Later, 2NR good on 700, particularly around 8:00 a.m. Oct. 29th- HJKC-840 real good at 12:30 a.m. s/off; possible "Radio Eldorado"-700 Sao Paulo, Brazil 3:55-4:00 a.m., definitely Spanish or Portuguese; word "telephonica" noticed, so worth a tentative to this 50 kw., call unknown. Religious programming on 700 kc/s. immediately after 5 a.m. probably Jamaica, as English; 2NR atop by 5:30 a.m. Oct. 30th- KUZZ-800 Bakersfield, Cal. s/off under KPDQ at 8:12 p.m. Oct. 31st- KHBC-970 s/off 4:15 a.m., best level ever heard; WVI-970 s/on 4:20 a.m., very weak for about five minutes, then gone, but a most welcome catch. Veries: KGGM-610, KQBY-1550, LYC-880 (New Zealand #10). DX NEWS of Sept. 17, Oct. 1 and Oct. 15 arrived in 11, 13 and 16 days respectively; Oct. 22 issue by first class mail, three days, so guess first class mail is the only answer here. Happy to see Ted V. renewal; come on in and join the fun, Ted! Also, is California's Don Reynolds still with us? A real good Foreign Contest is under way, and we would all be most happy to see Ted and Don, and others too, right in there pitching! Reports are out to 15 countries from here, with five countries verified to date for contest. Of these 14 countries reported, only Australia and Hawaii have more than one report out. Nothing out yet to Alaska, China, Cuba, Puerto Rico, Jamaica, etc. so plenty of work ahead if I want to stay in the thick of said contest! Will be anxiously awaiting looking forward to St. Lucia, Windward Islands-840 coming on the air! Also next to KICY-850, I rate the new CHAK-300 as my second most wanted station of this season. No hot North opening has as yet been noted this fall; rather it's been a good LA and Oceania season so far, although down California way some top Asia DX has been reported. Maybe I'm too close to the magnetic block for good North Pacific DX. 73.

Hank Wilkinson - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

The Fall of the year is a fine time for a three week vacation especially if you are a DXer. Reception CX still rather good in this immediate area and from some of the reports from Roy Millar and Clarence Freeman it must be quite good in their areas as well. For the past five evenings and mornings the signals have been very strong to the South and East whereas the signals to the West have fallen off. Stations from China and Japan were rolling in on all parts of the dial; now it is the West Indies, Central and South America. I really would like a contact from someone who has been hearing the Dutch station in Surinam that is supposed to be operating on 1035 kc/s. First, is he still operating on this frequency and what are the hours that he is being positively heard? Also, is anyone hearing ZFY on 760 kc/s. or is the Cuban spoiling this possibility? Can anyone supply me with the s/on times of the following Puerto Rican stations: WHOA WRIO and WEUC. I'd appreciate this very much. Latest reports out from this den are: TIW-775, La Voix Evangelique-1036, China (840, 940, 1020 and 1100), KPOI WRA "Radio Centro" in Honduras (865) and HLKX, Inchon, South Korea on 1065. Several New Zealand DXers have informed me that China (Radio Peking) has a powerful station on 1190 kc/s. and that English is used quite a bit. As you know, I'm vitally interested in the "Supremacy Ratings" as published monthly in the section of the bulletin put out by Fred Van Voorhees. I wish to thank those who are cooperating so wonderfully and I want to hear from those who feel that their 10 or 15 countries aren't impressive enough to write about. A reminder: This is not a contest, just a ladder to climb as you put hours and years behind you in this wonderful hobby of ours. This is the way I'd like for you NRC members to look at it. I like the job - keep me busy. 73.

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

At long last a PP card verie from WMPL-dx of March 1958. It pays to perservere! 10/27- KEYS-1440 s/off RS 2 a.m. WECT-1430 Fountain City Tenn. f/c 2 a.m. and a beautiful signal. Veries, WISM, WEET. WPLM-1390 now full time and sked weekdays is 6 a.m. -12 midnight. WESO-970 s/on 6 a.m. seven days a week. I'm getting old I guess - just can't wake up after digging plants all day so DX is suffering.

Norm Maguire - 1420 Columbia Drive NE - Albuquerque, New Mexico

DX continues to come in here, although most as a result of Monday morning tuning. The following reported: 10/19- KOUR-1220 r/c 1:15. 10/20- WDAR-1350 f/c 4:45; WTRB-1570 r/c 5:12 overriding XERF; KLYR-1360 f/c 5:45. 10/24- WCGO-1600 RS 4:05; WPNX-1460 4:55 s/on; WMS-790 5:45 s/on; KADL-1270 6:02 s/on; KTAE-1260 6:30 s/on; VOA-Okinawa 1180 RS 7:00; KIRL-1070 RS 7:35. 11/1- KFST-860 f/c 5:35. 11/2- KCRN-1380 f/c 2:20. KSFT was my most wanted Texan and was happy to get a good log on him. JOBB on 830 heard on 10/24 for first Japanese of season, although not too strong. VOA Okinawa was S-8, on top of WLDL and WHAM for one and a half hours. KSYX-1420 in Santa Rosa, N.M. started RS on 11/1. Never heard a test from them. They run into heavy QRM from WOC and KHFH here. Veries have been received from KTLQ KLYD WLSC KIML KCOCT XERH (dup.) WTTC KLYR WCGO KOUR (Thanks, Gerry Dexter) WPNX and KGAS. That's it for now.

Francis H. Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado

A lot of DX here this week. Sunday 10/30 noted XEBH-920 Hermosillo running late up to 4:15 with some sort of fund drive and report sent as didn't verify a 1958 report. Monday 10/31 five reports out to KPOI-1380 Honolulu RS at 4:02 easily over ANer KRKO, WKCW-1420 Warrenton, Va. RS at 4:29, WRAD-1460 Radford, Va. RS and last but not least WLOF-950 Orlando s/on at 5:30. Then on 11/1 added a new catch which wasn't too difficult as found a brand new Colorado station on the air in KTWL-1250 Golden which makes call letter #4 for this station in just 3 1/2 years of operating including the calls KGOL KHOK KXXI and now KTWL. Really a brand new station this time as KXXI had been off the air since last spring. Sounds like they might just be having ET so far as no commercials and five or six musical selections between IDs. S/off is 6:45 for November. 11/2, the brand new KSYX-1420 Santa Rosa, N.M. heard at 6:38 p.m. and quite easy despite local KOSI-1430 still being on 5,000 non-directional daytime pattern. Last evening 11/4 tickled pink to add much-sought KVLH-1470 Pauls Valley, Okla. with good signal 6:17-6:25 p.m. Later in evening copied TGXA-1040 on tape from 6:38 p.m. to 9:10 with strong signals at times. Also, another report to XEKD-1010 Ciudad Acuna, Coah. completely topping 1010 here at 7:55 p.m. Six veries received this week. WJSO-1590 typed verie on back of report and returned. The rest of them were letters from WAMP-1320 WCDL-1440 KTEE-900 KMEO-660 and WDEL-1150 for state #49 verified and leaves only Vermont to get. Other good catches heard at sunset lately but not needed are KTES-1420 KBIF-900 KVLV-1250 KVEL-1250 KPTL-1300 KWOE-1320, etc. Best of DX to everyone. 73s.

Maurice W. Nittler - 3663 South Clarkson - Englewood, Colorado

DX here has been lax but there has been plenty to be had in the Mile-Hi area as brother Francis has attested. Here are my leager catches in the last month: 9/25- KTFI-1250 s/off 2:05. 9/26- CJAD-800 logged on AN sked and WTTC-1550 RS at 5:05. KUTT-1550 heard on TT at 5:57. KCTA-1030 RS at 6:10 a.m. 10/17- WCGO-1600 s/on and RS from 4:00 on. 10/24- KIRL-1070 on AN (ex-KFBI). WDEL-1150 s/on 4:00 for second Delaware logging. Veries are back recently from: KRYS-1360, KRKO-1380, WJRL-1150, KQBY-1550, KEPS-1270, KTFI-1270, KCTA-1030, WTTC-1550, WCGO-1600 and WDEL-1150. Also got a letter from WISC-1480 (now WISM) for Oct. 26, 1959 report on WISC letterhead, will replace PP card. KYND-1580 was logged last evening at 8:00 p.m. s/off for a new logging Season looks like it will be a very good one with distant Eastern stations already coming in well here. Enjoyed seeing Marv Robbins again last Saturday night as he stopped briefly after the Colorado - Nebraska football game. Thus far we have 38 entrants in the Domestic DX Contest. 73.

James A. Lee - 3265 Hascall Street - Omaha, Nebraska

DX has finally picked up after the summer lull, so I'll start with my loggings these past few months. KPIK-1580 8/4, KYND-1580 8/4, KMRS-1570 9/15 s/off, WMBD-1470 9/16 KREB (ex-KENT)-1550 9/22, WOKK-1450 9/25, KWBB-1410 9/25, WING-1410 9/25, WGR-550 9/26 WVA-550 9/26, WKBN-570 9/26, WTVN-610 9/26, WHLO-640 9/26, WOR-710 9/26, KRYS-1360 10/5, KNDY-1570 10/9 s/off, KEMS-1480 10/9, CFOR (XERF was off air for approximately 20 minutes), 1570 10/17, KNUJ-860 10/19, KIRL (ex-KFBI) 1070 10/19, CKDM-730 10/23, KSYL-970 10/25, KNEK-1540 10/29, KYOK-1590 10/27, KAMO-1390 (special broadcast to plane) 10/30. Veries in from Radio Swan, letter with tape returned, WMBD post card, WOKK letter, KWBB letter, WVA card, WKBN card, WOR card, KRYS letter, KNDY letter, WRAP after five months, card. That's about all for now except that I issue the same challenge of Marv Robbins in his last report. Any comments? Excerpt from letter from KWHK-1260 "You may inform any of your friends of the NRC we would be extremely happy to acknowledge their monitoring of our station at any time, anywhere." 73s.

John C. Dyckman - 318 Fairview Avenue - Canfield, Ohio

Greetings to all of the NRCers from the two NRCers in Canfield. After finishing my backlog of DX NEWS I decided to send in a report so I might have my 2¢ worth in these few coming small issues. As of late I have been off the AM dials but have added another station to my FM Log. In this report I'll give some info on one of our locals. For those who plan to listen for this station early, sorry - the station signs on at 6 a.m. and off at midnight EST. The station I'm referring to is WKBN AM/FM/TV. This station (for AM) uses a 5,000 watt RCA XR and a self-supporting 350' tower. After sundown they operate on a directional pattern to protect five other stations using the same frequency. B.T. Wilkins says they accomplished this with four tuners set in a special pattern. If one requests in his report he will receive a coverage map. Their coverage in daytime with a .5 mv/m signal is about 120 miles' radius. Their nighttime pattern is like a four-leaf clover with an open side toward Lake Erie. Note to any of our Canadian members in the NRC in Ontario, or other locations NW of Cleveland. Along with the rest of the dope on this station I might also say that the v/s is B.T. Wilkins the CE. This has appeared in previous DX NEWS issues, but I thought I'd just throw it in just in case someone doesn't read the v/s list. Well I suppose I'd better say BCNU in the next issue of DX NEWS if not in a personal letter. 73s, gang.

Joe Brauner - R.D. 1 - Smicksburg, Pennsylvania

Still not doing much tuning, and when tried, CX were not much better than in summer. A few new loggings. 9/3- WWML-1470 on RS. 9/11- WGRC-1580, only new one added as a result of hurricane. 9/27- KREB-1550 AN. (Hear this one often as late as 6:45 now. At that time WBOF comes on RS for November). 9/28- WIKX way over AN WAKR during ETs. 10/1- WJUD-1580 r/c at 2:45-3:00. 10/3- WIIN-970 signing on RS at 6 a.m. through WWSW. 10/18- CJLR-1060, RS at 1:00 a.m. s/onn. 10/21 - "Swan"-1160, this one a nightly visitor, also audible through WJJD at 5:00 a.m. 10/27- WALG-1590 through WAKR with f/c at 12:40-12:50. Am no longer reporting to manu, so veries few and far apart, only WWML WGRC WALG reported of those lately heard, WWML has verified. Do not plan to report regularly any more - so many seem unwilling to reply and can't enjoy getting replies via PPs. If I know I heard a call, that's it. Why prove to yourself something that you already know? I don't go for contests anyway. Recently had a most pleasant, but too short visit from the Edges, Pop, Kate and Leannette, sure enjoyed their visit here on their way to Kittanning and the Coopers. They seemed to bring a little good luck in the verie returns too. The mail that day contained a long overdue PP from WMPL-920 from way back in November 1958. Unreadable signer, CE. Also nice letter from WCFR-1480 for report on their 3/30/60 test. No f/up on this one; note others have also gotten theirs lately on that test. That's the news here - hope to have something more interesting soon, as more time and longer hours of darkness give me a chance to try a little "daytimer" DX. 73.

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

Just a few brief DX sessions and only one verie in. WISM-1480 ex-WISC for a report of 10/26/59. 10/27- KATZ-1600 strong after WHLL s/off at 5:45. Needed WSTL-1600 heard briefly, but KATZ ruined chance for a report. 10/28- WKKS-1570 at 7:00 giving WOKZ a hard time, and ZNS-1540 at intervals through KXEL. With the ending of EDST pre-sunset and twilight DX will get some attention here. 10/31- WCJU\*-1450 f/c 2:00-2:15 topping the mess of ANs. 11/2- WKTIX\*-1600 f/c 2:00-2:15 with station breaks louder than tone. Fall edition of White's Log now on sale at local 5 and 10s (Radio-TV Experimenter). Member Stanbury has an interesting article in "Radi-TV Experimenter."

Alex Bowab - P.O. Box 539 - Atmore, Alabama

Put up a new antenna this week - running 200' N/S but only 20' high so I will have to raise it a little more. With the new antenna I get CMCD-760 in broad daylight as well as CMBZ-830 for pretty good daytime DX, both being 650 miles away. 10/28- ANer KAAB-1350 even with WSMB on till 1:30. 11/2- WLBK-1410 over WALA 5:35 p.m. 11/5- Brand new WNCG-910 500 watts, North Charleston, S.C. ET till 2:00 up and down with AN WORD. Bob Kalish's remarks re "DXing Horizons" go for me too - I don't care much for SSers and I have abandoned my TV and FM DX in favor of BCE. However, for Robert Cooper's generosity I am sending him a check to cover the cost of the two sample copies he sent me. Note KLOU-1580 is not AN any more - hope this is a "new trend" also. No veries in. One other thing, I collect "Top 40" lists and if anyone wants to trade a few, please write. Thanks, and 73s.

LET'S KEEP DX NEWS BULGING EVERY WEEK. YOUR REPORTS WILL MAKE IT POSSIBLE. PLEASE?

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The latest DX at this DX den included the logging on 10/25 of Station WELI-960 New Haven, Conn. with its RS s/on and programs from 4:30-4:45 a.m. with only slight QRM noted from a SS on that frequency. I've been after WELI since the day I began DXing back in 1939. Then on 10/30 Station KADL-1270 Pine Bluff, Ark. was heard with a test from 1:34-1:47 a.m. with some interference from AN WXYZ in Detroit. "Radio Swan" was finally copied with a report on 11/1 from 10-11 p.m. when they signed off the air with RS; only slight KSL, Salt Lake City noted in the background. It was quite surprising to me to hear the complete final 15 minutes of RS of programming from Station KSRC-1290 Socorro, N.M. on 11/2 from 6:45-7 p.m. and topping the frequency. In fact, every word during the 15 minute segment was clearly readable, and that's surprising for a 1,000 watt daytimer at a distance of 1,050 air miles on a frequency such as 1290. I had logged KSRC on a f/c back on 12/6/58 but they have never verified, so let's hope this report which is quite detailed brings a verie. On 11/4 station WBNT-1310 Oneida, Tenn. was heard with a f/c from 3:30-3:45 a.m. for one I was happy to log, considering the crowded "mess" on that spot on the dial. Then the following morning 11/5, the 1/2 less than two-month-old station, WDOV-1440 Dowagiac, Mich. was heard with a f/c-TT from 1:45-2:00 a.m., however, I do not know if this may be a r/c or not. Later on 11/5 I heard Station WLAT-1330 Conway, S.C. with its 5,000 watts s/on at 5:56 a.m. and heard till 6:04 a.m. when "local" KWWL, in Waterloo, Ia. signed on with its RS of the day. As for verifications, letters came from KUPD and KIRL; a card from WPOP, and a PP card from KUDE. The latter was received after a personal call by Jim Critchett. Thanks a million, Jim! In referring to my KIRL v/1, Jack Coppersmith, GM, writes, "Your letter was the first long-distance reported reception, just minutes after our change from KFBI to KIRL. We sent a verifax copy of your letter to the station owner, Mr. Buddy Rogers."

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33rd Street - Berwyn, Illinois

It looks like a good year ahead, if October and November are an indication. Sunday Oct. 30, first day of Standard Time: WDAX-1410 s/on 5:50; WPAP-1570 s/on 6:30 but much XERF QRM; KROD-600 AN 5:45-7:00 when WMT s/on; a couple good ones simultaneously on 1390 7:00-7:15. KDQN and KULP both RS. Monday 31st: WANE-1450 s/off 3:06 and KNYC-4410 ET 3:33-3:50. November came in with best CX in a long time on the first: WKTX-1600 f/c-TT 1:00-1:10; a real surprise, KUBC-580 RS 1:30-1:50 with no CKEY or WLEW and a powerhouse; WMSK-1550 new station in Morganfield, Ky. ET @ 2:07. Nov. 3: WALG-1590 ex-WALB f/c-TT 12:35-12:45 and stating they will verify. Nov. 4: WNVA-1350 f/c-TT 1:02-1:11 for second report; WWYC-970 r/c; WMEG-920 r/c. Nov. 5: WDOG-1590 announced a W-Dog ET 12:30-12:45; WKPR-1420 New Kalamazoo station f/c-TT 1:30-1:45; KACT-1360 r/c; and finally unneeded WMIC-1590 f/c-TT @ 2:05. Veries this week are from KCHY, KNEX KIRL KDQN.

Wayne Pierce - 400 Winans Avenue - Vestal, New York

DX really picking up. I've been picking up two or three stations a day - maybe if I can keep this up I can approach the totals of some of the other members - give me three or four years. WDBL-1590 was testing Oct. 30, 1:30-2:02. They came in over WAKR with 5,7. V/l's in from WDLA-1270, WEZN-1600, WHLM-550, WBRV-900, WEHH-1590, WLEE 1480. Veries in 91% as to about 50% without letterhead and report forms. Alas, the "Great Pumpkin" didn't bring me my SX-100. Maybe I'm not really sincere. The "Great Turkey" still might come. 10/29- WAMY-1580 and WEZY-1580 in between 6:15 and 6:30 p.m. So long, 73s and I hope 88s to any YLs.

Raleigh Biss - 484 Marcus Road - Palm Springs, California

As usual there is little to report from here. This morning I made out a report to KDWB-630 again - hope they answer this time. Only new stations this morning were WIIN and WVOP both in Georgia fighting it out on 970 kc/s. so I got a fair report out to each of them, 5:25 to 5:35 a.m. Strong tone notes on about six channels but no announcements on any of them. Wonder when the many CPs on 1550 kc/s. will begin testing? The Japs broke through on Oct. 24th for the first time this season. 750 Sapporo, 830 Osaka, 990 Sendai, 1090 ?? and 670 JOBK were all strong. I got a long report out to JOBK and hope that they can make more sense of my efforts in giving program material than I can in understanding them. Greetings to all.

LET'S MAKE IT BIG EVERY WEEK, BOYS, BY SENDING IN THOSE REPORTS EVERY WEEK TO DX NEWS. WE ALL LIKE IT MUCH BETTER WHEN THE BULLETINS ARE BIG AND NEWSY, AND THAT'S THE WAY THEY'DL BE - EVERY WEEK - BUT IT'S UP TO YOU. HOW ABOUT IT?

Jim Critchett - 1119 West Arbor Drive - San Diego 3, California

When I receive a DX NEWS that has a report from me in it, I know it is time to send another, so here goes. Between October 19th and 31st reception reports were sent to 1250 KAKA for 8 a.m. s/on Saturday, 10/22; 1240 KGY for ET, heard from 3 to 4 Sunday, 10/23 with tone, and definite ID at 4. (Thanks again, Len Lockwood). 1270 KAJO rnfinh an ET at 4:19, 10/23; 1550 KREB AN Monday 10/31, 1480 KONI on RS from 7:33 to 7:40 (KHAFT there later) and 1150 KAGO through KRKD 8 to 9, Monday 10/31. Certainly poor signal by KRKD, or freak reception. Other DX notes: 1250 KVEL on at 7:55, before KAKA; 1290 KHSL said on to 5 Sunday AMs, 10/23; 1070 KIRL ID at 7:30 Monday 10/24, but doubt if on Monday 10/31 between 3:45 and 4:40. 1150 KSAL on at 8:55 Monday 10/31; 1420 KHFH on at 7; some SS station on at 7 on 1550; 980 CKNW AN Mondays, covering KVER here, signing on at 7:30, 10/31. Four veries: 600 WPDQ QSL, very distinct color, 1240 KGY, 1350 KRVC and 1470 WMBD. Several f/ups out lately, so maybe results. We drove up to Oceanside in the new Rambler Saturday 10/29, and had the PP cards signed for Him Ernst and Len Kruse by the new CE at 1320 KUDE. Said that all correct reports are now verified promptly. Forgot to get his name; tell Lefty, please, Jim or Len. And also please thank him for the verie. I send a thank-you card for each verie received; have been told it really creates good will toward DXers. Pat R., your 690 station was KVNA, part of the Arizona Network. As Routzahn says, send them your picture, to insure a verie. Best wishes, Just in case I might be late, Happy Thanksgiving to all.

Larry Stutzman - Filer, Idaho

This is my second report since joining the NRC and can already tell it was worth every cent of the \$4 for the DX NEWS. The DX NEWS has been very informative and I've logged many new stations thanks to it. The booklet "How to Enjoy Better DXing" is really great. Stations logged in the past month included: CBK CFUN KABC KASH KINS KABL KGHL KHQ KIMA KIOA KNOG KPOP KPAX KUBA KUTY KWSC KXEL WOAI and WCBS. I was real glad to get WCBS and in the daytime too. Last night I heard a station broadcasting in Spanish on about 1500 kc/s. Anyone have any idea what it was? I've added a loop antenna and it really pulls the stations in. I just installed last night, and I can really tell the difference already. Sure hope I can be in Amarillo in '61 and have as much fun as you guys had at White Plains this year. By the way, how about having the Convention way out West in '62 or '63 - say California or Idaho? Back on logging and v/c, I received a v/c from WREN and that's my most distant one. In my first report, I said that KTFI increased to 250,000 watts. They had tapes saying "This is KTFI, your quarter of a million watt station." But on the s/off the other night they said that they operated on 5,000 watts. That sure is a funny station. Ever since I can remember they've got contest clues from other local stations and things like that. ~~xxxxxxafxxxx~~ Well, I guess that's all from this end, so 73s and good DX to everyone. Can you tell me any NRC members in Southern Idaho?

John Sampson - 570 Prospect - Hutchinson, Minnesota

Hi all - finally got around to writing again. Sorry I couldn't make the Convention this year, but more important things intervened. We are now settled in Hutchinson, where I'm working for the Magnetic Products Division of Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing. But enough of that, and now for some of the recent DXing activities from this location. Among the stations logged have been KWAT-950, KUTT-1550, KJAM-1390, KRSI-950 KLTF-960 WHSM-910 KMRS-1570, all daytime regulars. Other loggings have been WALM-1260 at 10:30 p.m., KEYD-1220 at 6:45 p.m. s/off for October, CHED at 7 p.m., KIXZ-940 at 7:00 p.m. before antenna pattern change, KDAY-1580 at 8:00, KISN-910 at 2:00 on 10/21, WYLD-940 at 7:30 p.m., KFST-860 at 7:30 a.m. s/on on 10/29, KVVW-1050 on 10/29 at 7:45 s/off, KCCR-1590 on 10/30 at 6:45 p.m., KCLE-1120 10/30 at 7:00 p.m. s/off, and KPAN-860 on 10/30 at 7:15 p.m. s/off. Have gotten six veries in - KMRS-1570, KIHO-1270 CHED-1080 KRBI-1310 WFHR-1320 and WALM-1260. This location is one of the best I have seen for DXing. The closest AN station is about 60 miles away, which is quite a change from that AN paradise of Omaha. Only one station in Hutchinson, KDUZ on 1260, a daytimer. One rather interesting station I have heard was KGAC in St. Peter, Minn. on 800 - one of those college stations - power about 10 watts, probably. So, I guess that's about all from the Upper Midwest. 73.

J. B. "Pat" Reilly - 628 Spring Street - Jamestown, New York

No new veries this week, also the whole week has been very noisy, worse than past summer for DX. 10/31- Loud unknown TT with WLW-700 at 4:00 but no ID. HJAT-1080 was steady S-6 at 3:50. 11/1- Tester on 1220 with music, 2:30 to 3:17 and (con'd on P. 8)

(Pat Reilley, con'd from P. 7) never any ID at all. KSL-1150 had TT atop them at 2:53 but no ID. KXGO-790 r/c, still nursing bac cold and have taken everything but a quart for it. 11/4- WOI-640 ET at 3:39. WEBR-970 test at 3:40. Unknown on 960 playing "Charlie Weaver" records at 3:55 but no ID given. 11/5- Mexican loud on 1440 but unknown to me at 3:00. Long hours at office have me all tired out, 56 tabloid pages this AM. XERF not on as CHUB in clear at 3:15. On again later. 760 had a TT atop WJR and CMCD at 3:30 but no ID given at all. Enjoyed Warren Routzahn's write-up about start of Club but first Convention was in Erie in 1938, then in 1939 and 1940 in Erie, then at Buffalo for several years, suspended one or two years because of World War II. Joe Becker and cracker-barrel session at the Demuling Brothers' grocery store around corner on Parade Street, I believe. Did Cooper and wife and my wife, dog and myself sojourn to Eagle's Club for a glass of beer before starting home. At 1939 meeting, Al Bartholomew and I were on the way home when the Germans sank the first ship to start World War II.

Henry T. Tyndall Jr. - Burlington, Vermont

A belated "thank you" to the White Plains hosts, Pete, Jim, Don, Ken, Bob and Lefty, for their combined efforts in making this year's Convention enjoyable to a couple of newcomers. My wife and I loved the informality and good fellowship that prevailed and it was a pleasure to meet so many old time members. It was worth the trip to meet Pat Reilley, at long last, and the Critchetts, Bob Gorsuch, Len Kruse and many others. Too bad Hal Williams and ourselves had to call it quits Saturday night but we did get in our licks while there. Besides the Convention, September produced a vacation for my wife and me and we visited the Lloyd Hahas in Baltimore and played two beautiful courses while there. Back-tracking through New Jersey, we visited the Roy Utters and a foursome was arranged for the famous Pocono Manor Course, where Art Wall Jr. carves a few divots. Beautiful layout, in the hills of Pennsylvania. Played 25 new golf courses this summer, the grand total now being 326. Entailed quite a bit of travelling as we have to go far to find new ones. Finally finished painting the old brick house and am buttoned up for the winter; the brisk air signifies rapidly improving DX and in this respect, I hope that each and every one of you have a fine season, including the holidays.

Dave Holcllin - 7526 Colfax Avenue - Chicago 49, Illinois

Enclosed is my \$4.00 for membership in the NRC. I have been DXing since Feb. 1 1959 and have heard 584 stations in 40 states and several other countries. Have 100 veries with 120 reports out. My best DX is 1380-WXLE Marshall Islands with 250 atts and on 980, PRE-8 in Rio de Janeiro Brazil, both having verified. I use an RCA-1088 AC/DC portable with a double loop antenna (one loop mounted on the other although not actually connected) and have found it very good in pulling in the weak ones. My favorite part of DX NEWS is the "DX Down the Dial" column. I find it very interesting since my favorite DX is chasing the TTs and the tips are a help in IDing those I fail to. I am glad to become a member of the NRC and my only regret is that I didn't join sooner. (Welcome to the NRC, Dave, and Pop forwarded your letter to me here in Brooklyn - Ed.)

Bob Kalish - 2214 Avenue T - Brooklyn 29, New York

DX here has netted me four new ones this week. On 10/27, logged WMGY-300 in Montgomery, Ala. at 6 p.m. EST, after the WSUZ/WJAT s/off. On 10/31, WTWB-1570 in Auburndale, Fla. logged at terrific strength at 6 s/off. On Monday 10/31, logged KVET-1300 in Austin, Texas at 2 a.m. s/off. Shortly before, logged WEER-1570 Warrenton, Va. on ET way below good ole XERF. I have heard no traces of TAs yet this season, with the exception of 9/26, when I heard the hats of the Portuguese on 1035 and 782, and the unknown on 1492. Only four veries received here this week: KVI-570 in Seattle, Wash. after six reports and a long wait; new CE who is answering back mail. WTAL-1270 sent letter, market analysis coverage map and Chamber of Commerce brochure, WCGA-900 in Calhoun, Ga. sent a quick letter on very cheap letterhead. Hear Ye - on 11/26, Saturday after Thanksgiving Day there will be the first meeting of the New York area DXers at my jernt, hi. Following are directions on how to reach my abode. From anywhere in the city or suburbs, take the BMT Brighton Local to Avenue U. Walk one block to Avenue T, and then on Avenue T to my house, which is on Avenue T between East 22 and 23rd Streets. If any are afraid of getting lost, go to Lefty's and come here with him. I hope that all of the regular DXers will be here, along with the many new members in this area. CPC - Wake Up! 73.

THE EYES OF TEXAS ARE UPON YOU - ALL THE LIVE-LONG - WEEKEND OF LABOR DAY 1961! COME!



Jeff Lob - 93 Oakview Terrace - Short Hills, New Jersey

Have lots of DX to report, so I better get down to business right away. We had a cold spell here for a few days, so in that period, I picked up some new catches. DXing as follows: Oct. 22 - WESR-1330 (local WPOW off for some reason) WTYM-1600. Oct. 23 - WOKE-1340 in Charleston, S.C., WJW-850, WCAP-980 WPDM-1470, "Radio Jamaica"-770 (religious program from 5:15-6:00 - anyone know where on the island this one is?). Oct. 24- WMFJ-1450, WAVI-1210, WQXI-790 (AN) WEMD-1460, WCSH-970, WWBZ-1360, WFAX-1220, WIAT-1330, WHUE-1570 (where?) Oct. 25- WJHL-910 (this one puzzles me - heard their s/ on and they announced themselves as WJCW - what goes on?) (WJCW is their call change from WJHL -Ed.) WHEY-910. Oct. 26- WPLH-1470, WJIV-900, WCEM-1240, WRWJ-1570. Oct. 27- WHOS-800, WVOK-690, WATV-900, WBAM-740, WAPI-1070. It seems as if that was Alabama night. WTAB-1370, WCDJ-1260. Oct. 28- WSNW-1050, WLCM-1360, WCPH-1220, WKKO-860. Oct. 29- WKWK-1400, WERH-970, WKIK-1370, WSOL-1300 (Jones lists as WBTB). Oct. 30- WCPC-1320, WRDW-1480, WFCT-1430, WOBS-1360, and a foreigner between 970 and 980 speaking Spanish - any ideas? WTWB-1570, WSWN-900. Oct. 31- WKZO-590. Last few days of November brought no new DX. Thanks go again to everybody who wrote me. Best DX to all

Ralph Johanns - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo 3, New York

A return mail reply from New York for Radio Swan is a printed-ready v/l and can be used for either SW or BCB. (See FVV's section). Dan, K5FNR, your radiogram, WNTT-1250 Tazewell, f/c first Saturday 4-4:15 a.m. came too late - received it in the Saturday mail. If you want a collection of PP cards, go ahead, anyone can make these and have someone somewhere mail 'em, sign 'em yourself or ask your milkman, you get what I mean? The station that gets 'em may get the idea everybody should do the same. I want v/ls on station letterhead and if no reply after the elimination process, then I shed a tear in my beer and file either the copy of my report or the notes in my rogue's gallery. The CE is not the only person to write to. Here WGR-550 just settled strike and has 116 employees. Many things can happen to the mail, by you or by them so maybe a second report to a different person will achieve results. Don'r rush 'em and always make two copies for yourself (if you type). Sometimes a report to SM with a copy enclosed marked for CE helps a lot and put in the "local programs" for their interest or a WX map for the CE. Tell 'em (if you live in a smaller community) how far away you are from the nearest bigger place etc. All these things help. If you're continuing DXing you'll eventually get a v/l from that station and maybe the various radio clubs personnel could prepare new radio stations for "coming events"? If you go PP/c, don't bring any to the 1962 Hamilton Convention as Canada verifies 100%. Heard 10/31- WCKY-1530, after some on/off testing at s/on 4:53 a.m. EST saying "We've been off the air since 1 a.m. This is our Monday procedure and are 24 hours the rest of the week." 11/2- WKIN-1320 RS 4 a.m. That made me think of Dick Cooper in Kittanning, Pa., the old WKIN-1600. 11/3- Heard WIVI-970 RS s/on at 4:25 a.m. EST. No time for more notes as I've got to get this in the one (only) Sunday mail pickup. 73.

Ted Moran - 101 College Heights - Waynesburg, Pennsylvania

Greetings to all you NRCers. This happens to be my first report to DX NEWS since I took over good ol' Fred Schroyer's subscription. I thought maybe I'd let you fellows know I'm still alive. Well, since October of '59 to March of '60 I logged 213 stations and received 63 veries. I haven't started DXing this year yet though I did log WBBO on 10/27/60 by accident. School doesn't offer much leisure time these days. I have sent for a Hallicrafters S-108 and have put off DX until it arrives. I have a 250' long wire for an antenna running N.S but the old set I have now can't handle all the signal it provides. By the way, would somebody tell me the name of a good long I can buy? White's Radio Log seems to get out of date every now and then, hi. Well so long for now. Will report as often as possible. Best DX to all. (Welcome to the NRC, Ted, and we hope those reports will be frequent! -Ed.)

Dan Gebhart - 634 Corona Drive - Kettering 19, Ohio

Veries in from WOAI WLDS WRVA WJR WIBC WZIP WIMA WEZL WAKR WCND and WFBM. Verie from WZIP was signed by Thomas R. Haskett, ACE and former member of the NRC. Said he will sign and return all veries as soon as possible. Mine was back in a week. Reports out to CKLW WCHO WRCV WHAS WLAC and WNOE. WKYF heard on 10/31 between 11:26-11:31 p.m., KYOK on 11/2 at 8:39 and WHLO on 11/3 at 4:28-4:51 p.m. CX not so good at night but excellent during sunset skip hours. Looking forward to Thanksgiving holidays. Hope CX are fine and dandy during the holidays. 73.

WHAT'LL IT BE BOYS - MORE REPORTS OR LESS DX NEWSES? LET'S HEAR IT!

## "X DOWN THE DIAL"

Send All Domestic "TIPS" to Ev. Johnson- 504-16th St Mendota, Ill-(EST)

FREQ. CALL. "REMARKS"

730 CKDM Dauphin Pa. Now A.N. (F.Wheeler-Pa.)  
 810 WKBC N. Wilkesboro N.C S/on 06:00 Wk Dys.-(Ev)  
 860 WOWW Naugatuck Conn. Watch For ET'S Soon- (Hal Williams-Conn)  
 920 WBBB Burlington N.C S/on 05:30-(Ev)  
 930 WBEN Buffalo N.Y. S/on 04:00- S/off 00:00-(Wheeler-Pa.)  
 940 WGRP Lansdale Pa. I mean- Greenville Pa. S/on 6:30-(B.Stone)  
 940 WMAZ Macon Ga. S/on 6:30- (Bill Stone-Ont)  
 950 WERL Eagle River Wisc. not to begin Construction till Mar.  
 So Says Co-Owner. Ken Gorden- (L.Kruse-Ia.)  
 1150 KSEN Shelby Mont Hrd on F/C TT 1st MON 3:15- 3:30- (Ev)  
 1220 WGAR Cleveland O. S/on 05:00- S/off 00:03-F Wheeler-Pa.)  
 1250 WNTT Tazewell Tenn. Check 1st SAT 4-4:15- (D.Phillips-Tenn)  
 1260 WNOO Chattanooga Tenn. S/on 4:59-(B.Stone)  
 WFBM Indianapolis Ind. S/on 05:30 (B.Stone)  
 1270 KDTH Dubuque Ia. New F/C Time 2nd WED. 1:25-1:40- So says C.E.  
 Don Abitz- (L.Kruse-Ia)  
 1300 WHIN Morristown Tenn. S/on Wk Dys. 05:30- (Ev)  
 WWCH Clarion Pa. C.E. W.R. Drummond States many early reports  
 discarded by mistake Please send another- ( Hank Tyndall-Vt)  
 1330 WCRB Waltham Mass. Reg Sched. MON thru SAT. 6-1 A.M. SUN. 7:55-  
 till 1 A.M.-- (Mike McDonald-Mass. More on this later-  
 WEBY Milton Fla. S/on Wk Dys. 05:00- Ev)  
 WICU Erie Pa. S/off 00:04- (F.Wheeler- Pa.)  
 1340 KSKI Sun Valley Ida. to begin R/S Soon. Watch for ET's So says  
 Gen. Mgr. Bert Godfrey-(L/Kruse-Ia.)  
 1350 CJLM Joliette Que. S/off Midnight after Oct 16-(H.Tyndall-Vt)  
 1370 WCOA Pensacola Fla. S/on 06:05- Wk Dys.(Ev)  
 WOTR Corry Pa. S/on 05:00- S/off 00:00-(F.Wheeler-Pa.)  
 1380 CKPC Brantford Ont. S/off 00:08- (F.Wheeler-Pa.) H.Tyndall)  
 1400 KKIV Phoenix Ariz. announces as KAY-Fourteen(Roman Numerals)  
 1410 KERN Bakersfield Cal. S/off 03:07- Ev)  
 1460 KIMA Yakima Wash. Hrd S/off in clear Mon. at 03:00-(Ev)  
 KENO Reno Nev. also S/off 03:00 MON.(Ev)  
 1480 WRDW Augusta Ga. S/on Wk Dys. 04:00- (Ev)  
 1510 WHIX Boston Mass. S/on 5:15- (Wheeler- Pa.)  
 1520 WKBW Buffalo N.Y S/on 05:02-(F.Wheeler-Pa.) ( Kruse)  
 WSVL Shelbyville Ind. 250-U- about ready to test Benny Colyer.C.  
 1550 WBSN N.Augusta. S.C. S/on Wk Dys. 06:00- (Ev)  
 1590 WELE S. Daytona Fla. Next F/C 11/17- 3:30- ~~3:45~~ TT- Says  
 C.E. G.S. Nelson- V/S- (Bill Stone)  
 WEZL Richmond Va. S/on Wk Dys. 05:00- (Ev)  
 1600 WIDU Fayetteville N.C. S/on Wk Dys. 05:00-(Ev)  
 WCGO Chicago Hgts. Ill. S/on 05:00- (Ev)

## ( F/Cs Per List.

1st MON. WQIC-1390- KMIN-980-KCTX-1510-1st SAT. WFMR-1570-

2nd Tues. WIRJ- 730- Music-

960 WLDM Coal Valley Ill.(RR 1) S.M. Deam Sippel- states many reports  
 do not reach them becaus wrong log listing as E.Molineh H.Tyndall)  
 YNDS 775 Kc/s Managua, Nicaragua. All Spanish easy to log.best  
 Mon. 3:15- 04:00- (Hal Williams- Conn).

I have some material from Glen Kippel but not much space. Will  
 Send it as Space allows. Tnx. and Keep them coming. Ev)

1240 WATN Watertown N.Y FCC authroity to remain SILENT to 12/15/60  
 1220 WKBX Kissimmee, Fla Auth by FCC to remail SILENT to 1/31/61  
 1450 WVLD Valdosta, Ga FCC auth to go ULTD from SH (All 3 fm Brdg)

Please remember when sending in a change of address to include either  
 5 - 3¢ stamps or 15¢ in coin to off set cost of new addressograph plate.

## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

This is being done on Election Night while returns are coming in, so if an error or so crops up, please forgive me. Here is the DX information which is more to your interest.

## NORTH AMERICA

HAITI-\*-"La Voix Evangelique" (1036) 4VEC, heard here again at 2135 on 10/28 and at 0520 on 10/31. (HJW) Clear ID at 2235 10/23 after religious program. (RHM)

EL SALVADOR-\*--YSG (1130) San Miguel, signer J. Aparicio D., signed an Int. Reply card after other efforts failed. (HT) YSC (1015) s/on at 0600 10/21, after recording of farm sounds. (RHM)

GUATEMALA-\*--TGUX "Radio Panamericana" (1020) was S-7 to 8, at 2125 on 10/27. (HJW) TGXA (1040) S-8 at 2125 on 10/28, Also S-8 at 2330 on 10/24. (HJW)

HONDURAS-\*--HRTL (980) and HRZN (890) Tegucigalpa, both stations are under same management. Fine letters in English by Luis Carlos Gomez P., Sub-Gerente. (HT) HRUC (865) taped at 2306 and 2326 on 10/22 for report. (RHM) This using slogan of "Radio Centro" heard many times better than "Radio Finares". (HJW)

NICARAGUA-\*--YNOL (825) becoming a regular for the week of 10/24. Best between 2100 and 2200. (HJW)

MEXICO-\*--XEFU (630) Apt. 18, Cosamaloapan, Veracruz. INT Reply Card signed by Annulfo Aguirre S. He understands English. (HT) XEVX (570) Ave. Morelos, Comalcalco, Tab., INT Reply Card signed by Federico J. Lozano R. (HT)

ALASKA-\*--Verie in via air mail from KICY (850) Nome, on a report of 10/17/60. Mr. Ralph V. Fondell is Chief Engineer and WS. "The Voice of the Arctic". This station has a fine letterhead. Owned and operated by the Evangelical Covenant Church. (HJW)

VIRGIN ISLANDS-\*--WIVI (970) s/on 0420 on 10/31, very weak, then at 0425 gone entirely. (RHM)

CUBA-\*--Station heard with American show tunes 0400-0430 on 10/31, seems to have been CMCG (1550) "Radio Codazos". Does this check with any other reports? (BD)(None here-FV)

## SOUTH AMERICA

ECUADOR-\*--HCJB (700) Quito, fair to good 11/4 between 1930 and 1945, and atop frequency for a few minutes; still could be picked up until 2020, but well buried in QRM. Program in Spanish. (BD)

COLOMBIA-\*--HJAT (1080) "Radio Reloj", Barranquilla, was DB 30 over S-9 at their ID at 0502 on 10/31. This station verifies too. Here is an easy station to verify for those who like foreign DX. (HJW) HJAI (1010) "Radio Kalamary", Barranquilla, signer Jose Sanchez C. He signed INT REPLY CARD after over a year. (HT) HJEC (840) real strong till s/off at 0030 on 10/29, no QRM. (RHM)

PERU-\*--OAX4A (854) Lima, logged with rather weak signals from 2315 to 2400 s/off on 10/28. Sent another report, as no luck last season. (BD)

ARGENTINA-\*--LR9 (1190) "Radio Antartida", Buenos Aires. Signed by Roberto H. Garmendia, Dir. Gen., this a INT REPLY CARD after many months of other methods failed. (HT)

VENEZUELA-\*--On 11/1, from 2045 to 2100, a station on 1080 Kcs. had same program as YVLL "Radio Rumbos" (1020). Both signals good and wondering if this was YVQJ on 1020. (BD) (YVQJ is listed by FBIS on 1080 Kcs. now, Ben-FV) YVLT (830) Las Teques, signed INT REPLY CARD by Carlos Quentana R. (18 months after reception)(HT)

BRAZIL-\*--Tentative report by tape to "Radio El Dorado" (700) Sao Paulo, 0355-0400 10/29. Sounded like a sign-on, mentioned "telephonica", no call noted. Anyone know call or if anyone on AN here? (RHM) (FBIS has nothing to offer on call letters or any other station, so can't help on this one.-FV)

FRANCE-\*--Lille (1376) good at 0045 on 10/28. Nice (1554) heard briefly on 10/29 at 1650, freakish. (BD)

ANDORRA-\*--ANDORRRADIO (818) Andorra La Vielle. Verie signed by Claude Delepine, this an INT REPLY CARD for reception of year ago. (HT)

## ASIA (FAR)

NORTH KOREA-\*--"Radio Pyongyang" (785) coming in strong almost every morning such as several years ago. (HJW)

CHINA-\*--Station on 940 carrying "Radio Peking" programming from 0542 to 0603 on 10/29. Station on 840 also carrying "Radio Peking" from 0606 to 0700 on 10/29. These loud Chinese stations use four (4) fast sharp tones and one (1) quick sounding gong or chime for their interval signal on the hour. (HJW)

JAPAN-\*--JOLB (870) Fukuoka, was best heard Asian on morning of 10/31. (HJW) JOQK (850) ID at 0500 10/23. NHK ID at 0530 on 800 Kc on 10/27. Anyone know station? Don't think JOTG on 700 Kc any longer. JBC and 2NR QRM make logging quite difficult. (RHM) (NZ reports that over 60 freq. changes have just come from Japan, but they were not listed in their latest bulletin. Will watch for them and try to get them listed when they arrive-FV)

## OCEANIA

AUSTRALIA-\*--2NR (700) quite strong at 0800 on 10/27. ID heard. (RHM)

HAWAII-\*--KHBC (970) s/off at 0415 on 10/31 at best level ever heard. (RHM)

NEW ZEALAND-\*--Verie by air-letter from LYC (880) Auckland, verie Number 10. (RHM)

## MYSTERY

RHM-\*--LA on 1040 Kcs. under KHVH at 0200 on 10/23. (RHM)

## NORTH AMERICA (ADDENDA)

COSTA RICA-\*--TIW (775) logged from 2121 to 2200 on 10/30. Had a rough time as KOB on 770 is like a local here, but good report is out. (HJW)

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## GENERAL

Well, from the reports which have come in so far this season, it definitely looks as if this is the best DX season we have experienced in many years. All trends have pointed toward an upturn in good DX, and our reports have definitely upheld this prediction. East coast listeners have already reported Europe this early along with many Latin American stations. West Coast listeners have reported Asiatic stations with excellent strength. All of you who have not been doing any foreign listening should definitely get into the act. If you have not sent your 25¢ in to Roger Anderson, please do so immediately. His address is 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia.

Please also bring your supremacy ratings up to date with Hank Wilkinson, whose address appears above. With the easy veries from "Radio Swan", most of you should have raised your total countries by at least one, so let's get them up to date.

To all overseas members, please remember to send your reports to this column at Lemoyne, and NOT to Lefty Cooper in Brooklyn. This is the spot where those interested in overseas DX will be looking first, and so this is the place where your reports should appear. Now, thanks to all of you for your excellent support so far, please keep the reports coming.