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"Enclosed is a four-dollar money order for my renewal in a really great radio club. This DX season I have logged 125 new stations. I owe much of this success to the NRC!"
-Stan Alexander - 207 North 10 Street - Atchison, Kansas

D X C A L E N D A R

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|--------------|------------|------|-------------------------|--------|-------------|------|
| Mon. Mar. 12 | K U J | 1420 | Walla Walla, Washington | 5,000 | 3:00 - ???? | NNRC |
| | 12 C F C W | 790 | Camrose, Alberta | 10,000 | 3:30 - 4:30 | NNRC |
| | 12 W J O Y | 1230 | Burlington, Vermont | 250 | 3:30 - 5:00 | NNRC |
| | 12 C K L B | 1350 | Oshawa, Ontario | 5,000 | 4:00 - 5:00 | NNRC |
| Mon. Mar. 19 | K O W B | 1290 | Laramie, Wyoming | 1,000 | 2:30 - 3:00 | NNRC |
| | 19 C J K L | 560 | Kirkland Lake, Ontario | 5,000 | 3:30 - 4:30 | NNRC |

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

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NEW STATIONS

| | | | | | |
|-----|---------------------------|-----------|------|-----------------------|---------------|
| 610 | Thompson, Manitoba | 1,000 U-1 | 940 | S elbyville, Kentucky | 250 D-1 |
| 590 | Lake Tahoe, California | 1,000 D-3 | | Lima, Ohio | 250 D-3 |
| 930 | Centerville, Indiana | 500 D-3 | 1490 | Wilmot Station, Sask. | 1,000/250 U-1 |
| 970 | Frederickton, New Brunswk | 1,000 U-3 | 1550 | Comanche, Texas | 250 D-1 |

NEW CALLS

| | | | | | |
|------|---------|------------------------|------|---------|----------------------------|
| 1280 | C J S L | Estevan, Saskatchewan | 1500 | W T H N | Thomaston, Georgia |
| | W K D E | Alta Vista, Virginia | 1530 | K J B S | Pine Bluff, Arkansas |
| 1310 | K A N R | Scott City, Kansas | 1560 | W S D C | Mocksville, North Carolina |
| 1400 | W B R L | Berlin, New Hampshire | | W G L D | Chardon, Ohio |
| 1430 | W T T T | Amherst, Massachusetts | 1600 | K W H L | Santa Maria, California |

DELETED

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|-----|-----------------------------|---------------------------|------|---------|-----------------------|
| 600 | C - - - | Grand Falls, Newfoundland | 1280 | C - - - | Melfort, Saskatchewan |
| 900 | Frederickton, New Brunswick | C - - - | 1330 | C - - - | Tisdale, Saskatchewan |
| | | | 1410 | C - - - | Goderich, Ontario |

FACILITIES

| | | |
|------|---------|---|
| 610 | C K Y L | Peace River, Alberta, 1,000 U-2, from 630 kc/s., 1,000 U-2. |
| 800 | C J L X | Fort William, Ontario, to 10,000/5,000 U-3, from 5,000 U-3, same chanl. |
| 920 | C K C Y | Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, 10,000/5,000 U-4. Changes in daytime patter: |
| 940 | W N R G | Grundy, Virginia, to 5,000 D-1, from 1250 kc/s., 1,000 D-1. |
| 970 | K V E G | Las Vegas, Nevada, 500 D-1. Move transmitter and antenna site. |
| 1140 | C B I | Sydney, Nova Scotia, to 10,000 U-2, from 5,000 U-3, same channel. |
| 1230 | W Q D Y | Calais, Maine, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same channel. |
| 1240 | W R T A | Altoona, Pennsylvania, ditto. |
| | K O D Y | North Platte, Nebraska, ditto. Also, move transmitter location. |
| | C J C S | Stratford, Ontario, correction by FCC to 500/250 U-1, not 1,000/250 U-5 |
| 1270 | W N O G | Naples, Florida, to 500 U-2, from 500 D-1, same channel. |
| | C J C B | Sydney, Nova Scotia, to 10,000 U-2, from 5,000/1,000 U-1, same channel. |
| 1300 | K W K W | Pesadena, California, to 5,000/1,000 U-4, from 1,000 U-2, no chg. night |
| 1390 | W P L M | Plymouth, Massachusetts, 5,000 U-4. Changes in nighttime pattern. |
| 1460 | W B U C | Buckhamon, West Virginia, to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel. |

D X NEWS
V E R I E S I G N E R S

C R E D I T S

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|------------------|---------------------------------|------|---------|--------------------------|-------------------------|
| A - A. Bjork | | 1240 | W J T N | H. F. Niklaus, CE | D |
| B - F. Nittler | J- R. Kwiatkowski * | 1250 | W M T R | George S. Croy | O |
| C - L. Kruse * | K- G. Hyycke | 1260 | W B N R | Robert C. Gessner, SM | O |
| D - N. Pillsbury | L- R. Karchevski | | W W Y N | J. B. Heidecker, CE | P |
| E - D. Murray | M- P. Barton | | W G V M | J. Tugwell, CE | P |
| F - J. Callaman | N -R. Sperry | 1270 | W M C H | Dallas Broome, DJ | M |
| G - J. Reilley * | O - A. Rugg | 1280 | W K Y R | W. G. Thompson, CE | E |
| H - M. Nittler | P - E. Johnson | 1290 | W F Y C | Richard Crowley, PD | G |
| I - L. Schwartz | Q - E. Cooper | | K U O A | Cecil E. Smith, M | M |
| | | | K D M S | Robert Russell | N |
| 540 | K W M T R. Hake, CE | | W E E L | Robert Jansdien | O |
| | W Y N N Barbara W. Hill, Trf M | | C K G M | Brian Sawyer, E | M |
| 570 | C J E M Georges A. Lebel, M | | K E L O | Lester C. Fiske, CE | B |
| 630 | K X O K C. L. Thomas | | K E N T | William P. Ledbetter, GM | O |
| 640 | K F I H. M. McDonald, OpSu | | W D E A | Frank Chalmers Jr. CE | F |
| 650 | K O R L Hal Davis, GM, VP | | W D O B | William Harris, E | C |
| 690 | C BqU C. M. Wilson | | W D X E | Phil Kemper, CE | D |
| 710 | W G B S E. C. Lockwood, CE | 1380 | W Q X Q | Lee Menard, CE | F |
| 740 | K Rff G Rae Jones, CE | | W L C Y | Robert Carr, CE | M |
| 790 | W E A N H. William Koster, CE | | W G U S | Randall Meers, CE | D |
| 830 | W N Y C John De Prosop, ExecD | | K P O I | E. Lindemann, CE | M |
| 860 | W O A Y Thomas Phillips, CE | 1390 | W F M J | Frank A. Dieringer, CE | P |
| 870 | W K A R John T. Blakeslee, CE | | W H P B | Matt Phillips | I |
| 900 | C KqT S Gordon H. Beesworth, SM | | K U K I | John Franklin, M | K |
| | W A F C Charles J. Kerr, CE | | 1410 | C F U N | Stan Davis, CE |
| 910 | W Hry E N. G. Holiday, S, Treas | | 1420 | WfK PmR | Jack A. Severson, l-clE |
| | W R N L J. M. Profitt Jr., ACE | | 1440 | W A B R | Ted Vanni, CE |
| | W F D F G. C. Wolpert, CE | | | W E Z J | Leon Buck, P |
| | W PqE B C. K. Williams Jr., CE | | | W J A B | Robert L. Caron, CE |
| 920 | C J C J R. J. Morrison, M | | | W J J L | Gustav T. Czaplak, CE |
| | W K R T Bruce L. Mackey, CE | 1450 | W FcI X | John Garrisoj, CE | |
| 930 | K D E T Hack Bell, M | | W RhK D | E. H. Hammond, CE | |
| 960 | W Jra Z William J. Hill, CE | | W FqP G | Albert F. Roche, CE | |
| | K MqA Don E. Burrichter | | W S N O | Allan Ray Machell, CE | |
| 970 | W FqL A J. H. Mitchell, CE | | K P I G | Wane C. Cornils, CE | |
| | K S Y L Leonard J. Dupree, CE | | W McF J | Jack Siegel, | |
| | W N T A Sid Sirulnick, PD | 1460 | W O K O | Charles Heisler, CE | |
| | W E R H Edgar Clayton | 1470 | W T K O | Gerald F. Cushing | |
| 980 | C K G M Miss Lorie Dempsey, OM | | C HnO W | Douglas Manning, LD | |
| | W Tcr Y Frank S. Belaska, CE | 1480 | W B T S | Roy C. McCloud, O | |
| 990 | W IqB G John Henniger, CE | 1520 | K OqM A | Charles Holliday | |
| 1000 | C KfB W Douglas B. Hirtle, CE | | W FhY I | Clarence H. Lydamore, CE | |
| 1050 | C K S B K. Grodeur, CE | 1530 | K FqB K | Frank Devaney, M | |
| 1060 | C FqC N R. Lamb, CE | 1560 | K P M C | L. P. Jarvis, CE | |
| | CeJ Lnr Jean Brousseau, ProdM | | K W C O | Ben DeKinder, CE | |
| 1070 | K I R L Betsy Kelly, PubServD | | W DqX R | G. T. Bailey | |
| | W FqL I Edwin G. Aslinger, CE | 1570 | K G U L | H. T. Davidson Jr. CE | |
| 1080 | C H E D A. C. Nichol, CE | | W O K Z | Nicholas Bono, CE | |
| 1120 | K MqO X Larry Burrows, CE | | W C L W | William G. Ball, CE | |
| 1150 | W G H M Francis B. Jacob, CE | | K J F J | Aldis Hendrickson, CE | |
| | W Thy C E. L. Burwell, GM | | C H U B | E. Ross MacIntyre, CE | |
| 1230 | W J B C Timothy R. Ives, SM | 1580 | C BqJ | J. E. Ratork | |
| | W N U Z G. E. Rogers Sr., CE | 1590 | W R G M | Ken Shelton, CE | |
| | | 1600 | W E U P | Viola Garrett, PD | |
| | | | W S T L | Charles L. Troutman, GM | |

PLEASE SEND THEM IN ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER!
ALSO, PLEASE BE SURE TO CHECK BACK SEVERAL ISSUES AND AVOID LOSING V/S FOR REPETITION!

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"AN" SITUATION

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|------|---------|---------------------|------|---------|--------------------------|
| 1320 | W Z O K | NOT silent Mondays. | 610 | K F R C | S/off 5 AM daily; 3 Mon. |
| 1400 | W R I G | | 1360 | K G B | Now s/off 3:05 a.m. |
| 1460 | K D O N | including Mondays. | 1400 | K X I V | |

February 17, 1962

D X N E W S

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Mauric W. Nittler - 1755 South Vallejo Street - Denver 3, Colorado

At this writing, I hope the Denver DX League has a new member in the CE of KDAB, John Tucker. Welcome to the NRC, John! Am looking forward to another gathering of the Colorado Clan at Hal Wagner's this month. Will get to meet George DeGrazio there, I hope. What happened to Southern Colorado's group of two DXers? Incidentally, Mr. Tucker says they have received 84 reports from NRC members to date. Now to DXing. 1/18- Caught KAUS-1480 on an ET. 1/20 logged bits of the HCJB DX through all-powerful WIW for a new country. 1/23- WSTL-1600 s/on 5:00 with vocal mx of the Pledge to the Flag. 1/28, took my third log on XETRA-690 and sent another report out. I have counted at least 30 DXers who have received veries from them but for some reason they ignored my previous two reports. 2/29- WCNU-920 s/on 5:00 with what I believe was HJCS-921 QRM. Also caught KJEM-800 on ET at 2:20. Veries in are KKHI-1550 (mimeo card) WNGA-1600-dx WSIZ-1380-dx TGJ-880 KDAB-1550 KIKK-650 and HJCC-1010, the last with slogan "Emisora 1020" on letterhead. Convention plans for Denver in '63 now shaping up with guest speaker to be, Mr. Newton Minow of Washington D.C. who will speak to us on "How to arrange DX programs from daytime stations." To Daniel Miller and some of our other newer DXers: Be patient with stations who have DXed for us. They receive many many reports and it takes a long time to get them answered. Jeff Stewart: Your 950 station s/on at 5:15 must be WKAZ as I heard them at that time s/on the past week. Also heard CKEW-1000 s/on RS at 5:00 on 1/29 for real surprise as I couldn't hear either DX show. Verifiee them a few years back, though. 73.

David Burns - Box 57 - North Eastham, Massachusetts

DX still not up to par but still get something worth listening to once in a while. First off, concerning my last report, only KELI was heard on 1/7. All the others on 1/8. Also on 1/7 heard KGFL-1430 r/c 2:15-2:25 for first N.M. Now to start where I left-off. 1/15- Mike over again, quite successful morn. WMYR-1410 12:01-12:05 s/off. KMAC 630 12:06-12:16, KFJZ-1270 12:47-12:57, KELP-920 1:10-1:12 (Heard them last April but no verie), KQEO-920 under KELP 1:13-1:22. WKPR-1420 f/c 1:30-1:35. KPEL-1420 1:45-1:52 s/off. Last of all KVI-570 3:57-4:04. 1/22- Dead tired so logged only KRKO-1380 at 2:18-2:30 with WBNX off. Oh yeah, also KTFI-170 beautiful from 1:30-2 for 48th state. 1/27- KNDY-1570 r/c 1-1:05. Verie November report so unn. WLIJ-1580 r/c 1:00-1:16 also unn. Oops, forgot WILA-1570 12:30-12:33 on test. 1/29, nothing great. First went to 870 to try for KAIM at 1:15. I almost flipped when I heard American mx and English announcer, but alas, it wasn't KAIM; not even a U.S. station. AFN-Frankfurt-871 was it, so didn't get too mad over missing KAIM. KADY-1460 way over KENO at 2:18-2:21 with test. Over to 1390, KCBC 2:53-3:01. Who s/off 1390 at 2:59? Twas a K and announced as 500w. nighttime. Doubt if 'twas KLGK, probably KLOQ, hi. Veries moving in much better now: WJWL (asked how to make a QSL) WQXQ KFBB (said that was they on f/c 1/8) KNDY, but since November, KGFL, big big surprise in XERF in Spanish, KBRK, WADA-dx WEMJ-dx WLES-dx WKOR KMAC WMYR KELP KNEB (Best Neb.) v/ls, and KQEO WRSC-dx KKHI WROK and WNOE v/cs. Forgot 2/1. KELO-1320 12:37-12:50 and KMGW-730 2:13-2:26. Has anybody ever gotten a verie via phone? Tonight 2/1 got a c ll from Mrs. John Moore in Medford. Her son is a DJ at KMAC-630 and she said her son (Johnny Jr.) told her to tell me my report is hereby verified. (1/30 got v/l from them). Poor Mike also heard them but they haven't veried. Better make the scene, 73s, especially to everybody on the East Coast trying for KIKI KTOH and KAIM.

Alex Bowab - Box 539 - Atmore, Alabama

1/28- WMLT-1330 s/off 5:45 pm. 2/3- WTRR-1400 ended f/c-TT at 5 saying it was a r/c. WMJU-1260 RS 4:10 am., just after s/on. 2/4- WPRS-1440 r/c-TT 1:45-2:10 amid heavy QRM from KEYS until 2, and then XELZ/KMLB who was on until at least 2:30 with some kind of special program, possibly a telethon. WTCN-180 s/off 2. By the way does anyone have any idea as to the source of a hetrodune which has been noted on 1280 recently? KFIF-1550 logged on ET/M way over KKJO 2:1-3:35 and later, with only three IDs during that time. Veries: WCUM-1230 said testing 1kw. XR when I heard them, and they are on until 2:30 am. Saturday and Sunday AMs with teenage DJ shows for anyone who wants to try for them. KTLN-1280 (FHN's favorite station) said when I logged them they were using about 2,000w. Instead of regular 5,000 due to equipment trouble. Others were WBIR-1240 WJOT-1260 WFIX-1450. Park and I had the pleasure of an enjoyable visit from NRCer Tom Arko last week, as Tom stopped over in Atmore for a day on a trip around the country he was making with a friend of his who is also interested in DXing. Lastly, does anyone know the present whereabouts of ex-member Donald Ruland, formerly of Holly Hill, Florida?

Fran Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado

DX very good this week so will get right into it. Saturday PM 2/3 was flabbergasted to hear CBA-1070 Sackville on RS 9:13-10:10 pm. about even with KNX at times with hockey game and CBC NX at 9:30 between periods of the game. One of my most wanted stations but didn't dream I would ever hear it will all US stations on the frequency. 2/4, added KELI-1430 finally copied on AN show at 5:05 alternating with WIL and KARM. Also, WRSJ-1560 Bayamon s/on at 6:00 in English and then into Spanish and in evening added HJOL-1533 Bogota RS 9:43-9:48 pm. with good signal. 2/5- CX not too good with HNL but managed to add a couple of new ones in KENT-340 Prescott Ariz. f/c-TT 2:15-2:30. KHAI-1090 Honolulu RS 4:43-5:01 s/off with S-5 signal with frequent IDs as "Radio in Focus, KHAI Honolulu." Also LR3-950 Buenos Aires with S-6 signal around 4:15 so sent report as didn't verify for me two seasons back. Tried for CHAK-dx on 860 but instead found XENL Monterrey AN with S-9 signal so no go. Did take a log on needed WOR-710 in over WHB/KMPC at times so AM wasn't lost. 2/7 turned on set when I got up to go to work and added WOWI-1570 New Albany, Ind. s/on 7:32. Next AM 2/8 did the same and added WGHC-1570 Clayton Ga. s/on 7:15 with unn WJOE s/on 7:17 and unn KMAR s/on at 7:45 for those who need these stations. Someone on 1570 with OC here every AM with S-7 signal most of the time and believe it is unn KWAY. 2/10 too tired to listen long but noted KOMA off for first time since they went AN and heard much-sought KACY-1520 Port Huememe Cal. RS 2:58 s/off at 3 but too much KGON so no report. Hope KOMA has quit ANing which would be a big help but doubt it. KFAB-1110 also off AN show this AM. Received nine veries this week including seven in last two days to make my total exactly 2,100. Latest veries are v/1: Radio Trinidad-730 WEZJ-1440 WSTL-800 WJLL-1440 WJMX-970 WJBC-1230 KENT-1340, v/q from WIBG and nice letter from WJAB-1440 for second Main verie and for 10/22 report with no f/up so a surprise. Enjoyed nice get-together Thursday night in Longmont with Hal Wagner, Larry Godwin, Marv Robbins and George deGrazio. A real pleasure to meet George for the first time. Dave Smeedge of Indianapolis is going to attend the big 1963 NRC Convention. Will you be in Denver then? 73s.

Mike King - North Eastham, Massachusetts

Well, it's 2/4 and finally some nice DX. I hope DX will be that way tonight. New loggings are: 1/27- WLIJ-1580 at 1:19 am. 1/18- KSO-1460 at 12:55 am., WROK-1440 at 1:50, WJPG-1440 at 12:52, KWK-1380 at 2 am. 1/29- Good results for only a short DX period: WISM-1480 at 1:50 am, KIMA-1460 2, KSTP-1500 2:08, KBIM-910 Roswell N.M. with a test at 2:34. CKY-580 at 2:44, WMAD testing at 2:50 - anybody know where it is? 1/31- WADC-1350 at 1 am, WBOF-1550 at 3:15 pm. 2/4, turned radio on for a minute and heard CBK-540 at 12:43 am. Veries? Haven't seen one for a week. Some in before were WTAC CFRB WJET WIVI. Well, that's all for now. Hope to have some surveys by next time

Park Barton - Box 603 - Atmore, Alabama

Not too much new DX to report because of poor CX around here last couple of days and also because I closed a car door on one of my fingers and was really in pain for a while. Here is what DX I have done. 2/3- KDQN-1390 ET/OC 1210, WSHN-1550 f/c-TT 1:28, WDOW-1440 r/c-TT 1:47, WTCN-1280 s/off 2:00, KFJM-370 f/c-TT 2:05, WBRN-1460 XR test, TT 2:20. 2/5- WKAM-1460 ET/M asking for reports from NRC members and others 1:55, KSML-1250 f/c-TT, KCPX-1320 s/off 3:30, also heard was Conelrad test from Phoenix, Ariz. and Sacramento, Cal. 2/7- KWBY-1440 f/c-M. Veries in from CJIB-940 KIQS-1560 CBW-990 KCBS-740 WILA-1580 KEBX-610 (in Spanish) KITE-930 4VE-1035 KFDW-560 WDOW-1440 KWYK 960 and CBL-740. Received my f/c list Monday, and it looks like it is really a good thing. I can understand why it took so long to compile. Better blast off for this

Ralph B. Sperry - 320 Warner Hill Road - Southport, Connecticut

I notice I have not reported since March but have not been very active. Total veries received in 1961 was 33, and seven more have come in since 1/1. Two new countries, Nicaragua and Ecuador were added, bringing the total to 24. I also am interested in what happened to the Antigua reports. During the fall I added easy WLKW-990 and WRYT-1250 and WNIA-230 sneaked through one night, as did CHOW-1470. Canadians have been strong evenings and have precluded daytime s/off's from the South. Also picked up within the last month CHR8-1090 CJFX-580 CFQM-1310 and CJLR-1060. Other recent catches were WGHM-1150 (1/15, evening) WXTR-550 (call change); WLFH-1230 1/22 1:00 s/off; WTHB-1550 (1/22 AN); WSOR-1480 and WHWB-1000 (1/31 at 7:30 am.) I would like to get up to Sam Parto's as invited and enjoy his fabulous success but can't seem to find time. I hope to try for DX the next two Mondays.

DON'T FORGET THAT BIG WEEKEND, SEPTEMBER 1-2-3 - NRC'S ANNUAL CONVENTION, INDIANAPOLIS.

February 17, 1962

D X N E W S

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Larry Godwin - 1506 Broadway - Boulder, Colorado

Just got back to college from a visit to Amarillo between terms. Monday 1/29 3:00, I heard very unique signal on 665 plus a weak ID. Glen Kippel says he is positive it's Lisboa-I so off went a taped tentative! Heard CKOY-1310 Ottawa AN with someone behind it. A real surprise was CBA-1070 Sackville N.B. s/on 6:00 am., just a few seconds before WKOW. On 1/28 heard WINX-1600 Rockville Md. AN with 500w. behind WKWF for a welcome one. Back to 1/29- Heard CMCA-730 Havana s/on and broadcast in English at 6:00. I have been very surprised to hear Boulder's own KBOL-1490 on RS atop this crowded channel two mornings around 1:00 s/off. 850 kc/s. is still CKVL with no KICY, alas. I sqw Jeff Stewart's "verie" from BBC-1214. It's the closest thing to a verie the BBC has ever sent. I'll bet! I ordered some more pictures of Paul Kallinger, so if you want one, just drop me a line. Don't forget to keep the 1963 f/c list in mind - let's have the most accurate one in NRC history next year! See you in Indianapolis, Park Barton! 73s and best of DX.

Stan Morss - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

2/2- Copied German on 728 from 1:37-2:15, but couldn't ID as Austria or Germany - programming similar to Austrians, though. WBEN-930 OC and announcement 2:34. SS under CHML, TICS again, maybe. Military band mx, bagpipes, etc. 3:10-3:25 s/off, no ID. An odd-sounding bird call earlier at 3. 2/3- WSHN-1550 Fremont Mich. 1:07 am. ET/M, then f/c till 1:30. KGUL-1560 Port Lavaca Tex. cw mx at 1:58, almost passed 'em by thinking it was KPMC. 2/4- WHOK-1320 Lancaster O. RS already 4:05 am. Religious speakers. WSI off and Costa Rican, WIRA on with AN voters' show for Dr. Rafael Calderon Guardia. WSB with TT occasionally after 4:30. Hindu on 820, Radio Apintie? Good signal, but tough copying 4:45 am.- 5:15 fade out. Sat on 1210 1:45-2:30 and copied what turned out to be HJEL "Emisora R.C.O." which evidently stands for Radiodifusora Cadena Occidente. Costa Ricans with ER on 650 1505 1000 725 1375 1200 975 and 750. Copied 1505, Radio Union sddgan given, also "Radio Columbia" - TIRU evidently in network with TILX, copied 2:40-3:15 am., Liberia, C.R. SS on 1520 with US LPs. ID'd at half-hour, but KOMA surges at 3:30 and 4:30 made it sound like Radio Rebelde or similar. WDVA-1250 Danville, Va. on RS already at 4:35. WBAR s/on 5. 2/6- KVSH-940 Valentine Neb. f/c per new f/c list 1:15 about equal to WINZ. KIA also noted. Radio Riquerdos-860 covering the frequency for CHAK. WYTI Rocky Mount Va. OC/TT/Mx to 3:13 am. Veries, WARO CFY. 2/7- Venezuelan on 940 till 1:18 s/off - YVQT? TT/mx 2 am. under WSB but WSB too much to get an ID. Only wish my ears were half as good as advertised - as I remember Carroll Seth's Musings he also made mention of another part of the anatomy in addition to the ears - and promised a poem - where's that poem? Or has the NRC Poet Laureate gone into seclusion in preparation for Indianapolis?

James A. Lee - 2217 N Street - Omaha 7, Nebraska

Greetings from the City of the most DXers. Any challenges? DX since 1/13 goes like this: 1/13- RS WCVP-600 Murphy N.C. 5:17 am., WINX-1600 Rockville, Md. 4:32 am, s/on WSTL-1600 Eminence, Ky. 5 am. 1/14- S/on WARU-1600 Peru, Ind. 6 am., RS WVLK-590 Lexington, Ky. 4:55 am. 1/15- RS KPEL-1420 Lafayette, La. 1:35 am. R/c WINI-1420 Murphysboro Ill. 1:30 am. 1/17- R/c WKBJ-1600 Milan, Tenn. 2:10 am., r/c KOLY-1300 Moberg S.D. 2:45. 1/19- RS KATI-1400 Casper, Wyo. 2 am., RS WKLO-1080 Louisville, Ky. 2:40 am. 1/20- DX, HCJB-700 Quito (little rough with WLW). 1/22- RS CKFH-1430 Toronto 3:55 am, RS WINN Louisville, Ky. 3:30. 1/23- S/off CBX-1010 Edmonton, Alta. 2:08 am, RS CKRM-980 Regina, Sask. 2:30 am, RS XEOY-1000 Radio Mil 1:15 am, s/on WTRU-1600 Muskegon, Mich. 5:32 am, s/on WHBT Harriman, Tenn. 1600 5:34 am, RS WLDS-1180 Jacksonville, Ill. 6:42 am, RS KCHI-1010 Chillicothe, Mo. 8:30 am. 1/25- RS KNIN-990 Wichita Falls Tex. 1:17 am, RS CHEC-1090 Lethbridge Alta. 2:10 am, RS WNVY-1230 Pensacola, Fla 2:37 am. 1/27- S/off KOB-770 Albuquerque 2:05 am, ET KUOM-770 Minneapolis 2:08 am, RS CKVL-850 Verdun Que. 2:19, RS KFSA-950 Ft. Smith, Ark. 7L15 pm. 1/28- S/off HJEL-840 Santa Marta, Colombia, 1:01 am. 2/1- F/c KIZZ-1150 El Paso 3:40 am. 2/3- logged CKBW KHAS KGEM for Specials. Veries are: KOMO KYSN WWVA KPMC WKBJ CHUB WCCN WVLK CKBW WINX WSTL WINI KCHI WIP WHBT WLDS WINN KVI WEUP KNIN. Verie total now 295. A little bit of info here before I close. Local K000-142 is thinking of trying for unlimited TX so sometime within the next two weeks I am going out with Don Denver, the CE, to check signal strength of stations on 1420 and adjacent channels. And after midnight we will check K000's signal. Also sometime next week, before 2/15 K000 will also have its Pop test and dedicated to the NRC. I don't know the exact date, but will try to rush it in as soon as I get the word. 73s. LET'S HAVE THOSE MUSINGS REPORTS! BE CONCISE!

Roy H. Millar - Box 778 - Bellevue, Washington

DXing along, here and there a goodie! 1/31- HLCA-970 Seoul, Korea 6:27-6:30 am, four-tone gong, weak, but only slight US QRM. 2/2- YVMH-700 Maracaibo, Venezuela with three pips, then pause followed by identical fourth pip at 5:30 am, can't see could be anyone else with this time signal on the half hour. WLW on top, but SS noted behind. JBC-700 Montego Bay, Jamaica, giving WLW a good fight at 6 am. with theme mx easily IDed. 2/3- Long logged but unverified WDAY-970 Fargo excellent at 6:58-7 am. for report. KGUL-1560 Port Lavaca, Tex. ID at 4:30 and 5:30 am. as testing. 2/6- Only weak LA (CMBL?) heard on 860 during CHAK's DX sked; however, some TT around 4:11 raises my curiosity; wonder if CHAK was on that late? WDMG-860 Douglas, Ga. weak 5:30 am. s/on to 5:40. 2/8- Hot time on 760. 1YA Auckland, N.Z. weak from 6-6:13 am, Radio Peking intermittent signal from 6-7:40, my first 760 TPs. 2/9- KWPR-1270 Claremore, Okla. ID as ET at 3:20 am. InID LA on 1270 at 4 am, YL announcer, good mx - who? Veries, oh so slow - only one since last report is from JORF-1480 Yokohama Japan. Ye old "Pro" Tyndall really rocked the 2/3 issue of DX NEWS with some bombs, didn't he? Hats off to the TOP man in this field; his patience and work on WIBS points the way to success in this hobby without question. Noting Alex Bowab's question re AN on 1060 with -100 temperature reading 1/21; surely CFCN Calgary Alta., Alex. 73.

Pete Taylor - 2340 Pacific Avenue - San Francisco 15, California

Thanks to Larry Godwin for his excellent f/c list; another example of the great spirit this Club has! Ernie, your "Radio Shack" is CHAK, 860, in Inuvik, NWT, and they didn't show here - just a KABL image and a Mexican. Bob Foxworth relates that after visiting Peppermint Lounge, he has been trying to verify TWIST, Charlotte, N.C. Hank Tyndall's foreign veries in the 2/3 issue speak rather well for his prowess. Nice catches, Hank, and yes, we West Coast DXers have enviously noted your Sarawak-730 verie. Meanwhile, back in the fog, there is hope. 1/28- New KPIR-1500 Eugene, Ore. ETing 5 am, chopping local KXRX, KPQ-560 AN-MD, KUMA-1290 AN-MD, and HJBI-840 9:30-10 pm. in and out of WHAS. Santa Marta is in northern Colombia near the shore, so I imagine their tower is out in the water, giving them great coverage for 10kw. It's the strongest LA here, too. 1/29- CJAD-800 3:53-4:02 AN, KJAY-1440 ETing 4:12-4:30, WRD-1420 4:30-4:35, WRBL-1420 5:12-5:27, KSEM-1 70 ETing 5:27-5:34, WTHB-1550 5:30-5:50, WHLO-740 6:31-6:43, WGAR-1220 7:29-7:40, KDAB-1550 7:59 s/on to 8:19, and KBVM-1380 8:50-9:02. 1/30- KDAL-610 3:15-3:45 with KFRC off AN. 2/5- CKLG-730 3:05-3:10; KQTE-1340 3:30-3:45 per list, KASY-1220 ET 4:37-4:46 under another non-IDing TTer; WPUP-1390 4:59 s/on to 5:10 and 5:28-5:31; WQOK-1440 5:15-5:26. 2/6, no CHAK but caught KLOU-1580 ETing 3:04-3:09 KJAY-1440 also ETing/M 4:07-4:30 (unn) and unn KLIX-1310 TTing 4:40. I would think anyone could get WTHB-1550 s/on 5:30, as was even louder here 2/5. Backtracking, on 2/5 r/cs per list from KGWW KDHI KWSO, and ETs from KVON-1440 3:35, KARI-550 3:50 (no sign of KAFY), KNBX-1050 5:10, KIXX-1400 TT 3:42 and KXL-750 OC 6:15. Veries, KKJO-pp KFXM-pp JOKP KXEL KRPL CHUB WHAM KABY KPIR WGAR WTIK WHLO KDAL CJAD.

James E. Critchett - 1504 Glenwood Drive - San Diego 1, California

Just a few lines to let the Club know that I am still DXing occasionally, with good reception mixed with the weak signals. Between 1/14 and 2/6 reports of reception were sent to 1550-KKHI which was assigned the call letters of KHWA before it went on the air as KSFO back in 1947; to 1400 KQMS and KCOW, to 1480 KSEE, to 1250 CKOM, to KPOE, heard on ET from 4:40-5:15 Monday 1/22 with KFAC off; to KFAC-1330 and 1250 IMSL for Conelrad Test on 1250 from 4-4:30, 2/5. Surprised they used 1250 kc/s. for drill. Verifications of reception have been received from 980 KEAP for 6/5/61 report; 1250 CKOM QSL, 1400 KCOW-dx 1400 KQMS (wants to put on a Special DX Program) 1410 KRWL, 1420 "BRD and 1600 WNGA-dx. Had a really enjoyable New Year's Eve, listening across the country, to WBZ for EST, WBBM and KTRH for CST, 1160 KSL for MST and KCBS for PST. with others thrown in for good measure and entertainment. Overtime work, frequently, and added interest in the books being accumulated on my recently-installed bookshelves has cut into my DXing and reporting to stations heard and the NRC and correspondents. Reception CX have varied considerably at listening periods but it seems to average out a fairly good season; wish I wasn't lazy. Best wishes to all the Club, and don't forget your Valentines.

Andy Rugg - 16 Lakebreeze Avenue - Pointe Claire, Quebec

Thanks to a recent -150 cold wave, CX were quite good. DX: 1/28- WPYB-1580 TT 2:10 am CHED-1080 2:13 way under KRLD; KFAB-1110 under WBT after WMBI s/off 5:30 pm. 1/29: KFBK-1530 2:57 am. At 3, tuned to 1480 and heard the wonderful sound of "Now Dallas, You have Heard the News" only to lose it under KVIZ, my best Californian. (Page 7)

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(Andy Rugg) WINZ-940 3:26; and KGBS-1020 3:30 (hi, Frank!); WKYR-1270 4:02 am, WARK-1490 4:06. Who was the K on 920 s/off around 4:00 - too weak to copy? KJAY-1440 4:09-4:23 for #1 Kansas and 43rd state; WYZE-1480 4:25 am, WLTC-1370 5:05 am. 2/2- CSA2-665 6-6:10 pm. 2/3- TAs all over the place. Unns on 665 1088 1196 1151 1178 1376 and 1439; unID SS on 1133 and 1025, who? Spain-638 CSA3-755 BBC-647 (tentative) RNE-584 CSB90782 all coming through at intervals between 5-7 pm. 2/4- Unn CBK-540 pounding in 12:20 pm; HJBI-840 12:36-12:41 am; spent quite a while tracking down someone on 570 but no ID. They s/off 1 am. with SSB - who? CHUB-1570 coming in between 1:20-2:07 sporadically for a report, WPRS-1440 TT 2 am, said 500w.; CSB5-1578 2:14-2:29 am. Tuned across 1480 at 2:30 am, and who should ID but VOUS. They said they are 24 hours again; unn here. KFIF-1550 testing 2:39-2:58, 44th state; CJGX-940 3:01-3:09 am.; someone on 1035 with ~~clax~~ from 12:k8-1:16 am. when they suddenly went off. This was heard on both the Philco and the Ar88D, probably ~~an~~ SWBC image - not local splatter; SSS brought in WIBC and ZBML but nothing new. 4VE even with WBZ 9:15-9:30 pm. 2/5- Static all over the place when I got up at 3:00 - did get WKAM-1460 testing for #5 from Indiana, nothing else. unID TT on 1440 between 3:10 and 3:25, who? Veries: WKIG-1580 KONO-860 Bordeaux-1205 WPFB-910 WBAB-1440 CHUC-1500 Munich-1196 WBNR-1260 CKNB-950 3AM2-1466 WTHB-1550-pp and a CHNC v/1 to replace pp (v/s is Bruce MacDonald.) Country score here is now 28/15. 504 veries. The new f/c list is terrific. The other fellows must have really sent in a lot of info as mine was insignificant - how about more contributors next time? 73.

George Greene - 1527 Sunset Avenue - Akron 19, Ohio

CX are about the same; however I have lots of new stations this week. WREN WHEC and WAIT were heard on a homemade coil-type antenna. This was made by winding part of the antenna on one pole, carrying it over to another, and winding the rest on it. This system gave me three new stations within a half hour. Lately the WX has been very good. Several days of 40°. On 2/4 it was as high as 58°, yesterday, 54°. Now it's more like winter (15°) and CX are really good. New stations are: 1/31- WDXN-540 WNYC-830. 2/1- WMAV-970. 2/6- WEVP-1230 WEAW-1330 WREN-1250 WHEC-1460 WAIT-820 WNTA-970. No new reports are out. Veries from WSM-650 WCCO-830 and WAKY. WSM and WAKY sent a letter, and WCCO a card. I still have lots of surveys for anyone who wants some. I have WHLO-640 WAKR-1590 and KFVB-930 in sufficient quantities. WDXN was very clear on 540 as was WNYC-830 when I heard them. They were both dominating the frequency. WMAV was heard under the WWSW/WREO mess. WEVP-1230, though fairly close, was heard at night on a graveyard, which is usually empty. WEAW was bucking interference from WJPS when I heard it and WREN-1250 was bothered by WRYT/WEMP. WHEC was in the clear and a few minutes later I heard a French station, which I couldn't ID. 820 was completely dominated by WAIT when I heard it. There was not even a sign of WBAP/WFAA at all. WNTA was heard under WWSW/WREO right afterward. Few bits of info from paper. WINZ-940 will probably go rr soon. The VP says they just "added more 45s." However, there is somewhat of a personnel shake-up there. WFUN's Frank Ward has moved there in charge of programming. Another is that WMBM-1220 and WMET-1490 are going to trade calls and personnel. Don't forget I have lots of surveys. 73s.

J. B. "Pat" Reilley - 623 Spring Street - Jamestown, New York

WTYC WRSJ are the only veries this week. 2/4- No XERF. KFIF-1550 ET at 3:06. CKDM-730, he didn't know how he'd get home through bad blizzard. KMLB-1440 money raising at 3:57. 2/5- 46° at 2:50; WSPB-1450 atop mess. Unk TT on 1440, 3:03 to 3:55 but no ID used when I quit. Didn't hear any of the DXes because of HNL. 2/6- CHAK not heard as SS only heard. The SS again on 1575 or about there at 2:40 but no ID heard. 2/7- 4° below, my bed was warmer, so took a day's vacation from DX. 2/8- 8° today. TTs all over the dial with no IDs given. Weak one on 1560 at 3:06 but too noisy to copy ID. KNDY-1570 ET at 3:15. KWBV-1440 f/c at 3:27 for new call. 2/9- 22° and noisy today. WBYS-1560 test at 3:34. TT and OC on 1570 all AM with no ID heard. SS on 1575 here again but too noisy to catch ID. WONA-1570 off test at 3:34. TT on 960 atop CHNS with a db-5 signal but no ID after 4:00. 2/10- KIQS-1560 ET at 3:12 and off at 3:18 till 7:00 am. WONA-1570 PoP all AM. Plenty of TTs today but no ID. 740 had db-10 TT at 4:01. 29 Saturdays left before Indianapolis Convention, so it's getting later than you think. Anybody have address for KRZY-730, Grande Prairie, Texas? My report returned as unknown there.)

WE ALL WANT TO KNOW WHAT DX YOU ARE HEARING, SO PLEASE LET US IN ON IT VIA THIS COLUMN ALL WE ASK IS THAT YOU TRY TO MAKE IT AS CONCISE AS POSSIBLE SO AS TO SAME ROOM. OK?

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

DX is fair to good, but the TAs for the moment seem to be going. 2/4: Generally poor with much LA reception; mystery on 1185 IDing as "La Voz del Centro America" and reported mystery by someone in last week's Musings. Also on about 1188, setting up some terrible hetrodyne with WOWO was a Colombian announcing as "La Voz del Onda Larta" or something to that effect and mentioning affiliation to Primera Cadena Radio Caracol. Who might this be? Closest I can come is HJES moved from 1170?? Geard several other times. No WRH listing. 2/5: Interesting evening. WVLC-590 where WARM is usually, and WGG-550 an unusual on that frequency. KSTL-690 s/off * 6:45 for first daytime K on 690; KIRT-1580 @ 7:23 for enough info for report, s/off 7:30. Generally good SSS. 2/6: The big morning. KPBM-740 on r/c from 2-2:15 am. with surprisingly good signals. Several OCs and TTs on 1260 740 WINZ-940 AN, but no CHAK-860. Some Mexican was AN which made for bad reception and much static made even this SS hard to read. Then @ 3:07 am. unk language, possibly Portuguese on 860, possible PRA3. Anyone else hear this one? (Ernie?) (Dunno -ed.) If so, first Brazil. Same afternoon received beautiful verie from BBC-1088, v/s H.D.P. Bambridge from IDXD info by BD (thanks Ben), enclosing a book on BBC TV, several coverage charts, and a very pleasant letter. Took a month. First European verie, yippee! WTRB-1570 s/off @ 6:48 pm, WREO-970 surprisingly well through WNTA. First time heard in months. KPIK-1580 ~~dominating over that~~ ~~frequency all evening after WVOK s/off @ 6:30~~ KPIK in background. 2/7: Good SSS and LA reception brought WTIK-690 dominating over that frequency all evening after WVOK s/off @ 6:30. KPIK-1580 in beautifully @ 6:54 with cw mx. Much XEDM interference. S/off time for this one is 7:30 pm. Many Costa Ricans heard such as TISS-875 with ID as "La Voz del Tropico", TILX-725 (?) and unk on 605 mentioning Costa Rica several times. Could this be TIAV from 600? 2/8 and 2/9 show no DXing records. 2/10 brought WHBT-1600 s/off @ 6;L5 and WNLC-1510. When did they change from 1490? Big surprise when first heard. No SSS. Any and all letters appreciated. 73. PS, 1,000,000 thanks to Larry for the invaluable f/c list.

Ed Satterthwaite - 115 Sypherd Hall - University of Delaware - Newark, Delaware

Recent DX from ETs - tests of my receiving equipment, that is. 1/29- Several SSS loggings: WLNH-1350 over WORK, WGTO-540 WDOS-730 and others unkn. Then 6-6:30 pm, ZBM1 on 1235, very good at times, for a new country. 1/31 seemed very good for TAs, although I added none to my log due to lack of definite IDs. Signal on 1466, undoubtedly Monte Carlo, very good just after 6 pm, seemed to have signed off by 6:30. Signal on 1214 readable at times even with hetrodyne and splatter from WCAU. BBC? Portugal on 782 also in the clear at times 5:45-6:00. I now have the receiver down at college. Dorm noise makes serious DX impossible, but during rare periods of no shavers, fluorescent lights, etc., reception here is amazingly good. WKBW is a semi-local during the day and the most powerful signal on the band at night. Must be a direct hookup with Buffalo. On the other hand, someone was giving WDEL a hard time today at 4 pm, and their XR can't be much more than 15 miles from here. If anyone else has the same problem, quite decent reception can be obtained in a steel-framed building by running a loop of antenna wire around the window frame to couple inductively to the frame of the building. Results are best on the top end of the band and almost nil down at 200 kc/s., probably because of a decrease in the impedance of the structural members to ground as the frequency is lowered.

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

If anyone will look at DXDD the issue of 2/2/62 you will note that credit for a tip on KWAY-1570 is listed in my name. Please change name to Northrup, Iowa. He heard them not only himself, but for me too, hi! Thanks also Ev and P. Barton for aid on this one. Now that my conscience is clear, here is latest. 2/3: WTTN-1580 RS s/off 6:25-6:30. Sunday I slept through, so nothing heard. Monday, I should have slept - terribly noisy and none of the signals I did hear had any poop. I felt as though I was DXing from inside a balloon, with the stations on the outside. 2/6: Long-awaited DX from CHAK-860 not heard. Did manage WBSG-1450 r/c 2:05-2:15 per new f/c list. Orchid to Amarillo - very fine job on the list - many thanks. 2/7: Heard WDEW-1570 easily on ET 12:10-12:40 and on, with PK still silent. Tried SSS 2/7 and heard um KOAL-860 KPIK-1580 KYND-1580. Logged KMDO-1600 via SSS 2/8 RS s/off 6:45-7. 2/9, finally heard WGSB-1480 RS 6:40-7 pm, KOUR-1220 unkn but in strong 6:30. 2/10 stuck to recent pattern of one new one a day and heard WSYD-1300 s/on RS 5:02-5:15. Had a good week veriewise. They must have located a lost mail bag in N.M. as veries received from KARS KLMX KRAZ. Also received were WTTN WHIS KEDD WFIS WADE WRSC-dx WCYN WKBA KTLU and WCCF.

Dick Kwaitkowski - 11 Walton Avenue - Celoron, New York

Only two new veries in - KRMG-740 Tulsa, WPRO-630 Providence which is state #34. 2/3-KGFL-1430 Roswell on f/c 2:15. Same morning SS on 1440. 2/6- No CHAK, overslept. Lately a mess on 1490. 2/9- Cold, snowing. (QTH is 15 feet from Chautauqua Lake). Back to 2/3- 3:18, mess on 1550 but though I finally logged KKHI, because of warm WX but got WZST Tampa Fla. on a test. QRM was so bad I couldn't send a report out then. An unk ET/M came on at 3:20. In morning heard unk s/on NA on 1100 at 5:00 but QRM was terrible. Heard that KRZY-730 Grand Prairie, Tex. has been TTing a lot but haven't gotten it yet. 2/7- Letter from Randy Lee. 2/10, letter from Stan Morss. 2/5, letter from John Swanson. 2/9- Surprised to hear CKY-580 Winnipeg, Man., not CKEY. On 540, WDAK on most of time with Johnny Reb, CBK on at 5:00, next WDMV, WGTO 7:15, then WRIC heard at 7:30. Two lucky calls heard in evening, 6:00-6:05 - WSAV Savannah, Ga. and WLAP, Lexington, Ky., both on 630. 73s.

Herbert Campbell - Box 35, R.D. 2 - Athens, Pennsylvania

"Squirrelling" seems to be on the increase in the ranks of our DXers. It may be coverage maps, litter bags, bear labals, autographs (on pp cards) or even veries. Now I offer, for free, f.o.b. above address, one file of DX NEWS. This is complete from 6/30/39 to 12/31/60 with the exception of 9/1/54 to 9/1/55 and a few issues in 1940 when John Kalmbach lost my address or something. Here is enough good reading to last you until next Groundhog Day. What say? 2/6- Spent 45 minutes this morning trying to dig out CHAK. All I could get was a weak SS (Mexican?) and a weaker hetrodyne occasionally

John D. Hathaway - 4701 South Milam Street - Amarillo, Texas

My log now stands at 678 stations with 214 of those verified. A total of 310 reports have been sent out. I'm up to 93 points in the Contest but have really slowed down lately. Recent veries: CJIB-940, lkw, RCA XR, 3330 Barnard Ave., Vernon, B.C.; CKWX, 1275 Burrard St., Vancouver 1, B.C., clear channel, 50kw; and WSIZ-1380-dx. Report sent to WHBQ-560. New loggings: TILX-725 WSWV-1570 and KMLB-1440. ~~xxxxxx~~ Two advanced accounting courses for my Master's Degree are taking so much time that I'm doing very little DXing. Will still try to get up for the Specials and possibly some of the stations listed on the f/c list Larry turned out. I've tried quite a few of them already but so far have not heard one. Only new station lately is KYSN-1460. Two veries in, XERPM-660 by pp and KEAS-dx. Hope to have a little better luck with the Specials in the morning. How about sending us down a tape, Marv? Hope Murray Mann finds something new with the GPR-90 and Len with the Super-Pro. Station total now up to 680 heard, 216 verified. Art Fregeau seems to be doing OK with his HQ-180! Think his un-ID around 1144 may be th3 Haiti station. Best 73 and DX.

Norman H. Pillsbury - Jamestown (Busti), New York

2/2- Heard WPGC-1580 s/off 5:45; WAXU-1580 s/off 6:15. 2/3- KXLY-920 verie for first Wash. WKBN-570 s/off 1, WSHN-1550 ET 1:15-1:26, to s/on at 7:45. KGUL-1560 ET with 500kw. asking for reports. They were about 8/5 here at 2:20-2:40 am. WJVA-1580 TT/M 1:28-1:52. WSHH-1570 s/off 6 pm. 2/4- WGTC-1590 TT over WAKR at 12:20, to s/on at 7. WSEW-1590 s/off 6, s/on 7:30. WTTN-1580 heard at s/off 6:30 but no report out. Real surprise was KFNF-920 at 8. KGLC-910 with fair to poor signals also. 2/5- No CKLD-1230 as there wqs too much WNOR/WITH. No KPOJ-1330 in the mess. QRM was pretty bad. WANB-1580 s/on 7:15, s/off 6. Veries- KOMA-1520 CFRY-1570 for #2 veried from Man. 2/6 - KTSA-550 loud at 3:30, no report out as I was too "fried" at WWL/WJW/CKVL who spoiled CHAK. Did hear ID once, but tell them that. QRM all kc/s. also made it unworthwhile to stay up. 2/7- Received veriey#200, WRGM-1590. Thanks for Canadian stamps, Pat; nice going on the veries - doubt if I catch you! WCBG-1590 s/off 5:45, WJSO-1590 s/off 6:05 in the clear. WPKY-1580 off at 6:32, on at 7. 2/8- Local WJTN-1240 finally veried, KRMG-740 too. Homework all evening. 2/9- CKOY-1310; WFMJ-1390 and WJAB-1440 (#2 from Me.) veried. WKRT-920 s/off 11:15 pm, 2/10- Finally heard WJAR-920 with an unk TT behind it at 12:30. Good luck on CB73-730 Dick, just don't sleep through, hi. 73s.

Bob Coomler - 6047 Comey Avenue - Los Angeles 34, California

On 2/4 had an enjoyable but unfortunately brief visit from Larry Schwartz. Some of his "poorer" veries make some of my "better" loggings look pretty ill. Wait till I get the other Window up, hi. DX-wise, things have been a little better. Latest are: KGW-620 WAKY-790 KNEW-790 KCMO-910 KITE-930 VOA-1180 Okinawa and KRUX-1360. A word about KRUX: Don't send your reports to Glendale - try Phoenix. Otherwise your report will be looking you in the eye a couple days later. You were right, Larry. 73.

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Since I'm rather prone to "rambling," here's DX: 2/2- KCVR-1570 Cal., no XERF; 8:30 pm. 2/4- KRKC-1770 Cal. again no XERF, 8:35-8:45 pm. The only catch of 2/5 was KBND-1110, Ore. ET with ID at 5:32 am. This one is long wanted, and heard while taking a log on WBT! Finally, 2/6 brought no CHAK, only our Cuban friend on 860. Guess that'll be the story of all us Southerly U.S. DXers. But by missing three hours' sleep was still well worth it, with a good catch in the way of CKRD-850 Red Deer, Alta., heard 3:03-6 a.m., with NX and s/off, heard while trying to get CHAK. Thanks for the arrangement, Doug Murray, it was a fine effort! Now to muse a bit. DX this season is well over twice better than last. Night after night WBZ blasts in, while I only heard them weakly once or twice all last season. If the IAs would come in as well as Cuba, I'd really have it made! If Radio Americas isn't on Swan Island, were the heck are they? Also, has anyone got a verie from them? Mine is two months overdue already. I'll agree with the BALD leader Taylor, sending tapes to domestic stations is no good. Asking a CE to review several tapes a week is too much; this practice must be stopped before our "good verifiers" are forced into the ranks of KOMA KONO KWOW KXXX KM J etc. Recent veries are KCVR KBND KAFY KOFY CKLW CFUN WHOO KSOP CRRB CJIB. Whew! 37 veries so far in '62, no wonder my grades are dropping, hi! Totals 458/242/108 surveys. Those wanting a verie from KFMB-540 had better hurry - their move to 760 with 50kW. is less than a month away. I got a KGBS image on 2/12, thus, no CB-73-730. 73s.

Harold S. Williams - 50 3 Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

I sure would have liked to join the DX gabfest today, 2/10 on Long Island but as usual I had to work both Saturday and Sunday. DX has been almost nil but here is what I tried for: 2/5, because of the heavy fog and 54° temperature the QRN was so bad that absolutely nothing was logged. CKLD-130 Thetford Mines for NNRC was not needed and I imagine that even with good CX it would have been tough to log KPOJ-1330. I wanted to log the ET from WOKC-1570 as per tip card from Bernie Duffy but no luc,. Thanks, anyway, Bernie. 2/3- No luck with CHAK-860. An SS on the whole period. WAGE-1290, Leesburg, Va. heard briefly at 4:58 s/on but quickly covered by WHIO and WHKY. I hope the announcer made in giving the time, which he later corrected, will be enough to bring me a verie. I have a WAGE verie when the call was assigned to the present WHEN-620 Syracuse, N.Y. 2/7- Unn WDEW-1570 Westfield, Mass. had an ET/M 12:01-12:12 asking for reports. Said they have thousands of QSL cards to send out. As my WDEW verie is a plain card I sent a report so I can replace the old card with their new QSL card. No veries received. The 2/3 DX NEWS in Monday AM and what a swell issue, plus the finest f/c list we have ever had, I believe. My sincere thanks to all who helped to make this swell list possible. The three NRC DXes listed for 2/12 are all needed here but I'll be working from 10 PM to 6 AM so will have to miss them. I hope to be able to "sneak out" in my car radio for a few minutes to try for CB73 as that would be a new BCB country for me. 73.

Christopher Manthey - 21307 Maplewood Avenue - Cleveland 16, Ohio

1/29- WRVK-1460 Mt. Vernon, Ky. s/on 4:30 am., WSBA-910 York, Pa. AN 4:19 am., WQOK-1440 NX at 4:45. 1/31- WFIW-1390 Fairfield, Ill. RS 5:35 pm., unn KWK-1380 at 5:30. 2/5- WHOK-1320 Lancaster, O. 7:29 am., WMBA-1460 Ambridge, Pa. s/off 5:59 pm with no SSB, XEWA-540 San Luis Potosi, SLP, in like a local with XEW network plays, 9:30-10:00 pm. 2/6- WDAJ-540 Columbus, Ga. AN 3:55-4:15 am., KTSA-550 San Antonio, Tex. 4:15-4:25 am. fade, no CHAK - sent a thank-you; WDMV-540 Pocomoke City, Md. 7:37 am., WDXN-540 Clarksville, Tenn. 6:07 pm. RS, WDBJ-960 Roanoke, Va. 8:33 pm. 2/7- WDXR-1560 Paducah, Ky. with basketball game 10:06 am. (night before had NBC NX, cw show). 2/9- WDOC-1310 Prestonburg, Ky. 6:00 pm. while trying for a Frenchie I've been hearing for a couple of weeks, but haven't been able to ID because of WERE. Bob Feamon tells me it's CKOY in Ottawa. This would be my first Ottawa station. (CKOY is English; how about CHGB? -ed.) Veries since last time are letters from WWVA and WJET, cards from CKBW-dx, WRSC-dx WTOP (picture of XR). WRSC's was disappointing after that nice show they had. Reports since last time are out to KOMA WRVK KTSA WDAK, and mailed with this, CBM and CFOR. Totals are now 243/65 I think. Here is a suggested abbreviation: TNX for thank-you card. Add these to your 1961 Jones Log: "p" beside WCLW-1570, Mansfield, O. I heard them this morning 2/10 at 9 playing cw. Add "p" to WDXR-1560 Paducah, Ky. who had cw show at 10:05 pm. on 2/8, "@" next to WERE-1380, WJMO-1490 because they have language on Sunday. Here's a Manthey NX Flash: Emisora Nacional in Libson this month started "The Voice of the West" on 665, 6-8 pm. daily. It doesn't seem to be beamed anywhere. English is 6:45-7:30, and the rest is in French and Spanish. 73.

Ev Johnson - 504 16 Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX here since 1/26 amounts to not too much. It's been very noisy the past week. 2/5 was the worst DX AM since I began DXing ten years ago; that is, winter DX. XERF has been off quite a spell now but nothing heard after CHUB s/off. 1/28- KADL-1270 RS at 6 pm. WGVI-1260 good at 6-6:15 pm. s/off. KAPI-690 s/off at 7 pm. trying for KTCI in Neb. 1/29- I heard WTYC-1150 Rock Hill S.C. on ET 2:15 - WPCF-1430 ETs for over an hour. 660 had mx. I thought it might be KFAR but WNBC came on with test. KJAY-1440 test at 3:50. WWYN-1260 ex-WERC s/on 4:45. WGNU-920 signing on under WIRD. 1/31- I found KWTO Springfield, Mo. topping WIND-560. WHAB-1260 test 1-1:15. KNIN-990 RS till 2 s/off, "K-9." 2/2- Found WZOE-1490 f/c-TT but GE told me last Friday not first Friday, so must have changed. 2/3- Found KXLF-1370 NX at 1. 2/4- KQII-1380 r/c-TT 1-1:15. KOGO-600 again in like a local at 4 - no veri from last report. 2/5- (rough). Signals weak on U.S. stations, SSES very strong. TGUX-1020 really booming in at 2:45-3, with Dave Thomas at mike; did not verify two previous reports. 2/7- WPUP-1390 s/on at 5:02. WISA-1390 Isabella, P.R. s/on in English and SS at 5. WSYD-1300 s/on at 5. WNVA-1350 s/on at 5:35. WKRK-1390 RS at 5:30. 2/10- 1570 TT 2:45 till past 3. At 3, station s/on test, TT took ID out - who? Guess you have all noticed XEW has gone English and is AN with Night Life Show from Mexico City, 250,000w., one to take XERF's place, hi. Veries since 2/1: WHFB-1360 WMCH-1260 WGR-550 nice QSL card, WTYC-1150 nice letter and Key Chain with WTYC on record disc. WNUZ-1230 1/8 report, KNIN-990 WWYN-1260 and WGVI-1260. Thanks to Amarillo for fine f/c list. Larry, I'll keep track of all I hear and send in list, during summer months. All for now. Good DX.

Larry Schwartz - 4819 Atlanta Drive - San Diego 15, California

2/5 DX: KILT-610, JOLF-1310 (unn) with the Twist in Japanese! SS on 800/890 AN, unk Cubans? 12D-1000 with play at 4:30, KHAI-1090 at 4:45, WQOK-1440 5-6 am., 1460, WAL? at 5:25, 1550 s/on 5:30 with SSB, I think it was WTHB or something similar. 1270, foreign language, China I guess, but which one? Heard at 5:37-5:50. WAAY-1550 s/on 6, WREC-600 s/on 6, KTHS-1090 (finally!) at 6:05, CMCA-730 English School of the Air, gave sked at 6-1 am., WCKR-610 at 6:10, WDAF-640 at 6:20 and finally WSGN-610 at 4:55 with woman DJ. No CHAK due to the noise which arrived perfectly timed at 2:55, just five minutes before the DX! 2/10- KOMA off, nothing but KACY-1520 s/off at 3, KBBB-1600 f/c one hour later than listed, SSB s/on 1560 but couldn't catch ID, WTNS-1560 heard later at 6:55, Unk s/ons with SSN include 1350 at 7, 7:30 (2) on 970, one using lkw., 1570 at 7:45. If anyone knows any stations s/on with SSB at these times, please let me know. KTER-1570 s/on at 8:15. 2/11: HJCC-1010 again with no sign of much needed WINS Jap faded in at 5, s/on on 1320 with SSB at 5 behind KXYZ (KCPX off Sundays, AN Monday) KTSA-550 with Cuban behind, no sign of KAFY, WQAM with some LA on 560, Who is strong LA on 560 at 5:30? Someone weak on 540 (hope it isn't KFI again), with NX until 6:15, then mx, who? Finally, Jap on 990 through OC of someone powerful. Only three veries this week, KPOJ-1330 CHWK-1270 and KOL-1300. Congratulations and thanks go to Larry Gidwin for the really fabulous f/c list; a really great job! 73.

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

New veries are a nice picture card from WMFJ Daytona Beach, and a v/l from KHAS Hastings, Neb. Speaking of the latter I belatedly think to ask who it was who TTed and gave garbled ID through KHAS' DX 3:05-3:07, 1/8. I couldn't "make it out" due to the ANs being so strong on 1230. As one who hasn't heard a Montana station in years, I was pleased to find KGHL-790 Billings holding its own against WTAR Norfolk ss the former presented its r/c First Wed. @ 2:05-2:20 2/7. 2/8- WKID-1580 easily dominated XEDM at 1, as the Urbana Ill. stations f/ced. 2/12- KFRO-1370 Longview, Tex. came in quite well with its friendly DXcast at 3:00 on. By WBNX being silent that AM I finally was able to log WGUS and WQXQ on 1380 at 4:15-4:30. No trace of WBMK under very strong WGH @ 4:30-5:00, though.

Sam A. McLauchlan - Box 26 - Gatineau, Quebec

2/28 is the big day - WMGM changes over to WHN at 5:30 pm. Type of programming won't be changed judging from preview IDs. Better rush, Doug M., time is running out. Sorry, v/s is illegible on card from 1959. I have a few WOTT surveys. Anyone wanting one, just drop a line. Only stations since last report are KWMT-540 and WDAK-540 on 1/28 @ 6-6:15 pm. Also WRON-400 f/c 3:30 am. 2/5 and WONA-1570 1:50-2:14 on 2/11. Don't try for the latter, as they were on their annual PoP. Veries from WSPR WRSC KWMT WDAK. Wayne P.- Your French on 900 may have been CKJL in St. Jerome. They are often on in English too. Greetings to all and CB-73s. I know that isn't original but imitation is the best form of flattery.

David E. Roys - 5121 Radnor Road - Indianapolis 26, Indiana

Hi, all you Convention goers. I have finally reached one of my major DX goals - the verification of all 50 states. A very enthusiastic verie from Don Porter, CE of KFAR-660 for a taped report. Veries also from WPAP-1570 KHAS-dx Brussels-926, Hilversum II-1007 for country #39 with reports out to eight more countries, also Nancy-836 for my fourth RTF verie, with reports out still to Toulouse-944 and Rennes-674. Radio Luxembourg-1439 in finally for a report, would have been better exdept for someone on 1440 with a 1 kc/s. tone. No sign of CHAK DX, as XENL is AN and strong as was the static, and there was no sign of KFAR the AM before, so CX in the North were not too good. KVSH-940 and KPBM-740 on their f/cs. The new f/c list is really a dilly, thanks to all those who contributed. Noticed HJCU-730 was apparently off last Monday AM. Hope they will be off for the CB73 DX. The complete address is: Cia. Chilena de Comunicaciones S.A., Rados la Cooperativa Vitalicia, Roberto Reyes Barrueto, Gerente General, Condell 1184, Casilla 1627, Valparaiso, Chile.

Wayne V. Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

After being snowed under with school work for last couple of weeks, finally will get this report off as quite a bit of DX in limited listening time, mainly 6-8 pm and 11:30 pm-12:30 am. 1/10- KGLC-910 almost alone at 11:35 pm. as happens once in a while. 1/11- WCLS-1580 again with another s/off at 6 pm. also; tremendous signal from Radio Caribbean-830 with NX at 6:07 pm. ZNS-1540 and HJBI-840 also very good. One of strongest signals ever encountered from SA, YVMH-700 "Radio Popular" 6:50-7:30 pm. with cigar commercials, etc. 1/12- New one in WCOS-1400 briefly fair 1:12-1:15; WJSO-1590 announcing as Johnson City over/under WAKR at 5:35 pm; WAPE-690 in like a ton of bricks with terrific CX to S. WACL-570 briefly penetrated WKBN/WYSR barrier for surprise addition. WBOOK-800 good despite CKLW with Negro program around 6:07; SS under WGY at 6:10 - could this be WKVM or XEFW? Nice addition on my best frequency in KPCA-1580 at their 6:16 pm s/off; HJAN-720 prominent in early PM again. 1/13- Lots of weak SS but no ID. One briefly buried WABC at 6:00 pm. and another under WDBJ-900 - any ideas? 1/15- TT-1150 at 12:25, believe WGHM as per list (which incidentally is a professional job) although ID very difficult; believe Colombian over WFAA/WBAP 10:25 pm. Only one listed is HJED-820 which was heard back in November. 1/17- Same strong SS almost even with WMAQ-670 that I mentioned previously - how about HJDK Medellin, fellows? 1/18- New for me WDXN-540 s/off weak at 5:59 pm, then WDAK clearly heard for about a minute before complete dropout (obviously DA). 1/19- Quite a surprise to hear WEBC-560 topping WIND etc. at 12:10 with screwy Scramble Tune Contest; strong TT on 1260 12:15-12:25 turned out to be WBUD. Believe this is their r/c; also unID TT on 1450 and 1600 12:25-12:30. 1/20- After WBOC s/off at 12:05, long wanted WSBT-960 in fairly well, also after WFBL's 12:58 s/off, WTJS-1390 dominated. After 1 am. never heard CHML-900 fading so badly but nothing heard. This is my only frequency lacking an American logging as since I've started serious DXing CHML never noted off AN. 1/20- Real terrific day for SSS, especially on 730 with WPIK WDOS WPIT WMNA all new despite spillover of CBL. Till next week

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

Noted in last issue various members' "loggings" of WDTI-970; WESA-1560 and KEAK-690. How about a little more care, boys? These stations have been off the air for months! Also, for the good of all, I strongly disfavor reverifying any station. We have enough trouble getting one verie, and if we all should ask for seconds, we'd alienate many more stations. Ditto on tape-recorded reports - it is a task for the verifier to play these off, particularly at a station where the CE is NOT the v/s. Can you visualize the GM or PD going to the tape recorder to play off a DX logging? To Ray Kraul, I'd appreciate the v/s for WFIS-1600. At last my countdown is done - I have exactly 3,142 veries, with these four since last week: WSWV-1570 CHOW-1470 WBTS-1480 KGUL-1560 who will ET all AM on either Sunday 2/21 or 2/28 they said, but looking at the calendar, I see these are both Wednesdays, so he must have been looking at the January calendar. Try 1560 on 2/25, I'd suggest, if you missed them on 2/3. DX: 2/7- Unn WESA-940 at SSS behind CBM; no WGRP, alas. 2/10- Spain-638 through tremendous static 1:56-2:11. 2/12- Conelrader on 1240 12:53-1:05 and on, unID, a little over AN WBAX. Brand new WSMA-1550 ET/M most of AM, very poor for 10kw. WWOD-1390 ET/M until at least 2:30, S-9. PRH9-840 in well 3:06-2:27. An AN SS on 670 went unIDed, fine signal, too. And, best of all, two breaks heard from CB73 behind powerhouse HJCN signal for my second Chilean! I then fell asleep around 3:50 am. or I would probably have had more on CB73. Consequently, missed out on WBMK-1310, awakening at 4:04 to find WGH S-9 and all-dominant there. WZOK-1320 noted AN Monday, so must be silent Sundays with KCPX.

" DX DOWN THE DIAL ".

Send "TIPS" To Ev. Johnson- 504-16th St. Mendota, Ill. in E.S.T.:

| FREQ. | CALL. | REMARKS" |
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| 540 | KFMB | San Diego, Calif. S/off MON. 02:30* (L.Schwartz. Cal.: |
| 590 | KBHS | Hot Springs, Ark.- S/on 06:10- (Kraul-Ill.: |
| 600 | WREC | Memphis, Tenn. S/on 06:00-(Schwartz-Cal.: |
| 610 | WDAF | Kansas City, Mo. S/on 06:00- Schwartz-Cal.:(Kraul: |
| 690 | KUSD | Vermillion S.D.- F/C Per list but 15 min earlier or 5:30 |
| 710 | KMPC | Los Angeles Cal.- Off 1st SUN-of every Months.- 4:30- also off Mon. of even numbered for Conelrad. Schwartz |
| 750 | KXL | Portland Or. tests every Mon. at 03:00 Schwartz. |
| 810 | KGO | San Francisco, Cal.- on till 3:30- on SUN(Schwartz. |
| 850 | CKRD | Red Deer Alta.- S/off 03:05- F.Nittler-Col: |
| 860 | WSBS | Grt Barrington. Mass. S/on Wk Dys 06:00- Kraul*ILL |
| 900 | WEAS | Savannah Ga. had test 2/8 02:37- Kruse-Ia.: |
| 910 | KISN | Vancouver Wash.- S/off 4- MON. QRA Portland-Schwartz |
| 930 | KTKN | Ketchikan Alaska.- hrd on F/CM. 2/3 3:20-3:30- Schwartz |
| 960 | KMA | Shenandoah Ia.- S/on 06:00 Wk Dys.- Schwartz |
| 960 | WJAZ | Albany Ga S/on Wk Dys- 05:00 Schwartz. |
| 970 | WYPR | Danville Va.- S/on 04:00(Kruse Ia. |
| 1150 | WJBO | Baton Rouge La. S/off 01:00(D Combs-Mo.: |
| 1290 | WAGE | Leesburg Va S/on Wk Dys at 4:58-(Hal Williams-Conn.: |
| | WHMO | Dayton O S/on Wk Dys 4:59 H. Williams.* |
| | WHKY | Hickory NNC.- S/on Wk Dys 05:00-(WHKY) H. Williams. |
| 1300 | WSYD | Mt Airy N.C.- S/on 05:02- Kraul-Ill. ~ |
| 1310 | WBRO | Waynesboro Ga had F/C 1/29- at 02:43- D.Combs-Mo: |
| 1320 | WATR | Waterbury Conn. Wk Dys S/on 05:15- H.Williams. |
| | KCPX | Price Utah.- has changed S?P to SUN Schwartz. |
| 1330 | KPOJ | Portland Ore.- S/off MON 03:05- Schwartz |
| 1340 | KENT | Prescott Ariz. had F/C TT a/5- 02:18- F Nittler-Col: |
| | KIST | Santa Barbara Cal.- has F/C 2/5 3-3:30 TT Schwartz. |
| 1360 | KGB | San Diego Cal.- S/off about 03:05- Off A.N. Schwartz. |
| 1390 | KLPM | Minot N.D. F/C and SAT but 1 hour later 5:15-5:30-Kraul |
| 1430 | KLO | Ogden Utah. S/off 05:00 SUN. Schwartz. |
| 1440 | WQOK | Greenville S.C S/on 05:00 Schwartz. |
| 1470 | WRBB | Tarpon Sprs Fla S/on Wk Dys at 05:00 Schwartz. |
| 1460 | WKAM | Goshen Ind is Station 2/5 ET/M-to Joe Fela& Epnie: Ev. |
| 1550 | WBSC | Bennettsville S.C.- S/on 05:30 Schwartz. |
| | WAAY | Huntsville Ala.- S/on 06:00 Schwartz |
| 1570 | WDEW | Westfield Mass. had test 2/7- 00:10-00:40 |
| | WOWI | New Albany Ind S/on 07:30 Kruse |
| | WGHC | Clayton Ga S/on 07:15 F Nittler-Col. |
| | WJOE | Ward Ridge Fla.- S/on 7:17- F Nittler- Col. |
| | KMAR | Winnsboro La. S/on 7:45- F Nittler |
| 1580 | WPKM | Princeton Ind. S/on 07:00- off 6:30 P.M.-Pillsbury |
| | WCCF | Punta Gordo Fla. S/on 6:58 will test 2/24 at 5:30 Kraul- |
| | WPGC | Washington D.C. S/on 7- Off 5:45 Pillsbury-is this Wash. |
| | WANB | Waynesboro Pa S/on 7:15- Off SUN 6 Pillsbury |
| 1590 | KRAD | East Grand Forks Minn.-R/C is 2nd FRI-1:25- 02:00- not |
| | WNSRW | Hillsboro O S/on 7:30- Off SUN 6 Pillsbury) (aslist. |
| | WBRY | Waterbury Conn S/on Mon thru Fri-05:30- SAT-6:30-SUN |
| | 08:00 | Hal Williams. Conn. |
| 1600 | WARU | Peru Ind. S/on 5:28- D Combs.Mo. |

F/Cs Per New List.- 1st Tues.- WBSG- Ga. 1350-2-2:15-
 1st SAT- WSWV-1570-WNTT-1250-WJUD-1580- WJL-1440- WEZJ-1440-
 WSHN-1550- 1:15-1:30 T- 2nd FRI- WKMT- 730- 4th-SAT KNDY- 4th Th
 Thurs. WYSH-1380- Larry Godwin ask me to tell you to please
 send in the time F/Cs are heard as some are on more than once
 in a morning. for example W000 1325 1st SUN 2-2:15- TT M etc. Th
 Thanks fellow it sure will help make a better F/C list. Nice.LG.

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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Looks like a nice comfortable week with plenty of good news.

- 584 RNE Madrid information definitely shows a station here and not on 513 Kcs. Dated Dec. 1961. (BD) Logged thru CFRA and others 1900 or so 2/3. (AR) This is a new 200 Kw station of RNE situated in Majadahonda and is heard quite well in all Europe after Austria has s/off. (BAE) Arganda moved to 683 Kcs. (EBU)
- 610 HRLP Tegucigalpa, Honduras, 2/4 clear ID at 0059 as "Radio America" in Spanish; 0045-0100 music throughout bc. (SB)
- 638 RNE Received QSL card and verie letter in English on Dec. reception of Sevilla, Spain. Uses 5 Kw, but has been the best Spanish signal here this season, early evening and early AM. VS is Dionisio Porres, RNE Dir. Prgr. (BD) (EBU says that this is RNE-San Sebastian with 20 Kw., and that Sevilla is on 647 Kcs. Change took place 10/12/61)
- 640 4YX Alexandra, New Zealand, has been testing. (KR) Now on the air with 2 Kw relaying 4YA weekdays and 4ZB Sundays. (AJW)
- 647 BBC Opera here 1820-1833 2/3, BBC, I think. (AR) BBC 3rd Program from Daventry in with S-4/5 signals at 1700 on 2/3. Recently verified on external service. (BD)
- 650 "Radio Guadeloupe" is scheduled weekdays 0520-0630, 1100-1240, 1740-2100, Sunday 0600-0830, 1115-1300, and 1745-2000. Power is 5 Kw. (WRH)
- 660 KFAR Fairbanks, Alaska, definite verie for taped report complete 50 states for me. (DER)
- 665 CSA2 "The Voice of the West" "La Vox del Occidente", "La Voix de l'Occident", good 1800-1810 2/2 with ID in English, French, and Port, and then into French. Loud and clear at times between 1700-1910 2/3. (AR)
- On 2/3 at 1950 heard a station behind Lisbon, but it signed off when Lisbon did at 2000. It may have been Eidar, Iceland, since I also picked up something on 737 Kcs. also signing off at 2000. (BD)
- 670 AN heard here, believe it was a Colombian on 2/5. (DER)
- 674 RTF Rennes, France, very strong on 2/3 between 1650 and 1710. First time I've heard this one in the afternoon. (BD)
- 675 YND Is correct call of what some call YNDS and power is 2.5 Kw now 15 Kw. that WRH-62 lists. (AR)
- 683 RNE My information from RNE lists Madrid here with "Alborada" (early morning) program from 2300-0145 and the "Programa Nacional" from 0149-2400. (BD) RNE Arganda transmitter is on here with 120 Kw., not heard in Sweden due to RIAS. (BAE)
- 695 XEN Mexico, has an English language program in the evenings called the "Anglo American Hour". Don't know the schedule but heard on Wed., 2/7 2000-2100. (BD)
- 700 JOKP Kitami, Japan, verie and picture received for 11/23 report. (PT)
- 719 Emissora Nacional radiates its International Program of news and features over Norte II, using the slogan, "Voice Of the West". (WRH)
- 730 CMCA Havana, Cuba, noted with English school 2.5 0607-0705 in the clear. (PT)
- 737 Unreadable signal here at 1935 on 2/8, off the air at 2000 Maybe Akureyi, Iceland, as signal also on 665 Kcs. Iceland signs off at 2000. (BD)
- 755 CSA3 Lisbon, Portugal, 1/30 at 1701. (SB) Noted here at intervals between 1800 & 1900 on 2/3. (AR)

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- 782 CSB9 Poor thru WBBM 2/3 from 1908-1914. (AR) Miramar, Portugal logged 2/3 1652, 2/1 1713, 1/31 1736, 1/29 1720, and 1/21 at 1703. (SB)
- QSL card in from Deutschlandssender for October report. 2nd East German verie for me. Interesting card. (BD)
- 818 At 1750 on 2/6, a play in either French or Italian, too much QRM to tell. Probably Andorra, maybe even Trieste (A remote chance). The QRM most probably from Cairo, as Arabic style singing heard later, and possibly even from Casablanca, there being several signals from Morocco on other frequencies, but all this a jumble and nothing to report on. (BD)
- 827 Tetuan, Morocco, in at about S-5 at times between 1800 and 1845 on 2/6. Little report material though. (BD)
- 835 TGQ Quezaltanango, Guatemala, "Radio Nacional de Q." schedule is Weekdays 0500-2300, Sunday 1300-2100. Power 1 Kw. (WRH)
- 836 RTF Nancy I, post card verie. When reporting to RTF stations, send reports to the regional director. My 4th RTF verie. (DER)
- 840 HJBI Santa Marta, Colombia, logged 1/28 2200-2215, 2/1 0450-55, 0516-0530 in and out of WHAS in both instances for a report. (PT)
- 863 "Radio Erevan" radiates home service of Moscow and its own local programs from 2125-0600 and 0740-1605. Foreign Service in Armenian 1030-1125 and 1420-1605; Arabic from 0900-0940 and 1400-1430. (WRH)
- 926 Brussels II, beautiful QSL card for Flemish network. My 39th country. (DER)
- 944 RTF Toulouse, France, 1/21 1632; 2/3 0030-0045; 2/3 1705-1728 not in French, sounded like Slovak or Italian, anyone know what? 2/4 0000; 1/30 1639. (SE)
- 953 EAJ29 Madrid, Spain, 1/29 at 1815, 1/28 at 1714. (SB)
- 962 Hetrodyne here both 1/29 and 2/5 after 0600. Any Asians listed here? (All KABL before 0600)(PT)(Some on 960, nothing on 962-FV)
- 973 Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk, USSR. Radio Moscow says in letter they do not verify reports on programming in Russian. Swell-(PT)
- 998 Andorra occasionally heard between 1730 and 1800 in the evening, but W8FL and WIBG splatter prevents log. (BD)
- 1000 The Chinese station here reported in 2/3 Digest by RHM is Peking with partly Foreign Service and partly Home Service. High powered. 5 pips and a higher tone at full hour is ID for all Communist Chinese stations. (BAE)
- TICCN San Ramon, Costa Rica, AN on 2/5 as well as many other Costa Ricans on Election Returns. (DER)
- PRE-9 Station picked up at various times between 0300 and 0345 on 2/5 mentioned "Radio Record" (If I heard it correctly) and used Portuguese, so think it was PRE-9. (BD)(Sure it wasn't TICCN mentioned above-FV)
- 1007 Hilversum II veried by letter, QSL folder, and broadcasting brochure. Says mine first taped report. (DER)
- 1025 Unid Spanish Speaker here around 1730 2/3. Could this be Spain? (AR)(Could be, but he's only 5 Kw.-FV)
- 1034 CSB2 Parede, Portugal, 1/30 1659, 1/31 1733, 1/28 1701-2030, 1/29 1735, 1/21 1702. (SB)
- UNID here around 1730 2/3. Portugal?(AR)(Looks like it-FV)
- 1035 4VE Heard very well 2115-2130 with "Open House" program and "Musical Messages" after 2130 2/3. Equal to WBZ. (AR)
- 1040 Station reported here in 2/3 DIGEST by JPA is Peking, with foreign service. High Powered. (BAE)

- 1050 CKSB St. Boniface, Manitoba, logged on NNRC DX1/8, verie back. (KR)
- 1052 BBC Start Point, England, 1/29 1823-1830 with a good signal. Similar program to 1214. (SB)
- 1061 Norte, Portugal, good signal on 1/30 at 1749; 1/28 1701. (SB)
- 1088 BBC Droitwich, briefly 1727 on 2/3. (AR) 2/1 1653-1735, ID and news at 1730, Music 1654. (SB)
- 1090 KHAI Honolulu, Hawaii, good here but signs off 0300 Mondays, same as KING, which may make it difficult for US listeners. (KR) Now on RS Mon-Fri 1030-0500, Sat 1100-0500, Sun 1200-0300, signer is CE Barry Cunningham, Royal Hawaiian Hotel. (PT) Probably the one fighting it out with CX-28 on 2/5. (DER)
- 1095 Weak LA station in and out during evening on 2/7, signed off at 2400. Had some kind of sports event on for a couple of hours. WRH lists OAX2B, Trujillo, Peru, here, and no other LA, but I think this could possibly have been in Panama; maybe ax station listed for 1090 or 1100. Have others heard this one? (BD)
- 1115 RAI Think this Italian 2/1 1720-1730, definitely in Italian with strong signal. (SB) Bologna or Bari, Italy, coming through weakly on 2/3 at 1750 and signed off at 1803. (BD)
- 1124 Someone on here with concert music at 1820 on 2/6. If TA most likely Barcelona, Spain. Will try again. (BD)
- 1130 KLEI Kaneohe, Hawaii, has apparently taken over KEKO's CP here as per Jerry Lansman, ex-KHAI CE, visiting here. Confirmed in BROADCASTING ad. 1 Kw. (PT)
- 1133 UNID SS here intervals 1715-1745 2/3. Who? (AR) (Probably this is EAJ7, Madrid at this time-FV)
- 1140 1YW Hamilton, New Zealand, relays 1YA (760). Has been noted on 1120 a couple of times. (KR) //(SB)
- 1151 BBC North Ireland, 1/30 1746; 2/1 1735, usually good signal.
- 1160 "Radio Americas" heard 0545, also mentioned "Radio Swan" once. (KR)
- 1169 Kiev, Ukraine, weak at 1220 in Rumanian, Moscow ID at 1228, then Polish at 1731. (AJW) //(PT)
- 1178 VOA Okinawa, Ryukyu Islands, reported 1/15 0600-0705 up to S-6.
- 1187 Casablanca, Morocco?, 2/3 1651-1715 in French with a man; readable signal. (SB)
- 1190 Another frequency of Peking. High powered and used by Foreign Service. (BAE)
- 1196 VOA Munich, West Germany, 2/1 1701; 1/30 1708; 1/29 1701; 1/21 1714, all with VOA news. (SB) Good at intervals between 1700 and 1800 2/3. Verie received for 12/25 report. (AR)
- 1205 RTF Bordeaux, France, 1/21 1640; 1/29 1700 s/off; 2/3 0021; 1/31 1700 s/off; 2/1 1659; 2/4 0200. 2/3 2345; 1/30 1637. (SB)
- 1200 YVOZ La Voz de Avila, Caracas, has an English program at 2130 EST every day. On Friday night they have an English program called "Panorama" at 2200. (BAE)
- 1214 BBC Heard between 1700 and 1800 2/3. (AR) 1/30 1637-1703; 2/3 0225; 2/1 1645; 1/21 1700; 1/29 1700-1845 best 1214 signal all season, even carried R&R at 1841. (SB)
- 1235 ZBM-1 Bermuda, signed off 0005 with S-8 signal on 2/8. (BD)
- 1259 Soviet Far Eastern Station Moscow ID and Japanese at 0400 on National 8 transistor at New Plymouth. No external aerial. (AJW)
- 1268 Nairobi has added a new English service, The KBS Third Program at 1200-1445 on 1268 Kcs. African Regional Service 0415-0530 and 0815-1130. (WRH)

- 1270 KNDI Honolulu, Hawaii, easy on Monday mornings but no verie as yet. (DER)
- 1286 CSI Prague II, Czechoslovakia, 1/31 1646-1810; 1/30 1657; 2/3 1659; 2/1 1803; 2/2 1858; 1/29 1803-1900 in Spanish, news at 1803 ID at 1810; gong 1810 s/off 1900?. Over S-9 until 1850. (SB)
- 1295 BBC Norden, West Germany, 2/3 0022; 2/4 0010-0100, in German and Polish. (SB)
- 1376 RTF Lille, France, 2/3 1644; 2/3 2340; 2/4 0015-0230; 1/30 1800 s/off; 2/1 1658; 1/31 1800 s/off; 1/29 1745; 1/21 1640. (SB)
- 1385 Someone signed off at 2200 on 2/8 with anthem somewhat like SSB. Either 4VS or PJC7-3. (BD)
- 1394 CSB80 Radio Clube de Angra, Azores, 1/30 1735; 1/29 classical music 1712; drum beats 1726; Portuguese talks by man 1713-1724; ID 1717 1 Kw or 0.15 Kw? (SB)(EBU says 1 Kw.-FV)
- 1395 Mystery SS still being heard occasionally and still can't ID it. My money is on TGT-10 Kw. Guatemala City, listed as 1390 in WRH-62. (PT)
- 1400 KSEW Sitka, Alaska, fair at 1123. Verie received by air signed by Ed Scholz, M & CE. (AJW) / (SB)
- 1403 RTF France 2/3 strong at 0206, believe Brest was mentioned.
- 1420 Radio Guadeloupe is scheduled here with 1 Kw weekdays 0520-0630, 1100-1240, 1740-2100, Sunday 0600-0830, 1115-1300, and 1745-2000. (WRH)
- 1425 FBS Although not listed in any radio-publications, the Forces Broadcasting Service, BPPO 51, Malta, is still on the air here with 800 watts and will verify. (WRH)
- 1439 "Radio Luxembourg" good many mornings around 0230. (AR) 2/3 0023-0218; 1/31 1757; 1/21 1704; 1/28 1740; 1/29 1819. (SB)
- 1457 BBC Clevedon, England, 2/1 1658; 2/3 0155; 1/30 1650-1735; 1/29 1819; 2/3 1652 usually plays classical music. (SB)
- 1460 DZBU Manila, P. I., signs 1100. Owned by Manila Daily Record. (KR)
- 3YW Westport, New Zealand, relays 3YZ (920). (KR)
- 1466 3AM2 Monte Carlo, Monaco, 1/30 1624; 1/29 1700-1810; 1/21 1641; 2/3 0200; 2/3 1605; 1/31 1647-1810; 2/1 1644-1801. (SB) Verie received from 3AM2 for 12/22 report. Says power is 200 Kw. Heard often. (AR)
- 1470 KRAF Reedsport, Oregon, s/on 1000 Sunday. (KR)
- 1480 VOUS Argentia, Newfoundland, noted on top of WDAS 2/4 at 0230 but gone at 0233. Believe they are back on AN schedule with 50 watts. (AR)
- ZYE22 "Radio Educadora Braganca", operates here from 0430-0800 and 1500-2200 weekdays; 0430-2200 Sundays. Verifies by letter. Power is 250 watts. (WRH)
- 1505 TIRU Liberia, Costa Rica, AN on 2/5 for Election Returns. (DER) UNID SS here 2/5 at 0430. (PT) Any ideas? (Pete, you came to the right place, sure looks like TIRU reported above-FV)
- 1532 HJFC Bogota, Colombia, "La Voz de la Sabana", is a new station using 10 Kw. Heard very good here at 2200. I heard it just after starting day and they verified very promptly. 1st report from Europe. (BAE)
- 1538 The new radio corporation in Germany using this freq. is Deutschlandsfunk in Koln. Starting 1000 and signing off at 1900 with 50 Kw. power. They hope to expand the transmission hours soon. (BAE)
- 1554 RTF Nice, France, 2/3 0210; 1/21 1715; 2/1 0100. (SB) Noted many AMS around 0145 or 0200 one of the most consistent TA's. Report out. (AR)

1560 2RE Taree, New South Wales, verified by QSL card and letter. They were using 500 watts at the time. My best yet. (DER)

1570 With XERF off quite a lot I logged tests from WGHC on 1/9; KWAY 1/16; and WDEW 1/25. (KR)

.... Card verie from Seelow, East Germany, received after 10 months. (KR)

1578 CSB5 Portugal, heard loud and clear with little trouble from XEDM 0214-0240 on 2/4. (AR)

RAI Italy, 2/3 0047-0115 all talks in Italian by a man, very strong signal. (SB)

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WRH-Bulletin of World Radio Handbook, Hellerup, Denmark.

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AJW-*-Only 2 nights serious listening to report, but a lot of fun touring $\frac{1}{2}$ the North Island with a National 8 trans and 100 ft of wire. Best location tried was on a cliff at New Plymouth where KFBK-1530 was local strength and other Yanks jammed the band completely from 7:30 PM LT. Signals fantastic compared with Auckland. Not far from where they heard 100w ZYJ4 on 1595 and verified it too. Reports to KSEW-1380, KSEE 1480 fantastic for 1 Kw on ET; KLRA-1110 again, KONO-860 through 2YZ, WWL-870, WHK-1420, KRAZ-1580 on ET; KELI-1430, WING 1410 on top 5 AM EST, others around 3-4 AM. WREN-1250 hard at 5:20 AM; KWK-1380 good at 5:48 and WJJD01160 massive at 6 AM. KOOL-960 at 8:43 AM and KIMA 1460 at 10 AM. New KHAI a powerhouse on 1090 at 11 AM. Then to my surprise and pleasure KSEW-1400 Sitka, Alaska, a fair signal at 11:23 AM. Veries from KSEW, KKJO, CKCK, KRED, KPOJ, WSAI, WFLA, WHAS, WHO, KFIF, CKY, WJR, WGN, CHUB, CKLG, WOWO, WCKY, WSB, WSM, Munich-800, Dresden-1043, Novi Sad-1268, JOIK-570, JOIB-750 and little 2XM-1180 who veried on his own card the 8th wonder of the world. VOA schedule lists O kinawa as 1178 so not just a wanderer. A note for those looking for North Korea: WRH is of little help. During the past year I heard and verified stations on 625, 660, 685, 785, 805, 820, 860, and 1080. They change about a fair bit and are all in parallel when we hear them from 10 AM on but not always on. No commercials in New Zealand on any station on Sundays. Does anyone know where the "Marty Robbins" Show was on Jan. 23. Heard a station on 1600 suspected KBOR announcing "Marty Robbins here in person on Jan 23rd." Any offers: Now like a good space cadet I'll say 73's. (Tony, when Musing comes to me I use it here, when to Lefty, he uses it in MUSINGS. Doesn't matter. We just try to get it in as soon as possible-FV)

BAE-*-Cxs here quite good and lot of West Indians heard. YNOL 825 heard here last nite at 9 PM EST. Mostly commercials. Received a nice letter from WPOP 1410 telling me that they have received 10 reports from Sweden until date. The Swedish reporters of CJCB 1270 are Lars Ryden of Kallhall and I. (Bengt, note was in recent DIGEST informing you that since you were only overseas member wanting to enter contest, we would not be able to enter you due to no competition.-FV)

To Pete Taylor-*-Thanks for your notes, sorry not enough space left to comment properly. Perhaps someone else may have a suggestion to keep WIBS (1045 or so) verifying. Pete suggests someone in the club might print cards for them, if they would send them out. We agree that it is too good a catch to miss out on. Well, that is it for this week.