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THE LIEUTENANT SALUTES

A great season, a great Club! What more could a DXer ask for? Please renew my subscription to DX NEWS, for the sixth time! - Lt. Tom Arko, from Cleveland, Ohio

SPECIALS

		kc/s		Watts	A.M., E.S.T.	
Mon. Jan.	25	K A P T	1220 Salem, Oregon	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	N R C
	25	W E N G	1530 Englewood, Florida	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	N R C
Mon. Feb.	1	W H O D	1290 Jackson, Alabama	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	N R C
Mon. Feb.	8	C F L M	1240 La Tuque, Quebec	1,000	2:00 - 4:30	N N R C
	8	H I B Z	1340 San Juan, Dominican Rep.	1,000	1:00 - 3:00	N R C
	8	C F T K	590 Terrace, British Columbia	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	N N R C
	8 or 15	K X K W	1520 Lafayette, Louisiana	10,000/500	After 1:00	N R C
Mon. Feb.	15	H C R M 1	565 Quito, Ecuador	1,250	12:01 - 4:30	I R C A
	15	C H A T	1270 Medicine Hat, Alberta	10,000	3:00 - 4:00	N N R C
	15	C F A C	960 Calgary, Alberta	10,000	3:00 - 5:00	N N R C
	15	C J W A	1240 Wawa, Ontario	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	N N R C
Mon. Feb.	22	H C R M 5	1200 Cuenca, Ecuador	250	1:00 - 2:00	I R C A
	22	K G H M	1470 Brookfield, Missouri	500	2:00 - 2:45	N N R C
	22	C F A M	1290 Altona, Manitoba	10,000	3:00 - 5:00	N N R C
	22	C H S M	1250 Steinbach, Manitoba	10,000	3:00 - 5:00	N N R C
	22	C F B V	1230 Smithers, British Columbia	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	N N R C
Mon. Mar.	1	C F G P	1050 Grande Prairie, Alberta	10,000	Bet. 3 & 5	N N R C
Mon. Mar.	22	V O C M	590 St. John, Newfoundland	10,000	4:30 - 5:00	N N R C

W H O D

1/25, 3-4am EST (2-3am, CST) As the New Year rolled in, WTHG became WHOD, which James Aslworth, Chief Engineer stands for "Heart Of Dixie." WTHG, earlier, was known as WPBE, so this is the third set of call letters to be used by Jackson, Alabama, on 1290 kc/s. The new owners of this station are going to conduct a special test period on January 25th, from 2:00 to 3:00 a.m., C.S.T., and they have so notified the National Radio Club, so that we could inform you all to be on the lookout for this station, WHOD. KOIL and WICE will undoubtedly be on with their all-night shows, but with WHOD's non-directional tower, many, in fact, most of us, ought to hear WHOD with not too much difficulty. Mr. Aslworth will appreciate all reports he receives, so be sure to try for this fine new station. Incidentally, the test will also be conducted at the same time by WHOD-FM, 104.9 mg/s. We do not know what they will have on the air, but watch for many IDs, music, and cycle tones, as stations usually do when they are testing.

INFO FROM DAN PHILLIPS.

BERNIE DUFFY (by phone) and RALPH JOHANNIS (by mail) both supply the address requested recently by an NRC member for Broadcasting-Telecasting Magazine, and Yearbook. It is: 1735 De Sales Street N.W., Washington, D.C., 20036. Bernie adds the Yearbook is \$5; a 52-week subscription to the magazine is \$8.50; both for \$13.50 (no reduction). This is NOT a paid ad; just information for those interested.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE: 1350 W S M B New DA pattern (NRC). VIVA LA NRC!

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KCS.	CALL	Location, Remarks-
620	WATE	Knoxville, Tenn. Weekday S/on 4:59 AM. Weinstein
620	WSUN	St. Petersburg, Fla. MM S/on 4:59 AM. Apparently off MM's, Weinstein
630	WIRC	Hickory, N.C. Weekday S/on 4:59 AM., Weinstein
630	WLAP	Lexington, Ky. MM S/on 4:59 AM., Weinstein
730	WLIL	Lenoir City, Tenn. Jan. S/off 5:45 PM., Weinstein
730	WMTC	Van Cleve, Ky. Jan. sked. Mon.-Sat. 8:00 AM-5:45 PM. Sun. 12 Noon-4 PM
840	WRYM	New Britain, Conn. Jan. S/off 4:45 PM., Weinstein. (Weinstein)
910	KLCN	Blythville, Ark. Jan. S/off 6:15 PM, Edmunds
920	KTLW	Texas City, Tex. Weekday S/on 5:00 AM. Weinstein
940	WCPC	Houston, Miss. Jan. S/off 6:15 PM., Weinstein
940	WESA	Charleroi, Pa. Jan. S/off 5:15 PM., Weinstein
950	KLIK	Jefferson City. Mo. Jan. S/off 6:15 PM., Weinstein
950	KXJK	Forrest City, Ark. Jan. S/off 6:14 PM., Weinstein
960	CKWS	Kingston, Ont. Signs off between 1:35 & 1:40 AM. Weinstein
970	WDAY	Fargo, N.D. S/off 2:00 AM., Edmunds
980	KLYQ	Hamilton, Mont. Jan. weekday S/on 8:00 AM, per veri, Weinstein.
980	KCAB	Dardanelle, Ark. Had F/C Jan. 9th. -1:55-1:59 AM., Johnson
990	WJEH	Gallipolis, Ohio Jan. S/off 5:30 PM., Weinstein
1100	KYW	Cleveland, O. Noted AN on MM 1/11., Edmunds
1150	KSEN	Shelby, Mont. Next FC July 5th. was widely hrd on 1/11 FC, Weinstein
1210	WCAU	Philadelphia, Pa. Noted AN on MM 1/11. Edmunds
1220	WAVN	Stillwater, Minn. S/on 8:00 AM, Off 6:00 PM., Johnson
1250	KFAY	Fayetteville, Ark. FC 3rd Tuesday 5:20-5:30 AM. (AM&FM) Bristow
1260	WBCR	Christiansburg, Va. Jan. S/off 5:30 PM, Weinstein
1260	WMJU	Greenville, S.C. Jan. S/off 5:45 PM.
1260	WFJH	East Point, Ga. Jan. weekday S/on 5:04 AM., Weinstein
1280	WVAR	Richwood, Va. Jan. S/off 5:30 PM., Weinstein
1290	WCHL	Benton, Ky. Jan. S/off 6:00 PM., Weinstein.
1300	WMTN	Morristown, Tenn. Jan. S/off 5:45 PM., Weinstein
1310	WJLK	Asbury Park, N.J. Jan. power reduction 5:30 PM., FC 2nd Fri. 12:30 AM.
1350	WELB	Elba, Ala. Had test on Jan. 9th @ 1:43. Johnson. (Edmunds)
1350	WNVA	Norton, Va. Jan. S/off 5:30 PM.
1350	WADC	Akron, O. New call likely in use on Jan. 31st. JWB
1360	WMOV	Ravenswood, W.Va. on F/C TT Jan. 10th @ 12:38-12:43 AM., Johnson
1370	WLTC	Gastonia, N.C. S/onn MM's at 4:30 AM., Johnson
1370	WGOH	Grayson, Ky. Jan. S/off 5:29 PM., Weinstein
1380	WMTD	Hinton, W.Va. Jan. S/off 5:29 PM, Weinstein
1390	WAVP	Avon Park, Fla. ET. TT & Music, Jan. 12th 1:00-1:30 AM., Bristow
1420	WACT	Tuscaloosa, Ala. Wkday S/on 5:00 AM., Jan. S/off 6:00 PM., Weinstein
1440	CKPM	Ottawa, Ont. MM S/off 2:00 AM., Edmunds
1460	KENO	Lus Vegas, Nev. MM S/off 3:01 AM., Weinstein
1470	WHFY	Huntington, W.Va. Jan. S/off 5:31 PM., Weinstein
1480	WBLU	Salem, Va. Jan. S/off 5:30 PM., Weinstein
1480	KWIZ	Santa Ana, Cal. MM S/off 2:59 AM., Weinstein
1490	WOMI	Owensboro, Ky. S/off 1:00 AM., Weinstein
1500	WSEM	Donaldsonville, Ga. Jan. S/off 6:00 PM., Weinstein
1500	WAYK	Vulpuráiso, Ind. Jan. S/off 5:45 PM., Johnson
1510	WMEX	Boston, Mass. Had ET & TT on 1/11 starting at 2:00 AM., Edmunds
1520	WRSB	Stanford, Ky. Had test 1/9 @ 1:30-2:00 AM., Johnson
1510	WJCO	Jackson, Mich. Had ET on 1/11 starting at 2:06 AM., Edmunds
1550	WSAO	Sunittobin, Miss. Jan. S/off 6:15 PM., Weinstein
1560	WONW	Hamilton, Ohio. Jan. S/off 5:28 PM., Johnson
1580	WKID	Urbana, Ill. Hrd R/C w Code word 1/8/65, No veri w-out code word.
1590	WZUM	Carnegie, Pa. Jan. S/off 5:10 PM., Weinstein. (Weinstein)
1590	WJOE	Richmond, Va. Had F/C-TT 1/8 at 12:30-12:45 AM., Johnson
1600	WFRY	Elizabethtown, Pa. had test 1/8 at 12:01-12:15 AM., Johnson.
-600	WMT	Waterloo, Iowa. had FC 3rd Sunday, 1/17 at 1:40 AM (start 1:30)

FC's next week, no room tonight, TNX Ev & Stove, JWB (Weinstein.)

Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

I missed last week due to pressure of work - Jan-Apr. is an accountant's nightmare, hi. Very little DX so far in '65 but lots left to report from Mid-Dec. 12/14- Log on WKMF-1470 for few minutes after 4:31 s/on; finally an ID from WBER-950 @ 4:49 asking for phone calls; WDMA-1150 s/on 4:57; CFCY-630 again at 5am ID; WWMT-620 s/on 5:01, CJET-630 didn't s/on this MM till 5:03 but once again killed shortly by WMAL ET; DXes from VOUS PJC7 & KVRW didn't make the scene. 12/16- An SSS night to remember. I had a ball on 940 5:55-6:35pm w/three new ones - WYLD KATQ & KIXZ, not enough on WYLD for a log but KATQ-940 in from 5:59-6:08 & KIXZ-940 from 6:28-6:35 when XE took over - CHM almost non-existent, 1580 produced the rest of the fireworks w, log on KLTR-1580 6:08-6:14 s/off, leaving KPIK-1580 in much of the time till 6:45 s/off; ID from KYND-1580 @ 7:09 & KDAY-1580 in briefly @ 7:46, decent log impossible. 12/17- KXJK-950 logged from 5:53-6:01 s/off on top; KWKH-1130 strong @ 6:02. 12/18- WPTN-1550 @ 6:45am, first time on RS. 12/20- WJAR-920 s/off 1:59; KIUP-930 r/c 2-2:08, TT on top & voice just u/WPAT. Another log on KUTT-1550 5:40-5:49pm s/off as didn't answer last year. Who on 1550 had Kansas City Chiefs FB between 5:50-6pm? Likely KKJO or KGM0. SS second best to CBE-1550 at 6:30, who is this guy? MM 12/21- XELO-800 unusually strong @ 12:05, log on WHEC-1460 1:51-1:57 s/off; KFRU-1400 @ 1:59, WWJC-1270 powerful 2:05-2:25 tancout; ID from CHVO-1250 came at 2:09; WAAP-1350 @ 2:17, ZBML-1235 unusually clear at 2:23; log on CKXL-1140 off/on 2:26-3:04, mostly off due to Cuban jammer. Like to know who said "Good Morning" in EE on 700 @ 2:47 during WJW lull! KXEO-1340 ID on r/c @ 2:56; KRKD-1150 s/off SSB @ 3am; real nice to find WBME-1230-DX making it relatively easily much of the time 3:07-3:41 w/QRM from WCOL mainly; WDAF-610 AN & no sign at all of CKML. WSBP-1580 logged on r/c 3:50-3:56; had a real wierdie on 730 @ 3:57. "This is station WPIT, 730 kc/s., broadcasting from East Lansing, Michigan." Then repeated. I give up, what is WPIT doing in East Lansing? (WVIC, East Lansing, Wayne? -ERC) I believe I had much needed CKCM-620 @ 4am (s/on?) but went u/WUSUN. CBH-860 strong then; no such luck that CKEY would take a powder this MM so no VOCM. 12/23- CBL off 12:15 so got up @ 3am, not best CX but log on CKLG-730 spasmodicaly 2:59-3:33, one of Ernie's Castro-Oilers ruinged what I believe was needed KTRH-740 as NX item mentioned Houston @ 3:04. Who ETed on 1560 @ 3:12? CKEW-1000 fairly clear u/WCEL/CFRB slop 3:35-7:50pm.

Andy Rugg - 16 Lake Breeze - Pointe Claire, Quebec

New veries are WUNO-1320pp Andorra-818 CKTR-1150-DX WJNG-1600 RNE-584 WWJC-1270-TEST Sweden-1178/1223 WDCJ-1220-TEST CFGT-1270 WNBH-1340 CBR-1010. After recovering from several joyous musical outbursts of "Jack Rosenthal" as 1965 began, I somehow managed to log CFGT-1270 & WNBH-1340 in the AM of 1:1 w/intoxication surprisingly attenuated! 1/4- I believe WRGM-1540 f/c 12:27am but not sure; Szolnok-1187 after 12:34 for my #50 country; Radio Caroline-1520 wedged through CFOX-1470 slopover after lam; no go w/OAX-2Q-1210 as HJFF ruled; CBR-1010 1:59, unn WMYR-1410 ET/V 2:30; CKXL-1140 2:52; CKTE-610 a new ANer but unn; WHWV-950 ET 4:03; WTUF-840 TEST murdered by CKVL-850 but a report was still possible. 1/11- W/CFRA-580 off, I chased ANer o/CKY, hoping for CKWW, but CFRA came back before they IDed (exact time not jotted down). Fruitless efforts were made at IDing the 575 German, and the 1385 TA (language unknown), and logging XEABC-760. Then KGBT-1530 DX was killed by unn HDL and CFOX killed WSWL-1520-DX on three radios here. As you can see, a nearby ANer playing c/w can really mess things up, even on a workhorse RX like the AR-88D! Howard Fountain: CJNR-730 is a toughie to verify, my 1962 v/s was Paul Leonard, AM. Wayne P.: I checked 1400-CBCer for a CJFP ID but they only ID as "Radio Canada". Correspondents: Too much work on term paper during vacation means you should not count on any letters until May. Sorry. Canadian NRCers: On 1/11 we celebrated Sir John A. MacDonald's 150th birthday; did you? 73.

Leo Fox - c/o United Kennels Hill Mines - Elsa P. O., Yukon Territory

1/6, saw a great TP & TA opening here. Highlights were long-awaited log on VOA-1140 Phillipines & logging of long-sought Vatican-1529. But Cully's got it. Reports are out to Alaska Hawaii Asiatic Russia Moldavia Ukraine, White Russia, China, Sweden, Luxembourg, Poland, England, Scotland, Wales, N. Ireland & E. Germany, Phillipines, Greenland Australia, N.Z., France & S. Korea as I write, soon to go to W. Germany & Austria Only domestic bit is CHFI-1540 log @ 9:02am 1/6. Dawson & Mayo are still 60° below. If I'm at Cedar, I'll donate two of Al Oster's "Yukon Gold" albums as prizes and a couple of cases of Lethbridge "Ginger Ale" heh heh. Dr. Pepper's, indeed, Stan Morss! Thanks for the entertaining menagerie, Ralph, you dirty old man, hi.

January 16, 1965

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Ron Schatz - 510 N.E. 158 Street - North Miami Beach, Florida - 33162

Greetings from the Land of Winter Fun and Sun. No, I'm not visiting here; I live here - hah! Anyway, DX has been slow but good since last time. No new domestics, but some good foreigners, like Yerevan-863, Tbilisi-1043, and EFJ57-1246 en las Canarias! More in the "golden pages" of KPND's News Director. That Arabic chanter on 1233 still has me alert, and any help on it would be appreciated. Roy Millar, your Baghdad-764 is a good catch; trans-ARCTIC, though, rather than trans-Atlantic. Also Roy, just as a point of info, you're about 200 miles closer to it than I am - just a point of info. Now, while I'm in the mood to opionate, I wish to say that I cannot accept "I don't understand the lingo" as an excuse for staying clear of foreign DX. Although I'm trilingual, I have several hundred stations in the logbook that sound like a lot of mumbo-jumbo to me, yet I search for them and log them. The secret - I use printed station lists and the tips from DX NEWS, especially the IDXD; I'd be at a loss without them. You strictly "domestic" DXers are like high-school drop-outs who do so in their senior year - you give up too easily. You know, that IDXD in the back is not there for decoration; those tips are for you to use. Remember- a strictly domestic DXer is only half a DXer! Now I'll flee the country, hi. 73s.

Alex Bowab - St. Mary's College - St. Mary, Kentucky - 40063

According to Birmingham's "Local Rag" WEZB-1220, which went off the air in 1963, was to return to the air as WAQY-1220 on 1/11, as the Steel City's twelfth BCBer. The former WEZB had given up the ghost after moving from 1320 to 1450 to 1220, changing license from Birmingham to Bessemer to Homewood (suburbs), and changing formats from rr to good nx to c/w to all-girl DJs. The definct CP was activated by four people, two of whom, Doug Layton and Tommy Charles, are ex-WYDE DJs. I located WAQY's studios but no one there. QTH is bessemer Highway (U.S. 11), Birmingham. Before returning to Kentucky, I had been bothered by a strong OC on 1420 evenings and AN. While in Tuscaloosa the night of 1/2, I found it to be local WACT-1420, Their remote control at studio had been failing to kick the rig off at XR site, and it had been remaining on at night. I called owner and then the CE; both denied knowing anything about it, when I "casually" mentioned something about FCC rules against daytimers being on at night, hi. Tuscaloosa's WTBC-1230 went 1,000/250 on 12/11. WTBC is still AN, off Thursday AMs only, 1-6. Bill Andres, your 1520 station is WTLN, Apopka (Orlando), Florida.

Matthew Geller - 61 Silver Spring Road - Short Hills, New Jersey

DX here is fantastic. Veries received recently from CHQM-1320 and KPIK-1580. 1/3- I stayed up and heard CKCK-620 at 2:04, PRG9-1040, WMNI-920, CKCW-1220. Nice seeing Gordon Nelson on my trip to Massachusetts. Inspired by the sensitivity of his set, I decided to fix up my Q-Multiplier. Boy, does it make a difference! I have an HD-11. 1/4, I believe Czech heard on 1286. On 845, Italy heard. On 1/5, Hilversum-746/was really coming in. At 6pm, I got tape of chimes and national anthem. Really strong. A bit of EE heard on 908, but nothing too positive. On 1095, I do believe Heard SSB @ 7:08. Who in the world? 1/8- Lisbon-665 coming in fair, taking a beating from WNBC. 638 kc/s. Czech heard 1/9; really incredible. At 6:18, FF heard on 1304 kc/s., possible Algeria. In the morning, Luxembourg-1439 heard, & Germany -1586. On 1403 at lam, I heard FF station. With SA off on 840, Nancy-I on 836 a cinch. At 1:15, tried Horby -1178, and found it was coming in almost like a local, w/some fading. Tried 1223, and sure enough, Sundsvall was there w/parrallel programming, cl mx. On 1554, FF one heard w/ease. A peep heard from EE pirate on 1495. Crowborough was coming in 10 o/S-9, about as good as WMCA. 73s and good DX to all.

Bob Pietsch - 66 Cleary Court - Apt. 1402 - San Francisco, California - 94109

Well, my Heathkit "Mohican" has been acting very nice of late w/the following new additions: 12/12- KWRO-630 9:07am u/KOH. 12/14- KVRE-1460 TEST 4am in like a local although their pattern is directly away from San Francisco; WYLD-940 4:32am s/off after ET. 12/20- KINS-980 6:45pm finally u/KCTY/KFWB; KBBR-1340 7:07pm in amazingly well for about 15 minutes. 12/21- WWJC-1270 TEST 3am in for one ID, then CHWK-1270 took o/ firequency relaying CBU AN mx. 12/28- JOBB-830 EE 4:55am; JOIR-1250 5:15am in very loud. WFEM-1260 5:44am; WKOW-1070 6:34am. 1/3- XEWK-1190 7:25 o/u KEX OC. 1/4- WTUF 840 TEST 4:31am kinda weak. 1/10- KAGI-930 10:45am u/KHJ/KNGL. 1/11- WCAU-1210 4:35a. in like a local, finally nabbed this one after a couple of years trying, 1210 had here due to images. Mailman has also been nice lately w/veries: KOL-1300 v/q KGNO-1370 KYJC 1230 WSUN-620 huge color v/q, KVRE-1400 v/q KING-1090 KWRO-630 KBBR-1340 v/r, KRKD-1150 for IRCA DX CHWK-1270 KLAC-570 WFEM-1260 v/q KPIK-1580 f/up Belize-834 large v/q XEWK-1190 & WTUF-840 says mine furthest report so far. Totals 508/271, states 86/36, pro-

Ken Butterfield - 624 Arthur Street - Plymouth, Michigan - 48170

Hi gang. DX has slightly slacked off due to school, but still manage to get a little in, and it is as follows: 1/3- CKCH-970 4:32am RS, in FF. WMBR-1460 5:10am and IDed as "The New WMBR." 1/4- WHB-710 12:11am for my first 710 logging other than WOR and local daytimer CJSP. XEQR-1030 12:30am w/S-10 signal till WBZ ran OC. WPAL-730, 1:15 am f/c. It seemed like every Detroit station was on a f/c. Among them: WXYZ WJR WWJ WJLB WEKL WAAM & WQTE. What a mess! 1/10- WLWL-1330, 2:03am on RS. Latest veries are as follows: v/q- KMA WHWB (a much needed one, back in four days) WFLI WAPI (all torn up in the mail). v/l- WPIT WREO WACO & WNYC. Latest totals are as follows: 668/623. Contest totals (domestic) stand at 40. I have been trying in vain for a Hawaiian station, but still no luck w/either KORL or KHVH, although on 1/10, I heard for about ten minutes a series of EE songs played with some talking from a male announcer, possibly it could have been HH (Hawaiian, hi). Also I logged RTF-944 & 1205; will try again. Anyone have an old UHF converter they'd like to sell cheap, or give to a worthy charity (me)? Have also logged Dakar-764 on several occasions w/20/9 signals for a logging, What language they speak? Swahili or sumthin'? Sounded like a combination between a Mass and Arabic chanting, hi. Well, will say 73 for now, best of DX, and I will be awaiting your reply.

Frank Merrill Jr. - 10693 Saline-Milan Road - Milan, Michigan - 48160

Hello there to you-all from the Land of many Europeans and few veries, which sums about everything up. I left off last time after 12/21, so here I go: DDR-1043 heard for nearly an hour 12/27, first from behind the Iron Curtain. RTF-944 & BBC-647 Crowborough, ZEM1-1235 all logged on MM 12/28. Domestic that date: KYMN-1520 at 3:15 (I thought they were off MMs? They don't give us much of a chance for Carolines that way), WCPA-1100 s/off @ 4:30pm (SSS catch). Also, I heard Callarman's station KPDN-1340 through many, briefly at 1:25 on their r/c, my best graveyarder for over two years and one of the best ever. 1/9- TGRT-685 loud all evening, "Radio Fabulosa." 1/11- KGBT-1530, but I got only their opening ID at 4am. CKTR-1150 at 4:11 in FF. And, the best catch has been saved to the very last. Radio Caroline North-1520! This gem was heard 3:15-3:26am on MM 1/11, and was reported. This is my first illegal station! Also, it was unlucky (?) European #13 in my log, hi. I hope they verify, also send me the four bumper stickers I asked for (not reserved for trade, as I have reserved them for certain people). This station was the "most-wanted station in the world" here, and was really happy to get it, hi. Two veries in since last report, both v/l's: Sottens-764, & 4QN-630. 4QN verified tentative report of last November. Very welcome here, Aussie & Aussie state #3 verified. They went and goofed the whole thing up by using an ABC form letter (I prefer personal letters, hi). I mailed the report to Townsville, but verie was issued from Brisbane; what goes? More call letter combinations: HIT (1260 in Santo Domingo) and WMIS. WANT, WISH. CHUM, WPAL. Something to look at: wGAL, hi. Well, that's it, and 73seses.

Roger Winsor - 7001 West Stanley Avenue - Berwyn, Illinois - 60403

Biggest news here, besides 13 new stations in the last week is that I finally bought a new radio, a Hallicrafter S-108 which is really doing a good job of cracking all those hard to hear frequencies such as 730 and 1500. I have strung out a 60' longwire which is running almost due E/W and have had a ball. Recent DX by date is: 12/28- WFOR-1400 heard on f/c 2:03-2:10, KRKD on IRCA DX good both powers, WGAN-560 heard on RS for my first Maine at 4-4:05 w/NX, WDEL in like a bomb for DX, verified back quickly, too. 1/4- KSEN in w/good signal as Ray & I both copied them, WITA-1140 s/on 4am o/u jammer/CKXL. @ took log on WQXI as WTAR was off for once, 13 minutes of WTUF before WHAS hit the air w/carrier. Oops, I ~~got~~ forgot 1/8 with new WISV-1360 Viroqua, Wis. on ET/M 2-2:15. WBTH-1400 Williamson, W.Va. 3:17-3:30 TT per f/c list. 1/11- WPAL-730 heard on f/c, CKWX w/NX @ 2:05. I thought I had either Alaska or Hawaii on 1090 as I had some c/w mx for a while, but then some 4Qw. relay of CBC came in. Who were they? No KGBT. Wha happen? I called down there & no answer so it looked like somebody forgot to get up. WSVL DX in only fair for lkw. & then I guess WKEW-TT really creamed them, so off to bed. Some KYMN QRM. Other new stations are KSID-1340 r/c 1/14, WVIC on ET 1/17 2:04-2:17 ID, WXMT RS 1/17 5-5:25, KROE r/c. KCAB also along w/KBMR. WELB heard o/u w/one ID, WGIC-1500 Xenia, O. RS @ 4:30. WMMH 1/8 along w/WSEL both on f/c. Recent veries are WTUF for TEST, KBMR WKOP QSL card, KRKD QSL, KSEN w/the most beautiful verie yet, WAGL form letter, WDEL WDCJ w/nice form letter. Totals now 1,958/186. States, 49/42. Provinces, 10/5.

Michael Silvera - 5 Trenton Avenue - Kingston 8, Jamaica

Oh boy! It was good this week! I'm making a lot of noise down here. I logged my first Canadian, CBE-1550 Windsor, 3:51am 1/10. Looking at the map, this is about the lowest point in Canada, but it is still a Canadian. This little five tube Philco I'm using is sure good, but I am getting a new RX soon. Since 11/23 I have logged 278 stations from 20 countries and 26 states. U.S., 129; Colombia, 52. States, Florida, w/ 53. Here's DX. 1/6- WHAS-840 s/off 12:04am, WOAI-1200 2:29, WWVA-1170 o/loud het, 2:35, WADC/WSMB-1350, 3:30. WNEW-1130 ID at 4am, WSCM-1420, Canal Zone, 4:47am. 1/7- WKY-930 2:43am. WTAR-790 3am. WFUN, more like 795. No wonder they complain about PJB! WSM-650 straight through La Voz de Cuba, 3:22. WDEF/WBSM-1420 4:24am, WWOK-1480 4:50 o/WRDW! WKIZ-1500 u/WTOP 6:05am. 1/8- WSPB-1370 3:30, WSAI o/WKAT-1360 3:33. KELI-1430 o/unID Mexican, 4:47. WRAI-1520, Rio Piedras, P.R. at s/on 5am. WCSC/WQIC-1390, 5:43. WTNT-1270 6:17, WAME-1260 6:25, WRDQ/WQXT-1340 7:10, WGMA-1320 7:35, WEZY-1350 8:30, WSPB-1450 8:49am. 1/9- WPOP-1410 4:21, W000-1310 s/on 5:59, WELF-1590 8:17. 1/10- WGH-1310 2:51, KXYZ-1320 2:28, WAVY-1350, 3:14. WHK-1420 3:30. WMIE-1140, no jammer!, in SS. WTIL-1300, Puerto Rico. 1/11- WYZE-1480 4:14am, WPON-1460 4:43, WTOB-1380 o/WGUS & about three others; then WSIZ-1380 5:32am. WMAZ u/WINZ-940 at 6:01am. WLIK-1270 6:14, WAPI-1070 6:23, WHYY-1270 6:37am. Do you count outlets such as "La Voz de Cuba" numerous ones separate from the same station as Radib Rebelde and Radio Nacional during day, as different stations and Cuba Libre - WWL-870. Omigosh, I have too many lines but paper narrow. 73s to you all. (It's 30 lines of DX NEWSprint! -ERC) (You have ten more lines at your disposal, Michael -ERC)

Stan Morris - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

1/5- WQXL-1470 Columbia, S.C. test, 3:04-3:25 s/off, QRM by CFOX but no sign of WSAW. WJAR-920 in Providence noted AN this AM. Veries, WDCJ & WWJC. 2/6, PM- Dresden-1043 with good signals 5:35-6pm, report & tape off. Also noted two different Spanish on 1106 5:20pm but their SS is something different from my Puerto Rican SS, poor as it is. 1/9- TT on 1450, 3:03-3:30am, no ID. WKVK-1550 Virginia Beach 3:45am u/CBE. WHOK-1320 s/on 4am. WJVA, South Bend, Ind. musical test 4:08-4:30. Verie, WAGL. 1/11- WCMB test, 12:20am. RTF on 1403 kc/s. 12:54-1:30. At 1:30 the network seemed to split and three separate programs copied - report to HQ hopefully, maybe three veries. Caroline-1495 w/terrific signal this AM, 2:00 and on. SS on 1525 2:20am and till about 2:45. Mx easy, but IDs very distorted. Lots of U.S. tunes. KYMN-1520 in Oregon City o/Caroline at 4:30 u/WKEW OC. WSVL-1520 Shelbyville, Ind. at 4:43 u/KYMN & o/Caroline w/WKEW OC & TT, and one ID from KOMA. WSVL very weak and not heard here before. SSB on 1520 at 5am, but WKEW s/on 5:01 covered - is this WRAI? KGBT, I presume, u/ Dominican Republic on 1530, unn, and would have made almost impossible copy. WHN seemed to be off - CHUM only, this AM.

Alvan E. Fisher - 5 Peregrine Road - Newton, Massachusetts - 02159

As this is my first Musing and I am a new member, I thought I should introduce myself. I am a Sophomore at Newton South High School and I've been DXing for about 14 months. My standing are: 110 veries, states 25/24; provinces 5/5. Recent loggings are WRNL-910 WMHI-1370 WSAY-1370 CBZ-1480 WSYB-1380 CKLM-1570 CFGB-1310 CMHQ-640. I think I had YVQB-720, but I don't know SS. The next night I had found out what Y-V-Q-B is in SS, but WGN was too strong. Latest Vs are: WWSW-970 WTSN-1270 CKOY-1310 CJBC-860 w/local WHDH's full 50,000 watts on, WVAM-1430 CFNB-550 WHLI-1100, & I got two WFBL v/qe for the same report. By the way, do GBM or CBF verify? Two reports to each, one of CBF's in FF. For the last few SMS I've been getting up around 4:30am or 5 when WHDH-850 is off. Once WHDH had TT on for 30 minutes so I gave up then, & the next week the TT was off but it kept coming on, so again I gave up. How about a few Specials on Sat. & Sun. for us school kids? It's pretty rough to be up at 3-4am & then at 8am be bright-eyed in school. My 1/9 DX NEWS never came, I think it was 'burnt to a cinder' in the Boston Postal Annex Fire. A lot of mail from upstate N.Y. coming to Boston was 'charred' so I think my precious DX NEWS is also one of the many ashes at that Postal Annex. One last thing, which is better for a domestic & Canadian DXer like me, the VJ Log or the WRH? Well, it's back to homework & 73s and 19-4s to all. (Welcome to the NRC, Alvan, and for domestic DX, the VJ Log is unsurpassed! We hope you'll report often! -erc)

Henry T. Tyndall Jr. - 285 North Street - Burlington, Vermont - 05401

Milestones: Verie #4,625 12/15. Kentucky joins Century Club, I had 99 for almost a year before landing #100. Eighteenth state to go 100 or over. Miss. is 98 & S.C. 96, prospects? Wow! What mast-heads our Mr. R. Cooper put on the Holiday DX NEWS! (P. 7)

(Hank Tyndall) Very nice! In Muse of 11/28, I forgot our hard working Iowan when complimenting our great staff, Len Kruse's efforts are terrific! KYMN-1520 DX hampered by Caroline but gave us a good plug at 3:55. Thank-you sent; already verified. KROW-1460 good but KWHE didn't show. Clevedon-1457 was spread all over that AM. I verified PJC7-2 in 1958 and Hoyer I-1010 also. However, I had overdue report to PJB2-1385 so copied the 1500 DX. The "squirty" notes of electric organ & steel guitar helped. I got three cards back, Hoyer I-1010, II-1500 & III-1385; lovely cards w/embossed islands. Recently added PJAB-775 so now I have ten in the Netherlands Antilles group, almost par for the course. WEME swarmed o/WCPO. I also have WLKN-1450. HJFF-1210 "Radio Amiga" boomed in on 1/4 so if OAX2Q was on, they were sunk. Canadian DX booming, CJEa-1450 added only because of Andy Rugg's tip - merci, Andy. Ralphie, you are quite an ornithologist - that was a humming bird on CKAY verie - glad you didn't call it a Blue Jay, hi! WGMS-570 verified on only test I ever knew them to have, most wanted call in U.S.A. for me. KCAM-790 verified last October says first E of Mississippi River. Miserable AM. WGN, WLW, etc. very weak. I remember KICY Nome was heard u/similar poor CX. These almost impossible Alaskans like it when the going is rough, maybe Gordon Nelson can explain why this happens. I have 21 in Alaska as a Territory & one is a 50-watter & several are 250w., however, CX are much harder now. Alaska is a tough state to hear in the E u/present CX. Ben Dangerfield posed a moot observation when he weighed modern equipment, specific logs & 'know-how' against the haphazard methods, inexperience, of yesteryear. With the clear channels we enjoyed, DXing would have been heavenly. I got Perth, Australia on a Zenith four-tube regenerative set, using but two tubes for phone. In 1927, a N.J. DXer got an Aussie on a one-tube set! Ah, those were the happy days! Oh well, we now use skill instead of a rabbit's foot - it is still a great hobby. 73.

Ben Dangerfield - 202 Governor's Drive - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19013

At about the half-way point of this season I can say that it has been a good one, perhaps a great one, so far. There hasn't been a stretch of real bad reception yet, although right now I would say I am in a small slump, as far as new DX is concerned. But since 9/1/64 I have added 28 foreign and 11 domestic veries, including seven new countries. And like most of the other "foreign" DXers, I have many reports still out, several of them to new countries. From past experience I have found that two or three months isn't uncommon for a long distance verie, so I am trying to be patient. On 1/3 I had a pleasant visit from Carl Parsons, and we spent an hour or so discussing foreign DX. I wish there were more members in the Philadelphia area, but I'm glad to see that others are joining NRC and moving nearby. MM 1/4 was not very successful, but I did note KRDS-1190 at 2am s/off. I understand CX were good later that AM. In the PM I made a surprise logging of VOA-791, Thessalonika, on w/Johnson's speech & off at 9:50 pm. On 1/5 & 1/6, the band was alive from 1090 to 1220 kc/s. w/E. Europe signals. Vilnius-1106 and Moscow-1115 were in parallel w/tremendous signals both evenings between 9:30 & 10:45pm, & Leningrad-1124, Kiev-1169 & Tallinn-1214 were also heard briefly. Since then there hasn't been much of great interest to me. MM 1/11 seemed to have good DX, & I noted TAs well past 4am, but nothing new was worth reporting. I hope I'm not resting on my laurels! Veries have been coming in, & here they are: WWJC-1270 WAGL-1560 (both on Specials) W.I.B.S. St. Vincent-705 (letter saying main station will also send a QSL); Sofia-827 (card & letter) Caroline South-1495 a QSL letter for a 9/13 report, HIPJ-890, "Radio Popular" 2ho sent a v/l w/a clipping attached. The clipping had a photostat of my letter which had been printed in a Radio Popular ad in a Santo Domingo newspaper. Now I can join the ranks of those NRCers who have made the papers! Received today were veries from WMDD-1480 for their DX & my best of the season to date, Radio Yerevan-863, Armenian SSR for country #85. I hope to have more in a week or so.

Dan Meissner - 5308 Tenth Court South - Birmingham, Alabama

I haven't listened in several weeks. I didn't get much listening in over the holidays as my RX conked out. Well, I got a new one yesterday, an HQ-180A! Just learning how to work it & I still have to put up a new antenna. Latest I've heard is WPLO-590 WGB-720 WSAI-1360 WABC-770 KRMG-740 WCCO-830 XEG-1050 KYW-1100. Also logged WDAF-610 on 1/13 w/local WSGN off the air for PoP test. Latest QSLs from WCKY WDAF WGN WSAI WCCO WBBM. Reports still out to KDKA WPLO WHAM XEG WABC. New station opened here in Birmingham last week. It is WAQY (Wacky) on 1220 kc/s. It is on from sunrise to sunset. I am trying to get info on power, f/c, etc, and I will pass this along as soon as I find out. So long till next Musing. Good DXing! (Dan, what's the dif between HQ-180 & HQ180 AS THEY SAY IN SOUTH DAYTONA, "WELE". This is DX NEWS "WHERE EXPERIENCED LISTENERS A?")

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Glen Kreidler - Box 2850 - St. B - Vanderbilt University - Nashville 5, Tennessee
Greetings from "The Athens of the South". This is my first report in quite a while! It's the first since DXing from the QTH in Tennessee. Using an HQ-145 w/50' of copper wire strung between two steam pipes, my foremost problem seems to be curbing the fluorescent problem QRM all over the bands, any ideas would be welcomed. Now to DX, which is meager by most standards. 12/3- WBIB w/old rr o/WAKR from 2:38-3am on ET, QTH is Centreville, Ala. & CE Ed Honicutt claimed no r/cs. Same morning, weak signal u/KXEL believed WOGA, Sylvester, Ga. on ET. 12/7- New WBRI-1500 in Indianapolis playing gospels for ET. 1/8- Only CJRN Niagara Falls at 4:08am, & KABL at 3:30 w/weak QRM from KOOL in Phoenix. 1/11- Religious program on 1090 from 2:27-3am IDed as "50,000 watt Gospel station." QTH sounded like Southern Cal., but only KING on at that time, is it they? (I think it's XERB, Rosarito Beach, Glen -ERC) KGBS finally at 3am w/NX for #3 in L.A. NRC DX of WSVL on 1520 came in at S-9 only to be KOed by lights at 4:30. 1/13- S/off KELO Sioux Falls at 2am good input. 2:05, ET from WBUG on 1430, 1,000w. but QTH garbled by KELI's c/w, WIL's rr & WIRE. Any help, Ernie? (Don't know -ERC) KAKE-1240 Wichita Kans. s/off MM @ 2am, to 5:55. WRBC-1300 seems AN MM w/YL DJ. On the local scene, WMAK-1300 s/off 1am; MMs at midnight; WKDA still AN except MM, new WWGG-1560 w/10,000w. no night tests, plays cl mx. WENO now nighttime w/5,000w., s/off midnight regularly. Format is c/w. 'Nough said from here. 73.

Alan Merriman - 7504 Montrose Street - Alexandria, Virginia - 22312

DX continues to roll along at a great pace here. Fourteen new stations this week, so here's DX. 1/8- KLRA-1010 Little Rock, Ark. @ 9:15pm for my fourth try for a verie from this one. 1/9- KROE-930 Sheridan, Wyo. o/& through WPAT on their r/c at 2:10, per list. KUSD-690 Vermillion, S.D. at 5:40am on r/c, my first S.D. & state #49, any suggestions for Alaska? (Yes, Alan - visit Roy Millar, hi -ERC - and take me with you!) 1/10- KRUX-1360 Glendale, Ariz. @ 2:45am. KGLC-910, Miami, Okla. @ 3:30, fighting w/WPFB. Apparently this one AN, at least on SMS. 1/11- CBV-980 Quebec, Que. @ 3:25, CBC AN mx. KRKO-1380 Everett, Wash. in nicely @ 3:50, o/WBNX. KGBT-1530 Harlingen, Tex. heard w/much QRM on their DX program 4-4:30am. WSVL-1520 Shelbyville, Ind. in nicely on DX @ 4:30-4:45 despite WKEW/KOMA/KYMN. WGTO-540 Cypress Gardens, Fla. @ 5:30pm. KWMT-540 Ft. Dodge, Ia. s/off @ 6:15. Radio St. Pierre-1375 for a report 7:15-8:01 s/off. 1/12- Radio Veronica-1562 in nicely at 2:40-3am. 1/14- WICC-600 Bridgeport, Conn. @ 2am, o/& through WCAO. Eight new veries this week: v/q- CKSM. v/l- KUSD WRAN WSVL CFOX. v/f- KPIK WTUF & a card from KXOK. 73 & good DX.

Lt. Tom Arko - 482-d Gulick Drive - Fort Monroe, Virginia

Greetings. Recently I acquired a Hallicrafters S-120 for \$40, a bargain I couldn't pass up. I guess I'll use it as an auxiliary RX after I get my HQ-180 (I hope). DX has been nothing spectacular due to the fact that I'm using only the built-in antenna, but I'm presently gathering the materials for a loop. DXes so far this season are those from WBZB & WPSL. I called WPSL & chatted w/Mr. Lynch, who informed me that his brother lives on the "Peninsula." He announced my name over the air at about 4:28 - large charge, hi. He also had calls from South Bend, Montreal, and Pampa, Texas. Veries are: v/l- WPSL WBZB WKAZ. v/c, WELI. Reports out to WHYY CBL WDAF & WCLE. I am starting my seventh year as the NRC's most inactive DXer. My totals are reports/veries: 220/209; states 42/40; countries 7/6. Bill Woodfield of Norfolk, I would like to get in touch w/you but no phone number is listed in Norfolk directory. Why not give me a call at 723-6156? To the Connecticut Browns' fans: I was home on leave during Christmas holidays & watched our team stomp them Colts. Splendid contest. I've got an extra copy of the Browns' 1964 press, radio, television guide free for the asking to the first Browns' fan who writes. 73s from the Transplanted Clevelander.

Vinny Cavaseno - 111-20 124 Street - South Ozone Park, New York - 11420

Hi all! DX here quite good, not much time to listen, though. 12/21 - KCBC-1390 @ 4:27am. 12/27- WKOP DX, WKMI-1360. 12/28- XEQ-940, WLAQ-1410 s/off @ 2am, WHEC-1460, WIRL-1290, KRKD IRCA DX 1150. 1/3- WTUF-840-TEST, WVCP-970, CBV-980 WONE-980 w/ET just before 5am. 1/10- CBN relay on 1190, is that CBNC? Where and how strong are they? (Stephenville, Nfld., 40w. -ERE) KRKO-1380 @ 4am between WBNX s/off & WGUS s/on. KGBT DX in weak, almost obliterated by SS. WSVL DX ruined by WKEW. 1/13- WJW-850 @ 3:30am. Veries: WBZB WPSL WFLI Radio Caroline, which was fabulous on 1/10, WERE WQOK KGBS KRKD WTUF WOMB. I'm starting out in SCs. I have WMCA WABC WINS KONO KRLA WQOK WICE WGLI WNOR w/traders from WMCA WABC WGLI & WINS along w/Billy Andres. I will appreciate all SC help. SCers, please write! 73s to all and good DX.

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Joe Fela - 167 Goodwin Avenue - Newark, New Jersey - 07112

Recent veries are v/fs from WTUF-840-TEST, Radio Caroline South-1495 WSVL-1520-DX, WBRN-1460. v/qs from WBME-1230 DX & WMDD-1480 DX & a v/1 from WLPO-1220 as well as a postcard from WKVK-1550. And now for recent DX: 1/11- 1:25am, WCAZ-990 r/c-TT o/u CBW who was in like a local almost; 4:22 KYMN-1520 AN, up to S-5; 4:31 WSVL-1520-DX u/o KYMN, u/WKBW OC; 4:52 WABC-770 S-1 on 880, never knew of that image before; 5:05 s/on WTJH-1260, seemed to say that daily s on is 5am. 1/12- WKOY-1240 beginning a f/c; 1:43 WVIC-730 ET/M per RHC's tip, thanks! 2:17, WLOS-1380 r/c-TT o/WBNX. 1/13- 3pm, WESR-1330 o/local WEVD! 1/14- 2:02am, WNXT-1260 r/c-TT. 1/15- 12:50am, Radio Caroline North-1520 u/WKBW w/tname song, 1:00 s/off, WWOD-1390. WAEB-790 has increased daytime power, don't know to what, and they are now almost like a local here. Their signal is now 10/S-9 as compared w/S-5 formerly. To those of you wondering who has the university programming on 1460 MMs, it's KENO-1460. Wayne Plunkett, what do you mean, the Hound's back? He's still here, w/WNJR-1430 Saturday afternoons. He's been at WNJR o/ a year now. C U in two or three weeks. 73.

David Gnauck - 444 Old Hook Road - Westwood, New Jersey - 07675

M#4. An excellent week for veries w/14 in and 16 Contest points. Totals now stand at 457/689 w/states 49/44. The only DX for the past week was on MM 1/11 AM & is contained here. One note, WCAU was noted w/poor signal AN. WIRY, N.Y. 1340, RS, s/off at 1am. KELO-1320 RS s/off @ 1:40; at last, a good report for my only S.D. station. WICO-1320 ETing w/ID at 1:09 and rest OC; Radio Caroline-1520, RS - I have taken a few reports but but this is the first one sent. I listened for KGBT and recorded on the frequency for 15 minutes. All I heard at the time was an SS but when played tape back one ID had made it & I plan to send a copy to them. WSVL-1520 in poor also u/OC at 40/9 from WKBW and Radio Caroline who was noted till 5am! WBBB RS s/on at 5:30 per DXDD w/SSB & then c/w on 920. WLNH-1350 on RS w/s/on at 5:50 per DXDD. It's Friday and the DX NEWS hasn't come. Where has the great P.O. Dep't. sent it this time? Next time I renew I'm trying first class. Veries in this week are: v/1- WRNL on f/up, KUDL (address now to Joe Jones, CE) CJSO for Christmas, WACO verifying tentative report. By the way, JWB, University of Detroit stuff on 1460 at 2:55am was KENO, Nevada. WYZE WTRX WBCM on f/up, WARB for much wanted verie for Hurricane Watch on 10/4. v/q- CKSM CKLM/W WTUF was on map. Maps also from CKSM CJSO KUDL. That's about 45 of them and if anyone wants to get rid of any I'll play garbage man, hi. I'm looking forward to KUPD greatly but are they really 10,000w? Again I say keep the v/s list as it was. Fellow members, speak out. That's it for now so 73s & good listening or would you consider them equivalent? / Rich Gula - 56 Sears Street - Middletown, Connecticut - 06457

Hi fellows. First off, many thanks for all those Christmas greetings I received from you guys. I'm sorry I neglected to send them too, but tell me when your birthdays are & I'll send you all presents, hi. Hey, Mr. Barton down there in Alabama, you'll be real surprised when you see my totals in the Contest, hi. Here is recent DX: 12/21- WWJC-1270 on TEST, real clear, verie back; WBME-1230 on DX real weak, but readable u/all on 1230. WIVI-970 u/WWSW muller, are AN. WBIR-1240 @ 3:54 w/f/c. 12/20- CKDA-1220 coming in nicely @ 4am, verie in, v/1. 12/25 -Noted both WLEO & CFNS on AN on 1170, & that's all. 12/28- WISN-1150 @ 1:04 s/off, CKSA-1150 @ 1:11 RS, are rr, came in good. KRKY-1150-DX came in about 80% of the time, WBOR-1260 @ 5:01 along w/WN00, both on s/on. 12/31- WSLS-610 @ 4:34pm, are rr. 1/4-MM- WJNC-1240 @ 12:41 r/c-TT, KGHL-790 clear @ 2:07 s/off, WTUF DX real nice, verie back already, & finally CFCN-1060 AN @ 2:13, rr. 1/9- WBUX-1570 @ 5pm. 1/11-MM- WCLI-1450 1:25 w/f/c, WSVL-1520 DX pretty bad, being bombed by KYMN Oregon City, the surprise of my life when I heard them They were twice as loud as their DX was. KGBT was a real washout, but I did get a few details for a report, hope it's enough. Last, WSRC-1410 @ 4:59 s/on. Veries have been fantastic lately, w/11 in one week, a new high, & six in one day. The biggest surprise was a good one, as KRDS sent everything but the tower to verify my third report. New OM will verify all correct reports. Was state #49 for me - now to get Alaska. What a season! I am real glad to get into the Domestic Contest, as I am completing states I never dreamed of hearing. To those to whom I owe letters, I have lots of work, so you'll just have to wait. Those in line for letters are Frank Merrill Don Eggert, Joe Boatwright, Bill Bens, Ed Semrad, & tapes are due Rich Heald & Don Eggert. Anyone looking for a good RX, get the Lafayette HA-230, a real RX for only \$90. FM, you'll be getting a long-wanted SC in a little while - one you really need. So until next week, this is NRC Agent 10325 signing off & tune in next week. Oh, don't forget your glass of Tackle before bed, hi.

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Dave Doswell - 6420 Rolling Hills - Fort Wayne, Indiana - 46804

E/14- To Wayne Plunkett - Thanks for telling about (or not telling about, hi) that Collingwood, Ont. station. The one I heard must have been CHAT. Since last time I've gotten a v/1 from WYLO. DX: 12/26- CKLB-1350 @ 1:45. WIOS-1480 @ 2am. Then from 2-2:15 a TTer on 1480 IDing at 2:10. The only thing I can make of the ID is WCFR which is in Springfield, Vt. Now I've heard this fourth Saturday TTer twice, 2:00-2:15, in November & December. First station of the New Year, 1/3, KTLW-920 at 5:05am. WPRO-630 (Rhode Island) at 5:16. Then Santo Domingo Television, HISS-620 at 5:25. WDAK-540 at 5:40. WQIK-1280 at 6:06am. 1/4- A new province in CFCY-630 at 4:05am. Then WTUF TEST WCVS-1450 @ 4:45. WPNX-1460 at 4:52 s/on. WLCM-1360 @ 5:05. 1/9- WICC-600 at 12:15am KSTL-690 @ 9:01am. 1/11- WCHV-1260 @ 5:02 s/on. WTIK-690 @ 5:24. Then, trying for KGLC I got so mad at KLCN I turned the loop perpendicular to KLCN and got WDOR-910, s/off @ 5:30pm. 1/14- While trying (again & again) for WDBC-680, I got CJOB @ 4:15am. Who was to be a night owl to DX? Next station heard will be #700! Yippee! Good DX, 73.

John Callarman - Box 1914 - Pampa, Texas - 79066

I certainly enjoyed the Rose Bowl trip, & the opportunity to chat w/Norm Maguire & Hank Wilkinson by telephone. Though my Oregon State Beavers fell flat in the second half, it was a real fine trip, & has, as a result of the pilot's use of the various homing beacons, whetted my interest in LW utilities DX. And, no RX to put to use. Morning of 1/11 was a disappointment, w/only the usual Europeans coming in (catch me saying that three years ago!) so I went to bed to avoid complete exhaustion Monday night. Only one of my 16 European countries reported this season has verified, but I assume others will come back in due time. I particularly hope to get back a verie from Ireland and Austria. Andy Rugg, who logged the Austrian at the same time as I heard someone on 1025 says it was the same station he heard, so mbucho, mbwana. Now to chase 584 & 1376 for Southern Rhodesia, & 880 for Malaysia! One of these days, I'm gonna get some audio on 735's carrier, too! I now have reported 46 countries, w/28 verified. Unanswered yet from previous seasons are Virtin Islands, Argentina, Uruguay, Panama, Honduras, France, Portugal, Peru & now countries reported this season include Austria, Ireland, Senegal, Spain, Monaco, Andorra, German F.R., North Korea, Barbados, & Ecuador. Nicaragua, British Honduras & Wales are new ones verified, for total of 28. I expect reports to go out also to Dominican Republic, St. Pierre, China, British Guiana, to hit 50 reported, and hopefully 10 or more others. Five of the eight countries inverified from past season's reports have been verified this season, so things are looking up! Started the year w/25 countries verified. I hope to close it out w/50. Only one country has been verified exclusively from locations other than the Panhandle of Texas, that being England, and I have three reports out to 647 1214 & 1088, so expect that to be taken care of. I certainly appreciate the cooperation all of our wonderful foreign DX tuners have offered to make IDXN such a fine product each week, despite this bumble-fingered typist at the compilation end. I believe the 1/7 issue of DX NEWS was the biggest, fat test weekly bulletin in the history of DX clubs! 73.

Billy Andrés - 11135 128 Street - South Ozone Park - Queens - New York - 11420

Hello again. I'm snowed in from FB today, hi, and thought I'd write in. Vinny C. & I both have WINS-1010 SCs. Latest DX: 1/2- WRSC s/off @ 5:16pm. 1/10-AM- WHRY (finally) s/off @ 1am, CBU @ 1:30, CKWS s/off @ 1:34, WWJ @ 2:05 RS, KPRC s/off @ 2:08, KFLN -TTing, I think, ID @ 2:13. Positive about the ID. This must be a new one. (What frequency, Billy? -erc) ~~XXXXXXXXXX~~ CBO @ 2:23. Next MM, 1/11, KYMN in middle of WSVL DX at 4:39. WENN-1320 s/on @ 5am, WBCR s/on @ 5:30. One more, 1/14, @ 10am-5-m, WWOL RS w/c/w mx. Veries are from WDEL (hi, Joe Jones!) WVOB v/1, WKIX v/1, CKBW v/q, WCBS (shame) v/q, KCBC wrote on my letter. What's from Apopka, Fla. on 1520 - WTLN? (WTLN-arc) RS, heard w/WVOB 12/29. To Jerry P., if you liked "Baby Love" what do you think of "Look of Love?" Ernie, I think I'm late on WADC. I tuned in @ 3:45 1/17, heard c/w Breaks. Letter from Mel Phillips of WNOR on 12/26, he went to school in Brooklyn. 73.

Don Eggert - 1925 East Bowman Street - South Bend, Indiana - 46613

Hi guys. Not much in the way of DX this week. I just haven't had the time. Since last report: 1/11- WSON-860 @ 6pm s/off w. "Old Kentucky Home". 1/12- WGOH-1370 "Go Radio" @ 5:29 s/off SSB. 1/16- WLIJ-1580 @ 1:05 on r/c TT. Two veries this week, v/1 WJCO for r/c and WTHI, who was on late Christmas AM. I've missed the last two MMs, so I'll have to catch this MM. SC total now at 194, after a recount, w/some new traders in KKOK WLAP & lots of WJVA. Total logged now at 581, 116 veries. 73.
PLEASE, ALL, REMEMBER TO DOUBLE SPACE YOUR MUSINGS - SKIP A LINE BETWEEN LINES, PLEASE!

Mike Bugaj - 197 Boston Road - Middletown, Connecticut - 16457

Veries in since last Musing are from: CFRY-920 KSJB-600 WKOP-1360 DX, Sofia, Bulgaria-827, CKRC-630, KOIL-1290, KTFI-1270, Baghdad, Iraq-764, WBME-1230 DX, CFCN-1060, KRKD-1150 IRCA DX, all v/q, & v/l's from WESY-1580 KEEN-1370 KFSA-950 WWJC-1270-TEST, KSTN-1420, KPIK-1580 CKDA-1220 & KUED-690. Verie total is 167 at the moment, from 48 states nine provinces 36 countries, w/all continents verified, finally. KPIK-1580 is my best SSS verie; heard at 5pm. KRKD-1150 is Cal. #11 veried. Percentages up to 79.3%. Not many new stations logged recently, but these few* 12/21- WWJC-1270 @ 2:37 in the clear, WBME-1230 @ 3am, easy to log, HJAT-1100 @ 3:47 & HJFF-1210 @ 3:54, "La Voz Amigo." 12/25- CFNS-1170 @ 2:17am all chanting, WSKT-1580 @ 5:17pm, #36 logged on 1580. Also noted CJBR-900, FF on 1450, CKSM-1220 & a few more AN. 12/26- WFRB-560 @ 4:15pm, WDSL-1520 @ 5:05 w/WKBW nulled. 12/28- KRKD-1150 @ 3am in fine, despite TT & AN CKTR, plus others. 12/30- CM??-780 mentioning Cuba a lot @ 10pm. 1/3- WKJK-1580 @ 5:29pm s/off. 1/9- KUSD-690 f/c okay @ 5:40am. 1/10- WRBC-1300 in the clear w/WERE off At 2:20. 1/11- WSVL-520 @ 4:30am s/on w/jingle, WKBW OC w/40db and loud KYMN-1520 AN blasting them. I did it again, and slept through the WTUF-840 TEST. KGBT-1530 way u/SS @ 4am, and no report sent. SS had 20db w/longwire & no KGBT in sight; both mixed w/loop. In local news, WACE-730 will begin CBS in a few weeks, one of the few daytimers to take CBS. WSPR-1270 will drop rr in one or two weeks, and switch to all album format. This came about when two of WSPR's best DJs left to WPRO & WDRC, and took their audiences with them, hi. I've learned that WTYM-1600 is actually using only 250w., although 5kw. is authorized. Well, my \$4 is in to Ray & I'm set for another year (my second) w/the NRC. No DX NEWS here all week, and seems another P.O. delay again. This time it's both Rick & I. I have two old WSPR SCs and will send one each to the first two guys sending an SASE. I've just about stopped SCing. Bill B., Jerry B., you're months overdue in writing. 73s and good DXing.

Henry J. Wilkinson Jr. - 6620 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

DX NEWS still arriving on a regular schedule and they are so full of information. It must be wonderful to live "back East" and hear all those European, Africans, Near East & LA stations! DXing still limited at this den due to working the second shift six days a week. Best news here of late was the logging of two Europeans (Bordeaux-1205 & BPC-1214). Logged "Radio Montserrat" for a nice report last MM. Received four veries from China and a very fine verie & card from "Radio Pyongyang" North Korea ob 655 kc/s. for a report on 10/21/64. My second verie from them in six years. Checking the file cards on members who contribute to the "Supremacy Ratings" I wish to hear from the following members as they haven't submitted new totals for the past SIX MONTHS: Ken Mackey, Roger Anderson, Kermit Geary, Hilding Gustafson, Ernie Cooper, Roy Millar, Raleigh Biss, Bill Stone, Sid Steele, Dan Phillips, Carl Dabelstein, & Pete Rizzo. New listing will be typed on 1/31. I hope to hear from all of you DXers by then. Good health and good DX to all.

Darrell Anderson - 5331 Avon Street - Seattle, Washington

I received membership for Christmas so here goes with first Musing. Up MM 1/11 for KGBT DX but too much KYMN & KXEL. WSVL DX at 250w. out of the question way up here. However, I logged WLW Cincinnati, KMA Shenendoah, KRLD Dallas, WLAC Nashville, & WAKR Akron. Other loggings for January: WIRE Indianapolis, WIL St. Louis, WMAQ Chicago, KLO Ogden, & KUED Medford. Tally to date: states 27/20, provinces 4/4, countries 16/10 (this was SW so guess it doesn't count here). RX is Zenith trans-oceanic and longwire antenna. Received N.Y. Worldwide entry blank and will be at the dials 1/30 for DX contest. Good hunting! (Welcome to NRC, Darrell, & let's hear often from you!.-erc)

Willis K. Lewis - 2514 Belmont Boulevard - Nashville, Tennessee - 37212

Big tube (50A1) blew out in RX 1/2, so DX sloedd here. On borrowed RX 1/4: HIBL-1510 RS 4:05. RCA Strato-World out of shop, & 1/10: XEO-970 RS 1:30 o/all. KABL-960 RS 2 o/all. WCHI-1350 w/hymns prior to 3am. KBVU-1540 RS 2am u/WPTR, all unn. KSOK-1280 RS 6:05 SSS. 1/11- KTOW/WRIT/KOCY/WJOL-1340 RS 1:29 & on; KTOW & WJOL needed. WMEX-1510 ET/TT 1:35 unn. KEEN-1370 s/off w/Lord's Prayer 3:03-3:05. HISD-620 s/on 4:25 w/CKCK, WSUN not on for two long needed. 1/16- Sounded like WAXK-1320 f/c-TT 1:50-2am. KOOR-1350 ET, call3:42, stated 5kw w/WSMB o/rest. Evidently non-DA (ERC, I'd count it as heard on new non-DA pattern). KURA-1450 s/on f/c-TT 2:45 for three new ones. What EST station is AN on 1320 u/KXYZ besides WILS? Good SM project for past 4am, hi. Ron Schiller, when I IDed WLBZ-620 about 1960, they s, on @ 5:30 w/America (GSQ). WSM-650 silent MM 1-6 except for OC/TT part of that period. WLAC-1510 off MM 1-5am. 73.

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D X N E W S

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Ralph M. Johans - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo, New York - 14203

In re new WMMJ-1300, Seaport Bg. Co., 5360 William St., Lancaster, N.Y. 14086, received v/l signed by Fred W. Wintern, CE & Stan Jasinski, Owner. On 1/15 @ 7:30am started RS; 1/17 @ 3pm, station dedication & 1/18 7:30am-5pm RS/commercial, has NX on hour & final NX/SX (that's "sports" for a new abbreviation) @ 4:45pm, so you SSSers know now. Ernie, 1/7 heard WERE ANer @ 3:40am, then an OCer & a TTer s/off @ 3:59 as WFBR, Baltimore test & OCer @ 4:03 said WMMJ, etc, then again 4:28³ & continued w/TT/OC w/WMMJ @ 5:29 & 6:03 etc. This is only time I heard 'em at night. My local QRM leaves SSS out & no out-DXing till after 2:30am and so you fellows see nothing from me for those periods. No varies this week, only WMMJ's & also little DXing. 1/11 Specials were a loss. KXEL AN-1540 & WKBW-1520 ETing; WEAM-1390 TT/c (through KCBC AN) 3:34-3:50am, WFEL s/on 4:59 1/12, on 620 was WSUN/CKCK ANs & a TTer @ 3:36-3:45, then the classy mx & 3:59 "Ice Radio Canada", This is the CBC Radio Network", no station call (I believe was CFCL, Timmins). At 4:01:30 CBC mx, 4:09 TT to 4:15. At 4:30 Castro's Oil comes to 5:55 SSB, & WDNC Durham N.C. s/on cut by 4:58 WATE's s/on. 1/13, had CJMS-1280 FF & CHIQ-EE @ 2:45 am; 960 had CHNS AN saying @ 4am EST "It's 5am AST" & Gospel Time @ 4:25. CFAC said it's 25 after two MST. (Note, JB.) It being rather 'wintery' WX & so maybe those nice younger NRCers stay home & DX & send Musings to ERC & he won't have to put any "old stuff" in for fill-in which I believe is absolutely now useless. I had a nice letter from Eric A. Brostow, NRCer, summering in Sebring Fla. now. Also one from Roger Burkett, Altoona and one from Mike Tilbrook, Pittsburgh & glad to see they're doing OK. Last year WLOB-DX gave same strict orders, RHC, bu I hope you get a v/l. I didn't. If KFQD-730 tops Castro, etc. 73 & 30. (My 'one-half/one-quarter' key is busted, Ralph!)

Ron B. Schiller - Box 456 - Monmouth Beach, New Jersey

Varies hit the 1,510 mark w/these since last report: KEEN WTOB CKGB CKCK WWJC WLOU WEAV, Tunis-962, DDR-1043 & three Swedes from Lars Ryden: Falun-1223, Sundsvall-593 & Stockholm-773. Country total now 57. DXing has been quite limited of late, pretty busy w/work & et cetera activities, but I did manage to grab these: 1/4- CFAM-1290 s/off 1:11 on top. KGMR-1500 r/c 1:28-1:35. No sign of the DX from Peru, only HJFF blasting forth w/"La Voz Amiga" slogans. KTFI-1270, Twin Falls, Idaho s/off 2:07, first new Idaho in nine years & only #5 from that state! Hilversum-1007 best ever heard, copied w/hymns 2:12-2:42. KEEN-1370 all alone 2:30-3 s/off, weak but clear and first new Californian this season. 1/5, trying for WKTJ s/on without success, I took a log on WTOB booming o/WBNX around 5:50am, attractive v/l back promptly after failing to answer previously. 1/10, very surprised to find WCVL chopping up CBE all evening on 1550, copied this new Crawfordsville, Ind. 250 watter from 7-8pm, but heard him im well till 10:05pm Sunday s/off. CJRN-1500 on top of WWRL @ 10pm for a report. 1/11, unID SS s/on 2:58 on 620 w/IS & announcement, w/only CKCK to contend with (WSUN off) & I believe this is the new 100kw. RNE Canary Islands station, copied to 3:26 fadeout. KGBT DX oh so hashed up by the Dominican but a few announcements caught (eight, to be exact). WSVL-1520 in a mob of QRM from 4:32-4:42 when I found the #1 interference to be much-wanted KYMN Oregon City whose DX Test couldn't be heard at all here in December! Caroline was also there as were KOMA w/one announcement at 4:46 and WKBW's OC. What a jungle! CBE all alone on 1110 @ 5am, then a Venezuelan s/on but I didn't bother to copy. I found WEKY-1340 s/on way o/all at 5:02. I should footnote the above verie data thusly. DDR-1043's QSL depicting a snip and their port of Rostock is one of the most attractive I've received this year. "Direktor" Schmidt also sent a friendly letter in German. 73 (and let's drop all this 10-4, 30, and other assorted conglomeration of numerical gobbledegook.)

Karl W. Seitz - 34 Manitou Avenue - Poughkeepsie, New York - 12603

Hello again! What happened to the 1/9 issue? I still haven't received it. Varies include: WICE WSBA WKOP WWJC WBNB CBK CKBW KGBS WPUF WJON. Also got returns from WDRC & WLYN on my tentatives, but both say no. Now I've sent to WNNJ. Anybody know who was on 12/27 3:15-3:45 on 1360 w/no ID or voice, just mx? Please! Logged since last report: 1/4- CKY-580 @ 3am very strong, HJED-820 in @ 3:30, WHWV-950 test w/1,000 TT, mx & DJ @ 3:45 until (possibly) s/on. WPUF-840 TEST came in w/no trouble from WHAS. WRAD-1460 w/MM s/on @ 5am. WJON-1460 @ 4:50 strong. 1/11- KGON-1520 @ 3:45 very weak, KGBS-1020 @ 4:15 still coming in nicely on MM. No KGBT DX heard, tough splatter from KXEL; WSVL possibly u/KGON. That's all the DX from here. Thanks for the Canadian stamps, Pop. 73s.

AS THEY SAY IN NEW BERN, N.C., "WRNB." "WELCOME REPORTS of the NEW BOYS."

Rev. John E. Sexton - Box 64 @ Lucan, Ontario

Well, hello from the Traveling Parson. I have just returned from N.C. & brought back with me some good DXing. From Asheville, N.C. I got WHVL-1600, the new Hendersonville N.C. station, & in the early AM of the same day, Christmas Day at that, hi, I got KAMD-910 at s/off 1:03am, saying operated 16 1/2 hours a day. 12/28-WAZS-980 TT. WQIC-1390 @ 5am s/on o/WISK. KOMO-1000 at 6:45am, KFSA-950 8:22am. WCVL, the new 1550 Crawfordsville, Ind. in at 9pm clear & o/all. 12/31 brought the new WKBX-1500 Winston-Salem, N.C., WJFC/WCFR/WJLE all on 1480 from 5-5:15pm. WYMB-1410 @ 5:30 s/off. WSRC-1410 y/WLAQ. WSER-1550, WDVH @ 6:45am o/WSIX. WTIP #1 for 1965 on 1/1 at 12:30am w/a good signal. 1/4-MM- YNTS-1000 12:15am in fine w/ XEOY also 1000. ~~KSYL~~ KSYL-970 12:30 am, WOOW-1340 Greenville, N.C. f/c 2-2:15am, then heard KCTX-1510 Childress, Tex. on their clear r/c & WTCO-1450 at 6pm. 1/5- WVCF-1520 s/off 6pm. WGEM-1440 6:15pm. 1/6- WWGM, ex-WLVN-1560 5:30pm, s/off at 6:00. WCFR-1480 5:30pm. 1/7- WIDD-1520 the new Elizabethton, Tenn. station in nicely at 11am. WRPL-1540, the new Charlotte N.C. also in at 11am, and heard Rev. L. C. Heaston on WMUU-1260 Greenville, S.C., also a newie for me, heard 1:15-1:45pm. I returned to Lucan 1/9 and got WFOB-1430 1/11, WSVL-1520 & CKLB-1350, plus 1/16, WKRS-1220 at 12pm, u/WGAR. Recently I counted up my stations Grand total 1,407. Until next week's Musing I'll be working hard. Who is the SS on 1380 kc/s. 3:30am MMs, and who's the TT on 1330 u/KFH nearly every night around 12-2 am? 10-4. (1380 SS is WBNX; John -ERC)

Ross Hansch - 302 East Dean @ Madison, Wisconsin - 53716

Greetings, fellas, this report will be unique, consisting chiefly of what has not been heard since last issue. CX started going bad on 1/13 & I have not yet recovered, not to mention a pretty respectable static level this past MM. Only two of the five Specials were heard on 1/18. I listened to the Ecuadorian many times but never good, and WIND & the static cutting 'em up. ID @ 3:25 sounded like a different HC but I haven't checked the tape yet. WBIZ ID @ 2:09, hard to believe that KUPD ever came on the air. Also just wouldn't know about CBAF; WERE took care of part of it, but CX bad to E, ever w/WERE off, no GFCY CBN CBT etc. I didn't expect to hear CKOK w/Windsor & Bonaire, but even CKLG didn't get through, ditto KFQD! KORL up & down so CX not too bad to the SSW, ZCO trying to get through KGBS when KDKA letting alone, but no ID. I worked hard for one of the four remaining states but no dice. I couldn't pin down KENO, KOHR-1530 turned out to be KFBK @ 2am, no sign of KCHY, how come? I'm depending on White's Radic Log for the KCHY listing. What terrible service! I've insulted them several times by mail but they don't even have WMIR and WMAD that went on the air here in Wisconsin last Summer in their latest issue. (I just checked it on the news stand - they get no more money from me)! I have ordered the \$1.85 listing & hope that's good. 1/9, added CKEY & CKSL @ 1:30am. 1/12, at 4:58, two SSBs on 620, stronger one IDed WATE, weaker w/NX, then, "here in Burlington" followed by NX at 5:01, WVMT, for state #46. 5:01, KWFT S-9 SSB. 1/15- 5am WMHI Md. s/on, a good one here, only other WBAL. 1/17- 4:55am, WACO-1460 NX; 5:06 WPLO-590 ID; 5:47 WPTR-1540 ID; 5:54 WMBR-1460 ID. Who is the big signal from Caribbean s/on 1035 6am? (4VEF, Cap Haitien, Ross -erc) 1/18-, WEDZ-1400 2:07. 2:10, WHHL f/c. 1460, Detroit, guess WPON, 2:20. 4:23, KAKC. 73.

Ray Fansler - R.R. 3 - Fairfield, Illinois - 62837

Although I have been a member for several weeks, this is my first time to report. To introduce myself, I am 25 years old and work as a carpenter with a construction outfit. I have been an interested DXer since 1961 but the last two years were spent overseas w/ the Army w/no time to listen for DX. I listen about 50/50 on SW & BCB. My receivers are an HQ-145 and an SX-100. Both are connected to a 200' longwire. A Revere tape recorder, DE-23 preselector and a soon-to-arrive BC-221 frequency meter completes the set-up. Late DX: KRUX-1360 for state #42, KBUY-1010 u/WMOX, WCPO-1230, KGBT-1530 w/NRC DX, WSVL-1520 DX, KFJZ-1270, KTSA-550, WIP-610, WBOW-1230, WFDR-1370 5:05 s/on. WPRO-630 w/KXOK off for some reason, strong, for first Rhode Island, #43. WHHY-1440, KVOR-1300. I tried for KVKH after WHO s/off SM but no sign of it, but did hear HOJ2-1045, Panama, for 35 minutes w/QRM from XEG, for country #22. I added BEC-881, man & woman. Is this counted as England or Wales? It is country #23 regardless, of location. I hope to report often. 73. (We join you in that hope too, Ray, and welcome to the NRC. BEC-881 serves Wales w/XR actually in England. Consensus seems to favor counting it as Wales, like WIND-560 counting for Illinois & not XR site, Indiana. -erc)

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DX NEWS

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Dan Morin - 17775 Clyde Avenue - Lansing, Illinois - 60438

Greetings. Long time no report from here. A rough schedule at school, plus working at a grocery store in Homewood, Ill, have cut down on DX time. An Airline ten transistor radio has replaced the Silvertone seven transistor on which I got about 600 stations. It has a built-in RF stage and it seems much more sensitive than the other one. DX as follows: 12/27- WBAM-740 @ 4:50pm EST/ WPDJ-750 o/WSB @ 4:55; KSEO-750 in weakly at 5:07pm; KNOE/WDAK-540 at 5:45pm. 12/28- KSYL-970 f/c @ 1:16am/ CBR-1010 in well at 2; XERB-1090 s/off in EE @ 3am; KRKD-1150 in good w/both 5 & lkw. from 3-3:30; WGAN-560 @ 4am w/WIND off for a nes state; WCBM-680 @ 4:10am. 12/30- CBN-640 along w/KFI & CMQ @ 11pm. 1/1- KBOA-830 good @ 5:38pm; KMAD-1550 s/off @ 6:45. Other new ones since my last report are CKPR-580 CFCF-600 CFCO-630 KHHL-790 PJB-800 WJFW-810 WTCA/KMIS-1050 CHIQ-1280 WTGR-1420 WAIL-1460 KLEO-1480 WAYK-1500 WSHN/WMIR-1550, WIXK-1590, KGKO-1600, CJRN-1600 & CJLG-730. Totals are nw 620 heard & 241 verified. 73s.

Hal Robie - 351 South Street - Medfield, Massachusetts - 02052

In regard to the Israeli situation on 737 kc/s. one thing is certain, they DO s/on at 11pm. I have two QSL cards which say so! And now I am in a quandry. You see, the first time the station in question was heard was 9/6, just prior to 11:00. A woman was talking, & then a man followed in what I thought was Arabic. It faded almost immediately. Israel seemed a possibility, but WRH showed a later s/on. Then again on 11/7 same thing was heard and held until around 11:10. On 11/11 the station was in briefly at 10:54, but format was different and no woman was heard. So a report was sent w/minute by minute description of what was heard, ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~ asking if the station was coming on the air at that time, and requesting verification if the details checked w/their station log. There was sufficient info for confirmation even though noise level and propagation disturbance were severe on both occasions. Then I got Gordon Nelson in on this, who heard only Barcelona, but believed one of the other signals seen on his scope was that of Israel. His tape, better than any reception here, showed at least one of the things I heard was the new Barcelona IS. I did not hear the fanfare which he picked up on this occasion, but w/format varying nightly this is understandable. Language on his tape was clearly SS. No woman heard, so I still thought I may have had something. Then doggoned if he didn't come up w/info showing Barcelona to have exactly the same format on occasion as the Israeli SW outlet, which no doubt must be // to their 737 outlet. I also found clearly IDable SS on this frequency on a number of occasions later, so at this point I never would have sent a report to Israel! Now I have two QSLs from 4XB34, one for each date reported, which say my report was checked w/their records & was correct in every detail. (Bear in mind that the format differened on these two occasions, not by much but enough to show whether or not their station was heard). So did I, or didn't I? It is entirely possible that by sheer coincidence a verbal description of details broadcast by Barcelona & Tel Aviv would have been the same for those two dates. Only a tape could have told the difference, if this was so. Easily recognizable SS might sound like something else when reception is garbled, so I'm afraid I can't count my first Asian verie w/a clear conscience! See what problems DXing can create, hi!

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Lads, there's no "a" in my first name. Or last, hi. Veries: WSVL-1520-DX & YMM-615, v/1-SS w/attractive blue pennant on which it lists their frequency as 620, but they're nicely situated on 615 kc/s. 1/16- Lovely snowy afternoon noted these unusual unks: 2-3pm on top were: WSAY-1370 WCBG-1590 CKIM-1570. At 3pm, 1370 was dominated by WDEA/WFEA; & it was WJDA-1300 & CHR8-1090 in easily atop. Odd, but w/snow on the ground, it makes all signals traveling o/water, hence, stronger signals. Then a tentative to WUS-1120 through sidewash of WNEW-1130, 3:30-5pm. 1/17- The 5kw. s/on 5am on 1470 is WREB logged this AM w/NN Gospel mx, even w/CFOX/WMBD. WHUT's openin ID heard again but immediately lost. WKSC-1300 @ 5:30 & WTLB-1310 atop @ 5:45, unn. 1/18- CKIM-1570 off & XERF c/w back - seemed good to hear them this way once again, seriously! Two FFs fighting it out on 1280; an SS on about 1292 but not readable, AN. Thanks to a most welcome phone call @ 2:22am from Stan Morse, I tuned to 1300 & logged a jim-dandy; PJD2, Philipsburg, St. Maarten AN-EE-Gospel mx, u/WTIL-AN-SS & WERE's S-9 OC, but local buzz made copy rugged. Buzz started @ 2am, could be an electric blanket in the area - some body must've gotten chilly then, hi. Caroline-1520 in as usual w/Grapenuts plugs. On Saturday AM, Caroline-1495 was in but speech unintelligible & that "pimple music" not recognizable to these old ears. Pimple mx is Tin Pan Alley term for rr. C U in 7.

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E S T O N I A V E R I E ... Roy Millar was kind enough to send along a photostat of his verie from Riiklik Raadio Ja Televisiooni Komitee, Tallinn, Kreutzwaldi t. 14, which says, in English: "We express you our gratitude for the taperecorded portion of the program you kindly sent us. It was our 'Tallinn I' transmitter on 1034 kilocycles that you logged late Nov. 7th, 1964 between 0445 and 0500 GMT (Nov. 8th 1964) with a musical program, at 0500 GMT followed by a two-tone gong Interval Signal and a lady-???? announcing the time, then a man reading a news bulletin. The submitted tape-recording confirms that the items noted above is a portion of our program. We are glad to state that herewith we do acknowledge one of the farthest receptions of our transmissions." It's signed by the Deputy Chairman of the Estonian SSR State Radio and TV Committee. Congrats, Roy!

FOREIGN CONTEST

Standings compiled by Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Drive, Chester, Pa. 19013

EASTERN SECTION:

1. Dangerfield, Pa. adds: Tunis-629; Beirut; Damascus-786; RIAS-683; RIAS-854; Linz-1025; Veronica; PJC-2; Kichinev; HJAK; Sofia-827; St. Vincent-WIBS; Caroline-1495293
2. Schiller, N.J. adds: Westerglen; CSB-8; Beirut; Brussels-926; Kishinev; Timisoara; Andorra-818; Stavanger; Saar; TIFC; BEC-1546; Falun; Stockholm; Sundsvall; Tunis-962; DDR-1043262
3. Holbrook, Md. adds: Montserrat; Nancy; Vienna-1475; Caroline-1520; RNE San Sebastian; HRTV; HJAY; Andorra-818; TIRICA; KHVH; WIBS-Dominica; 4VEF235
4. Tweedie, N.J. adds: Dahomey; Senegal; Frankfurt-593; EAJ-7; RNE Barcelona; Damascus-863; Caroline-1520; WIBS-Dominica; TGJ; PJB; Andorra-998168
5. Parsons, Pa. adds: PJB; Tirana-1088; Athlone; Andorra-818113
6. Rugg, Que. adds: PJB; Eatra-818; Cairo-773; RNE La Coruna; HJAV 86
7. Schatz, Fla. adds: Prague-1286 57
8. Hoffman, N.J. adds: Athlone; Horby; Hilversum I 44
9. Peniston, N.J.(no additions)..... 32
10. Marbach, N.Y.(no additions)..... 26

Joe Fela, where are your entries? Send 'em in!

CENTRAL SECTION:

1. Semrad, Wis. adds: PJC-7; TIRICA; HIPJ; JOIB; BEC-1214; Athlone; Monte Carlo; RNE Barcelona; Hilversum I258
2. Lutzenberger, Wis. adds: BEC-1214; YVLX; PJC-7; PJA-8; YVKL; KGU124
3. Callarman, Tex. adds: XERPC; YNAG; WAPA; KGU; HJAY; BBC Wales123
4. Conrad, Ky. adds: BEC-Wales; KZOO; RNE Seville112
5. Bartels, Wis. adds: TIFC; Bordeaux110
6. Tilbrook, Pa.(no additions)..... 35
7. Wheeler, Pa.(no additions)..... 18

H. Gustafson just joined at deadline ... John Hathaway, where are you?

WESTERN SECTION:

1. Freeman, Calif. adds: KCAM; JOQK; Nancy205
2. Fox, Yukon adds: KICY; Bordeaux; Rennes; Limoges; Strasbourg; Nancy; 3YW; 2GL; KZOO; 1ZB171
3. Wilkinson, Calif. adds: Peking-760/900/1000/1510; Pyongyang-655150
4. Millar, Wash., adds: Crowborough-647; TGDX127
5. Thompson, Calif., adds: Barbados; PJB; TIRICA; KORL 71
6. Taylor, Calif.(No additions)..... 19

Don Kenney, no addries yet ... Let's go, Don ...

Great contest! The country leaders in each division are Schiller and Dangerfield (East) tied with 19; Semrad, 16; and Freeman, 10. To the Wisconsin contingent, who would like weekly standings, please, fellas, have a heart! I appreciate your interest, but there are other things I really must do, each week. However, I will try to step up the tempo somewhat around the end of the contest.

Ben Dangerfield.

- 548 AS. RUSSIA. Vladivostok, heard often about 0400. (Fox, Yukon)
- 550 ALASKA. KEHL, Anchorage, 2nd report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 575 GERMAN F.R. The slight QRM from the UNID in 12/19 IXDX probably has come from Muhlacker, W. Germany, 300 kw., because that one is on the air Monday nights usually. Riga, as far as I know, signs on at 2158. When heard "Deutsche" in ID, then most likely Muhlacker, because this one ID's as Suddeutscher Rundfunk, whereas Leipzig is ID'ing as "Radio D.D.R." (Elodorn, W. Germany)
- 580 PANAMA. HOH3, Circuito R.P.C., Colon, with clear signal and in parallel with HOHM-610. One of these stations in Panama City, the other in Colon; I was still half asleep when heard, 0547 1/5. (I have a friend in Panama and I will contact him to supply all the info on stations there)(Silvera, Jamaica)
- 584 AUSTRIA. Vienna II, 150 kw., is most likely the "second station " 12/19 IXDX. (Elodorn, W. Germany)
- 590 ALASKA. KHAR, Anchorage, 2nd report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 593 BULGARIA. Sofia's power is now 200 kw., says WRTVH 1965. (Elodorn, W. Germany)
- 605 UNID. Spanish-speaker signed off at 0100. Believe it's HJKL. (Lee, N.J.)
- 630 ALASKA. KJNO, Juneau, report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 638 SPAIN. R.N.E., San Sebastian. Woman speaking in Spanish with "White Christmas" played the day after Christmas at 0143. (Lee, N.J.)
- 645 KOREA, NORTH. R. Pyongyang, cutlet, logged from 0634 to 0701 1/11. Will try for a verie. Noted that the new outlets on 848 and 878 could not be heard. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 647 ENGLAND. While many have speculated that the transmitter heard here with European Service programming is not Daventry, a letter from BBC, London, states that it is Daventry, and not Crowborough. Unfortunately, the language in the letter is somewhat vague, or else I could have gathered more data about Crowborough's activities on 647. The letter, however, is so sloppily typed and composed in the pertinent paragraph that one cannot figure out anything beyond the statement "the transmitter on 647 kc/s was Daventry." (Rugg, Que.)
- 650 COLOMBIA. HJKH, La Voz Amiga, Bogota, logged about three minutes, but not enuf for a report. (Lee, N.J.)
DOM. REP. HIAC, R. Universal, Santo Domingo, strong with high-pitched het; ID's with jingle giving freq., etc. 1720 1/8. (Silvera, Jamaica)
VENEZUELA. YVQO, Ondas Portenas, Barcelona, over WSM and at least three other Spanish-speakers 1/10 1922-1949. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 656 AS. RUSSIA. Roy Millar, N.Z. PAL lists one at Blagoveschensk "near Manchurian border." May be this clarifies your Murmansk mystery. (Fox, Yukon) Here we go again. Moscow has "disowned" Blago'k, some have heard a Far East Soviet on 655, and Murmansk has been reported THIS season at European reception times. (Ed.)
EUR. RUSSIA. Murmansk starts at 2100. Potsdam, E. Germany, 20 kw., uses this channel too, but I don't know if already at that early hour, re 12/19 IXDX. (Elodorn, W. Germany)
- 655 KOREA, NORTH. R. Pyongyang, audible after 0730 on 1/11. Not needed now; he verified last week. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 660 ALASKA. KPAR, Fairbanks, 2d report out. (Fox, Yukon)
VENEZUELA. YV??, R. Caracas, Maracaibo, strong signal 0509, fading at 0527 1/10. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 665 GERMAN F.R. According to the WRHB '65, Bodenseesender (SWF) at present uses only 20 kw, to be increased to 300 kw. (Elodorn, W. Germany)
- 677 UNID. Spanish Speaker at 0205 with some U.S. tunes; no Idea who it is. (Lee, NJ)
- 678 NICARAGUA. YND, Union Radio, Managua, at s/on 0530 1/9, loud and clear. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 680 COLOMBIA. HJCU, R. Tricolor, fair signal over QRM from Radio Free Dixie, noted 0100 1/6. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 683 SPAIN. R.N.E., Sevilla, "La Hora" program with woman announcer giving ID "R. Nacional de Espana" after every 2 songs. Logged at 0105 to 0125. (Lee, N.J.)
- 685 GUATEMALA. TGRT, R. Fabulosa, Guatemala, was heard with very strong signals 1900-2200 1/9. ID used on half hour: "R. Fabulosa, primera en noticias, primera en reportas, primera en musica. Radio Fabulosa, ??? Guatemala, America Centro." (Merrill, Mich.)

- 701 CZECHOSLOVAKIA. Banska Bystrica, probably causing the het here nightly past 2300. No audio, so no log. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 728 GERMAN D.R. Deutschlandsender station in briefly at 2123 on 1/10 and parallel to 782. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- SPAIN. R.N.E., La Coruna, played couple of Elvis' songs. Time pips and ID at 0259. (Lee, N.J.)
- 737 SPAIN. R.N.E., Barcelona. Sked 2300-2005. At 2000, woman reads morning sked, says "Viva Franco, y viva Espana," then anthem. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 740 LEEWARD ISLANDS. The 1965 WRTM lists a new 20 kw station here, called "Radio Antilles," bi-lingual. No sign of it yet, though, but am watching. (Dangerfield)
- 746 GERMAN D.R. Cottbus IS parallel to 1043, "R. D.D.R." re 12/19 IDXD. (Bludorn)
- 750 COLOMBIA. HJDK, La Voz de Antioquia, Medellin, very strong signal over QRM, local, and Circuito CMQ 1/4 at 2041. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- JAMAICA. J.B.C., Port Maria, heard with English sign-on at 0444. Hasn't verified since 1959. (Weselowski, Neb.)
- 755 PORTUGAL. Lisboa has a program in German every night 1830-1915, parallel 1061, Norte. (Bludorn, W. Germany)
- 764 IRAQ. Baghdad, on early (past 2000) 1/10-12, probably for Ramadan. Pulsed by Kiev past 2100. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 780 BR. VIRGIN ISLANDS. ZEVI, Rodetown. C.P. given to Colley B. Gay to open 10 kw. commercial station here. Must have 1 1/2 hours BBC each day. Will be in English. Mr. Gay mentioned this on WSM. (Weselowski, Neb.)
- UNID. A weak Spanish-speaker heard 1/11 circa 0330. No sign of a D/U. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 790 ALASKA. KCAM, Glenallen. S/on 1100, f/up out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 800 ALASKA. KINY, Juneau, signals loggable 1/12, 0939-1000 under/over CKOK. (Millar, Wash.) Report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 810 PUERTO RICO. WKVM, San Juan. S/on in English 1/8 at 0430, briefly atop channel; Much better at same time 1/15, really dominating, but report on 1/8 reception already out... weather in English at 0532 1/15. (Millar, Wash.)
- 818 ANDORRA. R. Des Vallees-Andorre" Man and woman announcers in French 0147-0216. Played one song I recognized, "Lemon Tree" at 0213. (Lee, N.J.)
- U.A.R. Batra II. Had to make composite logging over several evenings to make a complete report. How do you report continuous chanting? Heard chimes or bells at 2300 s/on. (Lee, N.J.) Send a tape!! (ed.)
- 820 VENEZUELA. YVSH, R. Guayana, Upata. Definitely what I was hearing from Phila. last summer. Noted ominent eves; news show with 4 falling tones between items. Look for it, NE'ers. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 830 JAPAN. JOBE, Osaka. Noted 12/28 0445-0500 fair with English lessons, parallel to 1370. (Pietsch, Calif.)
- UNID. S.A. noted faintly past 0400 1/11; several small Argentinas listed. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 850 ALASKA. KICV, Nome, may DX. CE friendly. (Fox, Yukon)
- 860 COLOMBIA. HJEP, Voces de Occidente, Medellin, over loud het and other Spanish speaker con musica 1/8 1821. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 863 ARMENIA. Yerovan, logged surprisingly well past 2100 1/10 parallel to other outlets. No Africans noted. (Schatz, Fla.)
- FRANCE. R.T.F., Paris I. Discussion program with man and woman in French 0220-0236. (Lee, N.J.)
- 864 UNID. Carrier signal being heard evenings around here, but no music or voice noted. Someone testing and fairly strong. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 882 UNID. Oriental on this frequency. Never heard before. Will try again. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 885 MONTSERRAT. R. Montserrat, Plymouth, logged from 0528 to 0606 on 1/11. Never expected to hear him, but others must have, too, as he was S6 to S7 at times. Report out. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 888 SPAIN. EFE-32, R. Gredos, Avila, heard briefly 1/10 at 1800, but must have shortly left the air. (Dangerfield, Pa.) Shortly thereafter, that is. (Ed.)
- 890 KOREA, SOUTH. HLKB, Pusan, ID by lady with very slow call, 1/15, 1001, re-reported, although nothing but ID really loggable. (Millar, Wash.)

- 900 ALASKA. KFRB, Fairbanks, 2nd report out. (Fox, Yukon)
MEXICO. XEW, La Voz de America Latina, Mexico D.F. Very strong signal just before s/off 1/6, 0104. (Silvera, Jamaica) D.F. is Distrito Federal, Michael. (Ed)
- 908 ENGLAND. B.B.C. Brookman's Park. Commentary Program on articles in British newspapers at 0240. (Lee, N.J.)
- 925 COSTA RICA. TIR, R. Cadena Musical, San Jose, strong and clear with news 1/9 0103. (Silvera, Jamaica.)
- 926 LEEWARD ISLANDS. Montserrat. The 1965 WRTH also lists a new one here with 200 kw., also Radio Antilles. Will use English, French, Spanish, and Portuguese. Obviously not yet on the air. Who'll be the first to hear it? (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 930 ALASKA. KTKN, Ketchikan, report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 935 MOROCCO. Agadir, on as late as 2040 on 1/13, in Arabic, but much weaker than in previous years. Must have gone directional. Wonder where those QSL cards are that WRTH mentions? (Dangerfield, Pa.) Maybe we have to report in Arabic! (Ed.)
UKRAINE. Lvov, 300 kw., certainly the unid 12/19 IDX, if not AFN Berlin. (Bludorn, W. Germany)
- 950 JAPAN. JOKR, Tokyo, s/off 1200, call in English. (Fox, Yukon)
- 953 SPAIN. EAJ29, R. Intercontinental, Madrid. Heard at 0202 with man and woman announcers, played several U.S. tunes. (Lee, N.J.)
- 960 ALASKA. AFRN, Kodiak, best ever heard on th 6th at 1100. Report out to 790, 960, 980, 1490. (Fox, Yukon)
UNID. Spanish speaking station ID'ing as Radio Acue or Aque s/off 0300 1/15. The only QRM came from KARL, playing similar music. No fanfare but orchestral arrangements; thought at s/off, heard Mexico, but no s re. (Kreidler, Tenn.)
 XEIQ, Cd. Obregon, Son., uses slogan "Radio I" (ee-koo) and plays this kind of music before s/off. (Ed.)
- 970 KOREA, SOUTH. HLCA, Suwon, English lessons end 0730. Didn't answer earlier report. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1000 CUBA. CMFA, R. Cadena Agramonte, Camaguey, at s/on 1/10 0600. (Silvera, Jamaica)
UNID. No sign of D/U 1/11. Station heard here probably Brazilina. (Schiller, NJ)
- 1007 HOLLAND. Hilversum. Wonderful clear signals 0200-0240 on 1/4. 746 clear but weaker at that hour. (Schiller, N.J.)
UNID. T.A., gone nightly by 2005, must be Malaga, SPAIN. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1025 AUSTRIA. Graz/Dobl. Re 12/19 IDX, all are carrying the Second Austrian Program; No special identification possible. (Bludorn, W. Germany)
- 1030 COLOMBIA. HJAI, R. Kalamary, Barranquilla, heard now on this channel. All day as usual. (Previously logged on 1010 12/29.) Noted here 1/5. (Silvera, Jamaica)
MEXICO. XEQR, R. Centro, Mexico, D.F., with good clear signal. ID at 0306 1/11. (Silvera, Jamaica.)
- 1035 HAITI. 4VEF, Cap Haitien. Logged on election night in November with election returns. (Lee, N.J.) With VOA news relays, very clear 1/6 2100-2115. (Silvera)
- 1040 CHINA. Peking strongest signal ever heard 0835 1/6, 35 over 59. Came off shift at 0730 and Asians were all over the dial. Many other Peking outlets heard on 900, 920, 940, 1020, 1240, 1340 and others. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1043 GEORGIA. Tbilisi, logged past 2100 1/10 parallel other Soviets. QRM from jammer and HOJ2. Country #80 and 5th Asian. (Schatz, Fla.)
GERMAN D.R. Dresden is usually pausing from 2145 to 2200. For a few minutes then, the transmitter is off the air. So the station heard at that time is Tbilisi, which signs on at 2045 EST. Dresdens signal at s/on 2200 is somewhat stronger than at 2145 s/off over here, too. Above notes re 12/19. (Bludorn, W.G.)
 Dresden noted briefly on 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1050 CUBA. CMDQ, R. Enciclopedia Popular, Habana, in with music over unid. Colombian 1/11 0310 (First Cuban logged after 0000 that is not Reloj Nacional or La Voz de Cuba.) (Silvera, Jamaica) 1050 or 1060? Look for XEG with XERF type program just below him, Michael. (ED.)
- 1052 ENGLAND. Start Point, very good between 1500 and 1600, 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1088 ENGLAND. Droitwich, very good between 1500 and 1600, 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)

- 1106 SPAIN. EFJ1, R. Juventud de Espana. WRTVH '65 says is now using 15 kw, so this one probably the Spaniard heard atop AFN Munich DXD 12/26. On 12/22, I logged EFJ56, R. Juventud de Malaga, on this frequency, between 2000 and 2030 EST. Is on till 2100, and now 5 kw from 2 kw, says WRTVH 1965. (Bludorn, W. Germany)
- 1115 EUR. RUSSIA. Moscow still being heard 2130-2200 evenings with good signals; at least was last week, on 1/10. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1125 UNID. Someone with small combo jazz at 0000 on 1/9, but no announcements, and seemed to go off at 0010. Wonder if this might have been the new Radio London testing? (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1129 INTL. WATERS. "Wonderful" Radio London has moved to 1129 or 1130 kcs. (Bludorn)
- 1130 HAWAII. KLEI, Kailua, regular behind CKWX; has a c/w program K-Lei Jamboree in evening, so easily ID'd. Report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1140 PHILIPPINES. V.O.A., Foro, long-awaited log 1109-1130 1/6, special English parallel to 1178. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1146 HAITI. HVAB, Port-au-Prince, had beautiful signal 0628 1/11. Verified several years ago. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 1150 MEXICO. XEJP, R. Variedades, Mexico, D.F. with music good 1/11 0221. (Silvera, Jamaica.) Caught s/off amct.. at 0357. Understand they are hard verifier. (Lee, N.J.)
- 1151 ENGLAND. Stagshaw, very good between 1500 and 1600 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1170 UNID. S.A. with good signals, heard past 0330; CX32 most likely. (Schatz, Fla.)
- UNID. T.P. Who's the Jap here past 0300 1/11. (Schatz, Fla.) Hawaiian? (Ed.)
- 1178 CHINA. Very strong jammer here occasionally breaks through VOA. Often just tone modulated with code ID; have copied "E-C-E-K" and "XG" among others. (Fox, Y.T.)
- 1180 DOM. REP. HIRE, R. Mil, Santo Domingo, in well over Unid. Colombian; HJGK? 1/6 0349. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1195 COSTA RICA. TICA, R. Columbia Canal 2, Puntarenas, very loud and clear with Mexican music 1/7 0641. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1200 VENEZUELA. (Call?) R. Tiempo, Caracas, back here; apparently 1210 only experimental (heard once there, 12/29) noted 1200 1/5 1903. (Silvera, Jamaica) YVOZ.
- 1206 ECUADOR. R. El Mercurio, HCIW5, Cuenca, may be the one here but needs further checking. Never audible at ID times. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1210 COLOMBIA. HJFF, La Voz de Amiga, Pereira. No sign of OAX2Q DX 1/4; only this one. (Schiller, N.J.) Loud with slight QRM; does not appear to be parallel with 650, 1/7 0653. (Silvera, Jamaica.)
- GREENLAND. AFRS, Thule. S/off 2303; s/on 0930 7 days. Bill Fox Station Manager no relation, hi! (Fox, Yukon)
- 1223 UNID. T.A. In fair with Arabic chanting nightly past 2100. HALP+ (Schatz, Fla.)
- +1205+ FRANCE. R.T.F., Bordeaux, believed to be the carrier noted on this frequency. (Weselowski, Neb.)
- 1246 CANARY IS. EFJ57, R. Juvetud de Canarias, Santa Cruz de Tenerife (Whew!), logged after several days of ear straining. Excellent signal but lousy modulation. Has Castellian music, lively announcements, and fanfare after ID's. S/off Nightly 2100. Probably my 1245 mystery of one past MM! (Schatz, Fla.) Good shot! (Ed)
- 1250 AS. RUSSIA. Khabarovsk, always good from 0700 with Mandarin and Korean. No more English 0730, and no more 1150 kc. (Fox, Yukon)
- JAPAN. Sendai, JOIR, noted 12/28 0500-0530 very strong. (Pietsch, Calif.)
- 1270 ALASKA. KBYR, Anchorage, report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1276 UNID. L.A. Spanish-speaker here 1/13 2045-2115, but was quite weak and kept fading. A drifter, maybe. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1290 JAPAN. JOJR, s/off 1200, call in English, parallel programming heard on 1280. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1295 PANAMA. HOS-23, seems to be the strong L.A. here, evenings. Did verify, but the address in the new WRTVH is all mixed up. Was right a few years ago. (Dangerfield)
- 1300 PUERTO RICO. WTIL, Mayaguez, with clear signal, then covered at 0340 with loud het. 1/11 0325. (Silvera, Jamaica.)
- 1310 JAPAN. JOLF, Tokyo. S/off 1200, call in English. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1325 UNID. A hair below the 1331 het (which is about all the separation you get on an NC-188) about 0840 1/6. Weird. Iran seems too farfetched. (Fox, Yukon)

- 1340 ALASKA. KIBH, Seward. Follow-up report out; not heard on 950 yet. (Fox, Yukon)
NO. IRELAND. Lishagarvey, very good between 1500 and 1600 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1375 ST. PIERRE & MIQUELON. R. St. Pierre, was S7 at 0625 1/11. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 1385 HAITI. LWS, Port-au-Prince, in the clear at 0622 1/11. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 1394 SPAIN. WRH '65 says R. Almeria, Southern Spain, EAJ60, s/off 2000 with 2 kw. R. Requete de Navarra (Pamplona, Northern Spain) s/off at 1800. R. San Sebastian, which I suggested in a former letter, is not shown in WRTVH. My suggestion was based on a German list published in Summer 1964. (Bludorn, W. Germany)
- 1395 ECUADOR. HCVPL, R. Esmeraldas, in the clear at 0619, 1/11. (Wilkinson, Calif.)
- 1403 FRANCE. R.T.F., Copied 0054-0150 1/11, in network to 0130, then at least three separate programs heard and report on all three off to Paris. (Morss, Mass.)
- 1420 PANAMA CANAL ZONE. WSCM, Fort Davis, dominates freq. with music most of the morning, 1/6 0447. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1425 GREENLAND. AFRS, Thule, I have the honor of being the only NRC'er with 24-hour reception of this one. (Fox, Yukon) Must be nice to have 24 hours of darkness, even at -75°! (Ed.)
- 1430 GERMAN D.R. R. Berlin International, Spanish and English on 1/6; the other side's V.O.A., hi! (Fox, Yukon)
MEXICO. Unid. here fading in and out over KELI, with music. Who? Noted 0420-0457 1/8. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1439 LUXEMBOURG. Luxembourg, a regular at all hours. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1450 ALASKA. KLAM, Cordova, report out. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1457 ENGLAND. Clevedon, very good between 1500 and 1600 1/6. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1466 MONACO. Monte Carlo, powerhouse 1/6. Usually poor. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1470 MEXICO. XESM, El Heraldo del Chocolate Abuelita, Mexico, D.F., very loud and clear, stronger than XERF!! ID at 0400 1/8. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1480 UNID. Oriental regular here, must be North Korea. Produces deep hum noted on 1080, another North Korean frequency, and 1280. Same hum noted 1/6 only on 1020, 1030, and 960. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1484 UNID. This T.A. Graveyard a real mess 1/6, but I keep trying for AFRS, Iceland. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1490 COLOMBIA. HJAW, La Voz de Monteria, Monteria, in very clear for few minutes, then fading with music, 1/8, 1706. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1493 BYELORUSSIA. Gomel, again on 1/6. English starting 1600 "Mailbag". Who's that announcer named Tom Williams? My most distant daylight catch. (Fox, Yukon) Oh, you do have daylight????!!! (Ed.)
- 1502 POLAND. Warsaw, a regular at all hours; verified last year, but another report out for points. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1520 INPL. WATERS. R. Caroline heard from 0315 to 0326 on MM 1/11, but not many details loggable; however, I think enough for a report, which was sent. At 0322 heard "This is Radio Caroline on 1-9-9." Then something to the effect of being England's first commercial station. Bob Moscow (?) with music until 9:00." Hope they verie-- my most wanted station in the world. (Merrill, Mich.)
PUERTO RICO. WRAI, Rio Piedras, at s/on in Spanish and then English, ID at 0505 as Radio Acropuerto International. Mystery station, I think you mention it before. 1/8 0500. (Silvera, Jamaica)
UNID T.A. here. WRH lists only fleas. Noted 1/6. (Fox, Yukon) Believe there's a high-powered Czech on this channel. (Ed.)
- 1525 UNID. L.A. U.S. tunes and distorted ID's. Copied 0220-0240 1/11. Who is it? (Morss, Mass.)
- 1529 VATICAN. Vatican Radio, at long last! Slavic language 1517-30 1/6, then I.S. per WRH, then Portuguese or Spanish; Italian at 1640. (Fox, Yukon)
- 1538 GERMAN F.R. Mainflingen noted in French 1641 1/6. (Fox, Yukon) Rolf Bludorn, this is noon-hour DX in the Yukon country! (Ed.)
- 1550 CUBA. CMDV, Santiago, here every evening about this time (1330) with weak signal over QRN. 1/6. (Silvera, Jamaica.)
- 1554 UNID. T.A. Heard at times past 2200, very weak. Who? (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1560 PUERTO RICO. WRSJ, Bayamon, like a local every MM at 0500; Ad for Department Store at Santa Rosa Plaza at 0516. (Lee, N.J.)

- 1585 DOM. REP. HTBS, Ondas de la Sintonia, San Pedro de Macoris, in well over CMDF, which now appears to be 1580, but not sure because of splatter, 1/6 at 1711. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1594 UNID. T.A. In faintly early evenings. Not Portugal, of course. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1600 DOM. REP. HIDA; R. Hit Musical (Location? Believe Santiago) over loud het caused by WKWF. ID at 1630 1/5 1609. (Silvera, Jamaica)

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V E R I F I C A T I O N S . . .

- 593 SWEDEN. Sundsvall. Letter and v/q from our own Lars Ryden, DX Editor. Dandy specific QSLs for 593, 773, and 1223, #2, 3 and 4 from Sweden. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 610 VENEZUELA. YVNO, R. Libertad, Apt. 205, Cabimas, registered air mail verie and pennant, signer G. Jose Soto. (Tyndall, Vt.)
- 625 COSTA RICA. TIRICA, La Voz de La Victor, San Jose. Card, looks like Sara McMora, signer. (Holbrook, Md.)
- 630 AUSTRALIA. 4QN, Townsville, Qsld. Verie received yesterday for tentative 11/23 reception; I am very happy about this one, as Australia #3 here and Australia state #3 also. This has been my only trace of D/U reception at all this season. No signer. Verie was AEC form letter with date, location, time filled in. I was listening to a Country Party Policy speech, which probably explains the mention of Australian economy and government I heard. (Merrill, Mich.) Congrats, Frank. Now, because I'm such a poor correspondent, recently, here is the most unique verification in history: "Frank Merrill, this verifies your reception report of KPDN on its regular freq. check. *John A. Callaghan*, News Director."
- 638 SPAIN. R.N.E., San Sebastian, sent v/q. Signer not readable. (Holbrook, Md.)
- 655 EL SALVADOR. YSS, San Salvador, sent very friendly letter for 10/27 report. Signer Alfredo Parado H. Director. I see where some aren't getting veries here. Mine was sent via registered air mail and I enclosed 15 used U.S. commemoratives for the kids. (Morss, Mass.) My report was in Spanish, unregistered air mail, with tape, and air mail stamp for R.P. from DX stamp service. (Ed.)
- 695 DOMINICA. W.I.B.S., Roseau, verified by form letter signed by P.R. Polydore, Technical Assistant. (Holbrook Md.)
- 715 HONDURAS. HRTV, Tegucigalpa. Letter (In English!) signed by Antonio D. Lardizabal, Manager, Radio Television, Cia. Televisora Hondurena, S.A., Apartado Postal #734, Tegucigalpa. (Holbrook, Md.)
- 746 HOLLAND. Hilversum I. Non too specific QSL folder and personal letter felt to constitute verification of my "tentative" report of test broadcast logged 12/20 as QSL is very definite as to station, frequency, and time of reception. Europe #10, country #8. (Millar, Wash.)
- 764 SENEGAL. Dakar. QSL-card received in 3 weeks for 12/25 report by tape. Address is SENEGAL II, P.P. 1765, Dakar. In French and using 200 kw. (Weselowski, Neb.) Ah, tapes do get through! Wonder what they've done with yours and mine, Roy(Ed)
- SWITZERLAND. Short French verie letter for 12/21 reception; anyway, I think it was a verie, hi! Country #21 verified. Signer is J.P. Meroz, Le Director. (Merill, Mich.) SEC card for 12/13 reception. Says Yes and Program in French. Signer N. Greene, SEC DX editor. Very attractive card. (Conrad, Ky.)
- 773 SWEDEN. Stockholm. See 593. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 775 NETH. ANTILLES. PJA-8, San Nicolas, Aruba, P.O. Box 28. Air verie by H. Booy, mgr. 0530 s/on; 18½ hours not-stop daily. (Tyndall, Vermont)
- 818 ANDORRA. R. des Valles, Andorra, sent card with message typed on post card, but no signer. (Holbrook, Md.) Sent card in French and English for 10/21 report; very attractive. (Conrad, Ky.)
- 834 BR. HONDURAS. Belize, sent large v/q with map of country on front; verie signer is L.H. Young, Radio Engineer, Broadcasting Dept. (Pietsch, Calif.)
- 850 MEXICO. XEZR, Radiodifusora del Norte, Zaragoza Sur 509, Apdo. 17, Zaragoza, Coah. sent v/1 in Spanish on colorful letterhead and a pocket diary. Signer is Juan L. Garcia, Gerente. Too close for contest. (Callarman, Texas)
- 885 MONTSERRAT. Plymouth. Nice letter from Miss Christine Carty who is only 18 year old and wants pen pals. (Sorry, boys, I've already got her, hi!) Says 250 watts I like this kind of verie. Schedule, M-F 0500-0700, 1030-1145, 1730-2100; Sat. 0500-0700, 0900-1100, 1730-2100; Sun. 1530-1845. (Conrad, Ky.) Look out, Jerry;

- She's got you so excited already you've reported the verie twice! (Ed.)
- 890 DOM. REP. HIPJ, R. Popular, Santo Domingo; Spanish v/1 re 12/28 reception. From Pedro Justiniano P., Director Gerente. (Note initials in call). Attached to letter was a clipping of a Radio Popular ad in a Santo Domingo paper, in which a photostat of my letter was printed, in entirety. Fame! ? (Dangerfield, Pa.) Baseball players get paid for that kind of thing, Ben. (Ed.)
- 962 TUNISIA. Tunis. V/q with note in English on back of it. First African this year, and 5th altogether. My 57th Country. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1000 VIRGIN IS. WBNB, Island Teleradio Service, Inc., Box 1947, St. Thomas, sent v/1 for 12/21 report. Signer is John S. Denham, C.E. Zip code 00802. (Seitz, N.Y.)
- 1034 ESTONIA. Tallinn I reception of 11/7/64 verified by fine letter that I consider as good as any I ever received as to specifically verifying with fine details. My Easternmost ECB verie; Europe #9. (Miller, Wash.)
- 1035 HAITI. 4VEF, Cap Haitien, sent card signed by Leone Wallace, from Box 1, Cap-Haitien. Holtbrook, Md.)
- *908 ENGLAND. B.B.C., Brookman's Park. V/1 from M.B. Stanger, Engineering Information Department, BEC London, confirms reception of this transmitter on 12/21. (Rugg, Que.)
- 1040 HAWAII. KHVH, Honolulu. Verie card, signer looks like William H. Coney. (Holtbrook, Md.)
- 1043 GERMAN D.R. Dresden, one of the nicest QSL's I've seen (Sketch of ship and note about Rostok, E. German port) and a v/1 in German from "Schmidt, Direktor." I wrote direkt to Berlin. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1052 ENGLAND. B.B.C. Start Point. V/1 from H.R. Hatch, for Chief Engineer, External Broadcasting, BEC, London, verifies 11/23 report. (Rugg, Que.)
- 1145 HONDURAS. HRRO, R. Universal, Comayagueaa, returned Int. Reply Card (Signer ?) (Tyndall, Vermont.)
- 1151 ENGLAND. B.B.C. Stagshaw, verified simultaneously with 908 kc. (Rugg, Que.)
- 1178 SWEDEN. Sveriges Radio, Horby, v/q from Lars Ryden for 12/28 report. (Rugg.)
- 1190 MEXICO. XEWK, Guadalajara, Jal. letter and colorful picture post card signed by Pedro Lomeli Negrete, Jefe Tecnico. QTH is Cadena Radio Guadalajara, Apdo Postal 1203. (Pietsch, Calif.)
- 1200 PUERTO RICO. AFCN, ex ACE, freindly letter received for 12/28 report from station manager Mel Longfield, who said he was thrilled by my tape and would like to receive taped reports in the future. He said they had taken over facilities of Ramey AFB with a listening audience of over 5,000 and had recently dropped the ACE call. (Burket, Pa.)
- 1205 FRANCE. R.T.F. Bordeaux, perfect verie in French, listed date, time, and freq. Same info as from Leo Fox last week, but make street read Rue Ulysse-Gayon. I misread Leo's "y" into a "v". (Callarman, Tex.)
- 1223 SWEDEN. Falun. V/q from Lars Ryden for 12/28 report; my #43 country QSL'd. (Rugg, Que.) See 593. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1290 COLOMBIA. HJTH, R. Ritmos, Apt. Aero 4300. Picture post card verie, English, scribbled signature. (Tyndall, Vermont.)
- 1313 SPAIN. EAJ-56, R. Salamanca, air verie in English, pennant. Got reply direct on third try. Cecilio Rodrigo Gasulla states "first from U.S.A." (Tyndall, Vt.)
- 1430 BALEARIC IS. EAJ-13, R. Mallorca, Apt. 96, Palma de Mallorca. Air verie and pennant. Island is 125 mi. from mainland, Balearic Isles are separate cty in NNRC, how about it, John and Hank W. (Tyndall, Vt.) Don't have our list handy right now, Hank T., but I've always considered it separate country. (Ed.)
- 1475 AUSTRIA. Wien I, sent v/q, signer not readable. (Holtbrook, Md.)
- 1480 PUERTO RICO. WMDD, La Voz del Oriente, Fajardo, came through at last with QSL-card for NNRC DX show. V/s is C. Soto Perez, C.E. (Callarman, Texas)
- 1495 INTL. WATERS. R. Caroline South; v/1 in for 9/13 log. Address: Caroline House, Chesterfield Gardens, London W1. Specific detail. On ship Mi Amigo, off Harwich, England. 10 kw. Initialed by D.S. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1520 COLOMBIA. HJLI, La Voz de Chapinero, Bogota. Int. reply card signed (?) and returned. (Tyndall, Vermont) Four more veries, NARBA change list from Mexico, & credits next week. Great show, once again, gentlemen. Keep 'em comin' JAC

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VARIABLE SIGNERS

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LISTING OF UNSIGNED AND UNREADABLE VARIABLES WILL BE FORTHCOMING SOON,
SO ALL PLEASE MAIL SAME TO ME AT N.J. ADDRESS: 24 ROSSLYN COURT,
LITTLE SILVER, N.J. 07739. AFTER JAN. 30, WILL BE BACK IN N.Y.

540	WDMVq	Lloyd A? Lohr, CE	A	1270	WHLB	Roger J. Wilson, CE	B
	WGTOuq	David H. Schick, CE	C		KTPIq	Ted Cattrin	B
560	WQAMq	J.D.Hampton, CE	A		WTSNq	R. Laroce, CE	A
	WGAMm	H.L.VanAmburgh	B	1290	WFBGq	R. Kline, CE	A
600	WCAOq	C.S.Siebold, SrTS	A	1295	BDC q	H.R.Hatch	B
620	WVNJq	P.Sestan, CE	A	1310	WGH	Roger Clarke, PD	B
690	WTIXq	O.Buisson	A	1320	WILSq	John Whiteacre, CE	C
730	WMNA	Lyle C. Motley, GM	B	1340	WKGN	Robt. Goodman, CE	C
740	WMBLq	R.L.Stotham, CE	AC	1380	WAMSq	Lee Davis, PD	A
770	WABCq	Bernard A. Koval, CE	B	1420	WCOJq	Louis N.Seltzer, CE	A
790	WLAN	George W.Sharpe, CE	B		WBSMq	George Costa, CE	A
	WAKYq	W.J.Morrison, CE	A	1450	WHIHu	C.G.Thorpe, Jr., CE	B
800	WKLNq	Anthony J. Ciccio, CE	B	1460	KSO q	Gale Myers, Eng.Sup.	A
860	WOWW	Brad Drawbridge, PD	B	1510	WNLCq	Randolph C.Barrett,	CE A
950	WHVWm	Lance Michaels, CE	B				
	WEAVm	Jack Masak, CE	B	1590	WEEZq	Matthew Steers, CE	A
970	WCSE	Benjamin A. Hubley, M	B	CREDITS: A- Billy Andres; B- Dave			
1010	KLRAq	Blande Perry, CE	B	Gnauck; C- Russ Edmunds			
1240	WBAX	Milan J. Krupa, CE	B				

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Well, here I am back in NJ for two weeks! First I'll start with the Answers to some questions posed last week: J.Daller- Your CBC FF on 1480 is CEZ; also- WRYM (840) Changed call a good 2 years ago. To J. Boatwright: How 'bout a WLEO SC? To J. Fels: Your "QRM" on 930 could be WKY rather than WSOC. Your CBC on 1400 is maybe CEJP? I doubt the OC on 920 is CKCY. To S. Wienstein: 540 CBC should be CBT as they are AN on MM's. Hi to Alex Mc Niel and Joe Kureth (WEEB) who are recent joiners... How 'bout a musing, Joe?? As I've got no RX here to speak of as the tuning eye on the Fisher has gone to sleep (HI), it's back to retroactive NY DX: Variables from WILS, WKGN, WMBL. Verie NJ from WMBL. DX: (NY) 1/11: 1848: WSAR-1480; 1954: CKLB-1350; 2004: CHWO-1250; 2013: KSL-1160. 1/15: (-5°) 0045: WOMB-1460; WTJS-1390. Loggings at 319. Reports still out for RS from: WSGW, CKRC, CERY, WOKY, WKY, KOMA, KFBK, KGA For test-WJOC. Repts. 12 for 22. Total NJ + NY = 655/135. H.Papenfus & F. Merrill, write. LET'S GET THOSE SIGNERS IN !!!! NJ verie from WGTO - 540 from 1/64 after 2 f/ups and a visit in April '64.. At least I got it.... Will there be a DX-fest here in June ??? That's the '65-thousand dollar Question Mark (! Guess its s/off time; so 73...

The following letter has been received from the HOWARD W. SAMS & CO., INC. of 4300 West 62nd Street, Indianapolis 6, Indiana in response to an inquiry concerning publication of the 1965 Edition of North American Radio-TV Station Guide, which we refer to in these pages as "The Jones Log":

"In response to your recent letter, the 1965 edition of the North American Radio-TV Station Guide will be available next July."

Evidently the publishers are going to make two issues cover three years; the current edition having been published in January 1964.

The Broadcasting Yearbook is reported in the mails this week. Details appear on the front page of this issue.

May I suggest it might be worthwhile for us to compile and print all the station changes since the Jones log was issued, for easy reference for those using the Jones log. Any comments? Any volunteers to compile the changes?

May we suggest that some of you who have received a copy of the Medium Wave Guide published by World Radio Handbook should make comments in the bulletin as to its content, availability, etc. rhc