

# DX News



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### CELEBRATES WITH A FIFTH!

"Enclosed is a check for \$5.00 for another year's membership (by third class mail) in the NRC. This will be the start of my fifth year in this great Club. I'm not too active now but I hope to be hitting the DX trail hard next season. I bought an HQ-180A last year & you know what? I've never used it for DXing. -Ron Musco, Windsor, Conn.

### CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

(Purchased from Cooper-Trent, Inc., 1130 19 Street, Washington, DC,)

<u>NEW STATIONS</u>		<u>NEW CALLS</u>	
1110 Xenia, Ohio	250 D-3	810 K A F E	Santa Fe, New Mexico
Martinsburg, West Va.	1,000 D-1	930 K C C C	Carlsbad, New Mexico
1280 Fortuna, California	1,000 D-1	1470 W T Z E	Tazewell, Virginia (on)
1510 Woodruff, South Car.	1,000 D-1	1590 K S P R	Springdale, Arkansas
1520 Rutherfordton, N.C.	250 D-1		
<u>DELETED--</u> 690 K V N A	Flagstaff, Arizona	790 K F G O	Fargo, N.D. from KXGO

### FACILITIES

690 K E O S	Flagstaff, Arizona, to 1,000/500 U-2, from 1290k,
1070 W I N A	Charlottesville, Virginia, to 5,000 U-2, from 1400k, 1,000/250 U-1.
1400 W G O N	Munising, Michigan, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same channel.
K A O K	Lake Charles, Louisiana, 1,000/250 U-1. Move XR SE, new 300' antenna.
1410 W D S K	Cleveland, Mississippi, to 1,000 D-3 from 1,000 D-3, 140' antenna.
1450 W K E I	Kewanee, Illinois, 500/250 U-1. New (taller) antenna - 245', fr. 165'.
1580 K D A Y	Santa Monica, California, to 50,000 U-4, from 50,000 D-3, including change in day pattern. Move XR NE.

### HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

570 W F S O	Pinellas Park, Florida	NRC	1220 W J P B	Kissimmee, Florida	NRC
850 K G K O	Ex-1600 kc/s.	FCC	1340 W Q X T	Now 500/250 U-1, new ant.	FCC
1060 K F I L	Preston, Minnesota	NRC	1380 W O W W	Ex-860 kc/s.	NRC
W A L D	Ex-1220 kc/s.	FCC	W B E L	Now 5,000 U-2	FCC
1070 W A P I	Now 50,000/5,000 U-2	FCC	1450 W N B Y	Newberry, Michigan	FCC
1130 K B G H	Memphis, Texas	FCC	1490 W H O C	Now 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
1140 K P W B	Piedmont, Missouri	NRC	K D O K	New XR site	FCC
1150 K D E F	Now 5,000/500 U-2	FCC	1520 K M P L	Sikeston, Missouri	NRC

### NEXT ISSUE IN THREE WEEKS

It will be dated June 11, and deadlines for all sections except Musings will be Monday, June 6. For Musings, it'll be Tuesday, June 7th. Let's make it a fine, big, newsy issue, lads - you can help by sending in your contributions to the various sections of DX NEWS. Remember, the DX Season never really ends - keep at it, and you'll be surprised by some of what you might hear.

### KEEP THE CONVENTION IN MIND

It is only "three issues" away! We surely hope to make Montreal the largest NRC Convention ever, and we would like to see a lot of you there. There's always much fun, and more of the same the more who come. Be a part of things - live it up, and make those plans now for your personal appearance!

WANT TO SHOW US YOUR STYLE OF REPORTING TO A DX CATCH? SEND ONE IN & WE'LL PRINT IT!

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MUSINGS

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Norm Shacat - 200 Rainbridge Street - Malden, Massachusetts - 02148

Hi. Thanks for the card, Ernie. I didn't think her name was Peter, but it sounded like it w/WPTR-TT. You can never tell w/c/w singers. Many of them have weird names. For those who don't know what I'm talking about, I was doing a report on KXEL on 4/23 when they introduced a girl c/w singer whose name sounded like Peter Davis. Ernie says it's Skeeter Davis. By the way, I've noticed WPTR off many Sat. AMs lately. Reports were sent out to WLLH-1400 KXEL-1540 WNJR-1430 WHYN-560 WGBB-1240 WJRZ-970 WENC f/up w/ SASE-1220, WLAM-1470 WFBR-1300 WSLR-1350 WWVA-1170 CJOY-1460 WHK-1420 & WRIB-1220. Veries coming in very slowly. v/q - WHYL six days, WNJR five, WHYN five & WFBR, five. v/1 - CJSS eight days, a very nice one from CKCY, ten days, & WLAM, two days. Anyone know if these verify? WENC WIAV WDXR. Recent DX: 4/22 - WUTC-1550 f/c-TT @ 12:15, WEBX-1380 @ 1:05pm, WOWW-1380 @ 1:08. Thanks Randy for the tip on the last two. 4/23 - WKDA-1240 @ 1:50 & KWEW-1480 f/c-TT @ 2:15 for state #40. 4/24 - WNHC-1340 11:55 & WCVA-1490 @ 12:25am. 4/26 - Much wanted WKIP-1450 @ 10:15pm & WKFR-1400 @ 10:17. 5/1 - HJBI-840 @ 3:50am. WSHP-1430 @ 4:25, CKFH-1430 @ 4:30, & WDEA-1370 s/on 5am. 5/4 - WEAM-1390 @ 10:30. 5/8 - WROD-1340 @ 3:40, CJOY-1460 @ 3:42, WTRX-1330 @ 3:45, WPEX-1230 s/on 4am, WNAV-1430 @ 4:03, WJW-850 @ 4:15, & CBH-860 @ 4:20. CX are horrid, so most of my DXing is done SMS. Right now my totals are stations 487/24, states 40/15, provinces 6/2. My leading states are: NY-52/2, Mass. 48/2; Pa. 41/1; Ohio 19/1. Roy Millar, if it is OK w/Ernie please send a few of your one-minute reports to DX NEWS to be published. This Summer I'll be in Miami for a wedding & I'll probably look up some of our members there. I don't think I'll be able to bring my RX w.me. Still no trace of ZNS, R. Montserrat or KFI. Every time I think I have KFI they ID as CBN! I wish they would UN-found it, hi. Bye! That was a bad joke. I am against reporting stations within 35 miles of their home, unless it is a low powered station. Too many people reporting stations new home cause stations like WCOP to run out of veries. It would be a good verie for someone far away so don't waste veries. Randy (Carly) Kane & I visited WORL WILD WMEK & WEEL. WORL will go along w/us for a TEST 12/26, not definite. Following info? WPEN s/off & s/on, KIMN s/off & KBOI s/off. WILD has a very friendly staff. For verie, send PP & SASE. WEEL doesn't let you in without connections, hi, Randy. Support v/s list. It is very valuable. 73 & Ruff.

Randy Kane - 36 Harvard Street - Malden, Massachusetts - 02143

Hi all. DX continues at a pace faster than last Summer, mainly 'cause it's not Summer yet, hi. Late last month Norm Shacat & I visited Gordon Nelson in Watertown. Anyone who hasn't seen his shack is really missing something. Thanks Gordy, Mrs. Nelson, & George Kelley. Ernie, what is Alan Merriman's QTH? (6559 Montrose St., Alexandria, Va. 22312. -erc) I'd like some info on CPC. Reports out to WEND for 5/6 ET, plus WRUM & WRIB. If those verify I'll have my Poptronics 20-state award. I'm not much of a verifier, hi. Loggings are still coming in though, as totals stand 613 logged, 40 states, 36 countries. DX since last Muse is as follows: 4/21 - WCHS-580 @ 12:49am, on w/Boston Celts net for Championships (we won, of course!). 12:54, WIFE-1300; KPMC-1500 Cal/ @ 1am; KGHL-790 #1 Mont. @ 1:51, thanks to GPN for tip. 4/22 - CHNO-900 s/off @ 1am; WAFC-900 r/c @ 1:13; KCHA-1580 r/c @ 1:31. WOWW-1380 @ 11:45am. MM 4/24 - WRAN-1510 finally, thanks to Norm Shacat, s/off @ 10:58pm EST. WOLF-1490 @ 12:24; WTTT-1520 (hi Ernie) ET @ 12:48, RS yet? TGUX-1020 "R. Pan-Americana" @ 1am, blocking chances for KSWS or KGBS report. WINE-940 logged while WORL temporarily off @ 2:16pm, 4/27. 4/30 - CJSO-1320 @ 11pm. 5/6 - WHBG-1360 r/c @ 11:01pm; WWBZ-1360 r/c 11:17pm; WGOE-1590 Va. ET/TT @ 11:45. Wayne Plunkett, this might be your unID TTer; they were very strong & have been Tting often this past month. CKCH-970 @ 12:52; WEND-1530 Pa. ET w/c/w mx; reported. WCOL-1230 @ 12:35. 5/8 - CJMT-1420 s/off @ 1am w/OC; WFBM-1260 @ 11:57pm. Whoops - the time for WEND ET was 12:03am, in case anyone's interested. MM 5/9 - WJBK-1500 @ 12:00am w/KSTP, your station, Dan Snoaf. WRUM-790 ET/M, reported at 12:17am. WHKP-1450, NC, TT @ 12:59. 5/10 - WKBK-1220 @ 2:00am while reporting WRIB. May 15 marked the beginning of my third year of DX & my second w/the NRC. John Paolin I leave you w/this thought: "If that paragraph on P. 4 of the 5/7 issue of DX NEWS is considered a Musings, then that person has a lot to learn (hi?) Oh well, viva National Radio Month (better known as "Be Kind to DXers Month"). Norm & Ernie: "Peter" Davis forever! 73.

Stan Mores - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01832

Verie from WCNW. April 30 "Secret Agent" TV show very interesting, being filmed on "Radio 390." Quite a set up.

From Edmunds - Syracuse, New York

Hi there, people. It's been a long time since my name appeared in these pages, as my activities in DXing have been mostly confined to compiling the v/s list. This thanks to studying, & boy, it's taking a toll on all my outside activities. For anybody who cares, Bud Ballou - Freddy Winston of KBTR Denver are both ex-Syracuse DJs, Bud from WNDR & Freddy from WOLF. WOLF's ex-female DJ, Arline Dee, is now at CHLO-680. No n DX, but I did get out f/ups to WOL WSLT WCHL WIKI WLIJ WSLI LWIC WOHB WKAZ WDXI WBRC CFAC WTAX WMGO KXLF XEQR HJAT WHHL (ppc). Replies from CFAC & WTAX in four days. Re WSLT, I see NO REASON WHATEVER not to send a f/up. Despite Dave Schmidt's tries, bear in mind that I called, not collect, either, & talked to Mr. Keene, or someone who said he was Mr. Keene, & he said he'd take care of it. My report went on for 45 minutes w/ verbatim quotes (if I may be redundant) of their announcements. You can get that I'll visit them 6/4 if nothing else happens, since I'll be home then. I'll also be ~~seeing~~ Mike Gikow & Greg Senko. (Viva Dylan). Whoever set up WMGO's TEST might check to see where their veries are, hint, hint. As to the subject of reports, my first report ever was to WPEP-1570, Taunton, Mass, on a test back in '62, & it was not even remotely as bad as that WKNT job. WPEP was soliciting reports, & I copied the address & quoted the announcer & got a verie. My next reports were 1963 to KFI KOA & KSL. All were three pages w/every conceivable detail. Let's repeat that booklet on DX reports! And to him who reported WNUS-1399 to a non-existent WMUF; to him who swapped veries a short year or less ago; to those who have been vehement about this WKNT report, since when are you expectts so soon? In closing, as I've said enough, I request Ernie to print this in entirety, since I've seen more scathing comments than mine in the last two issues. (Almost, Russ - hi -ERC) Any replies will be gladly accepted at my Summer address after 6/1 - 24 Roslyn Ct., Little Silver, NJ, 07739. One last comment - any member w/a local non-verifier should VISIT them, & find out why. If it's manpower shortage, for Pete's (or anybody's) sake, volunteer your services. I did at WSOQ, & the CE decided to do it himself! Over & out. 73s & C U soon.

Robert Bruhns - 26 Cedar Valley Lane - Huntington, New York - 11743

Bad news; typewriter broken. DX - none of late, but R. Caroline South 12-12:15am after WKBW s/off. I lost it u/KOMA & other stuff on 1520; R. Americas s/on 4:50 to 5 am. This on 4/11. By the way, the R. Americas verie shows the R.A. "trademark" (a triangle w/circles) w/RADIO AMERICAS printed next to it - on what should be Swan Island, if the map on the verie is accurate! Am I the first to receive one of these? The verie varied my reception on "1160k" so either they don't know their own frequency or they don't want me to know it - h'mm. 5/8- Was WABC transmitting parasitics? I heard a signal on 54lk, modulating frequency as well as amplitude, w/WABC program from 11:32, when I tuned in. to midnight s/off of WABC & the unk. Help! 5/10- Interesting KGP-600 was testing on 640k, w/350w. into a 100' vertical. The announcements said it was on to test "ground wave intensity" by authorization of the FCC, & FCC rules section 73.46. I had them from 5:30 to 7:19:25 EST, their s/off "for the day." Oh, it also said it was transmitting from a site near Heightstown, NJ. Fine signal here all the way - where to send reports, anybody? Might this be a new stationtesting? Quien sabe? Well, erc is probably sick of my terrible writing, so 73 & 76! (Your writing is very easy to read, Robert! -erc)

Mike Diers - 414 49 Street - Brooklyn, New York - 11220

Hi! Back again after missing a few issues. Very little time for DXing these past few weeks. DX: MM 4/18- KWYO-1410 Wyo. r/c 2:05am u/WING, WLPM-1460 Va. ET 2:25, WABR-1440 Fla. end test 2:50am, WABB-1480 on top 3:33am, WSBP-1580 Fla. r/c-TT 3:53am (#23 on 1580), WCAO-600 Md. 4:01am, WDVA-1250 Va. 4:25, WVIP-1310 NY on top 6:27pm s/off. 4/20- WRRC-1300 NY on top, 1:47pm. 4/21- WBVM-1550 NY (1550 #14). Veries: v/q- KTYM (I'm also an honorary OD! Send an SASE!) ZBM1, WPUV WKBN. v/1- KFPA WBRC KSTT (on SC Total now 602/430. KWYO makes state #47. MMS almost worthless now! That's all, 73s.

Bob Pietsch - 10 Milland Drive - #A1 - Mill Valley, California - 94941

Not a whole lot of new stations logged of late, matter of fact only two veries: 5/1 CKRM-980 6:3am even w/KFWB/CKNW, & 5/5, KOHN-1390 11:30pm briefly atop KCEY/KGER. At least the incoming veries have picked up a little bit - WTJH-1260 XEG-1050 KPOJ-1330 v/qs, CHAT-1270 WSLM-1220-TEST VMPO-1390-TEST v/fs, KCVR-1570 on my report, & KSWs-1020 f/up. Totals now 603/379. I saw in the local rag last week KEWB-910 has been bought by Metro-Media & plans a call change to KNEW - what of KNEW-790 Spokane? I hope that new K-NEW abandons AN as I could use some new 910s, but fat chance of that happening. 73s & I hope everyone has a good Summer DXing. (Metro-media loves AN, Bob!-erc)

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Ron Sibbitt - 139 Floradale Drive - Cooksville, Ontario

5/5. Veries since last report: WSM CHOW (took 21 weeks) WCPC (first Miss.) CFNB (NB # 1) CBT (Mfld. #1) WJLE-TEST KSO WPRO (first RI) Belize-834 CKWW WSLR ZB1 (Bermuda #1) WBSM TIRICA-625 & WABQ all v/q. v/1- WWJ WTHM KOMA (Okla. #1) WRSJ (P.R. #1) WBAA & WMPO TEST. Totals now stand at 30 states, seven provimces, & nine countries veried, 2/287 stations logged. These are some of my better loggings since last Musing: 3/7- WMPO-1390-TEST @ 2:5am had fair signal, 2/QRN, WRSJ-1560 s/on-SSB @ 4:30am, WTRU-1600 s/on-SSB @ 5:32am. 3/14- ZB1-1235 @ 2:28am, YSS-655 on AN logged for report from 4:39-5:17am but I haven't gotten a verie yet. 3/17- YND-675 @ 7:50pm w/good signal. Good thing I got YND on 3/17 as very local CHFI-680 came on next day. 3/20- TIRICA-625 at 8-9pm w/S-9 signals. 3/21- HJED-820 @ 1am w/strong signals. 3/22- Barbados-285 in briefly @ 11:03pm u/CHIC & WBBM sloopover. 3/27- Cuban-740 @ 2:07am parrallel w/540 & 640, CMKJ or CMAB? 3/28- WSLR-1350 easy loggax 3-3:30 but they didn't mention NRC. 4/9- WEMC-960-TEST was weak & I couldn't get enough for a report. 4/11- WLOB-1310 saying "testing 1-2-3-4-" over & over w/ID @ 1:55am, CBO-910 @ 2:25, WSBA-910 @ 2:30, WGH-1310 @ 1:10am, WILS-1320 @ 1:40. 4/18- KVOR & KBEW Specials not heard. 4/18- WBTC-1540 s/off 7pm, CFRS-1560 @ 5:20pm, WTHM-1530 6:08pm, WABQ-1540 @ 5:30pm. 4/25- WFBC-1330 o/everything @ 12:05am, KLMS-1480 r/c 1:30-1:45am. 4/30- WNIO-1540 s/on 6am, WQTE-560 @ noon w/CFOS looped out. 5/2- WJCO-1510 r/c L&C @ 1:30, WINU-1510 r/c L&C @ 2:07am, WZKY-1580 f/c u/SS QRN 12:30-12:42am. 5/4- CKOT-1510 @ 2:25pm. I built the loop from the NRC plans of 4/64 & found it to work great. I'm now going to start building the BCB booster of 4/64 Radio-TV Experimentter & would appreciate hearing from someone who has built one. I'm having a hard time finding the two RF coils named in the par5s list as neither Allied nor Lafayette has them in their 1966 catalogs. I've just about given up on the Popular Electronics awards as I applied back on 1/5 & again on 3/1 for a 20-state award but nothing has been received yet. I got o/90% return on the reports I sent during 1965 w/only WLAC & WHLD not verifying. I sent only 45 reports though. So far this year I've been getting about 80% which I feel isn't too bad considering I've been BCB DXing just about eight months now. Gotta go so 73 & good DX.

Richard E. Wood - 207 East 16 Street - Bloomington, Indiana - 47403

I pause in the middle of my Ph.D. examinations (in Germanic Linguistics) to agree w/ Ken Butterfield regarding the inclusion of stamps (used U.S. issues are fine, say 50-50 commemoratives & definitives) in reports to stations other than large state-owned outlets. I never send an LA a report without some souvenir, be it stamps, a small pennant, or a postcard, & for pennant collectors this is a much better, & more polite, way to get a pennant in return, rather than actually asking for one. Always mention, in reports, something about that country, e/g/g, when writing to a Caracas station, speak a little about the life of Bolivar. Show an appreciation of the country's culture. My new RX is a Hammarlund SP-600, much better (on MW) than the HQ-180. I hope to see many of you at the ANARC Convention in Kansas City, Mo. 64105 (Hotel Kuehlebach, 7/29-30-31 - write for reservation cards). Some fine items have been arranged, & K.C. is a good place for a convention, as NRCers who were there last Thanksgiving will know. Bring your veries when you come. A few TAs, mostly Spain & Portugal, are still coming in. Xon't give up yet.

Rick Evans - Box 718 - Gary, Indiana - 46401

Greetings, gang. First, 35 new stations already this month through 5/10 has brought my totals up to 35/0. Second, I have moved. I am now working as a billing clerk for Darling Freight here in Gary. (How "sweet," hi -erc) I am living in a basement apartment in downtown Gary. I am having trouble getting stations to hear, not because of all the locals, but because of poor reception. I have a longwire about 20' up along the ceiling, but all I can get are the WCBS WABC WBBM WBAP WMBD WBZ KDKA WHO WWL type stations. But looking back at the log I can see some I heard during the day I couldn't get back in Kazoo, namely WBEE-1570 4:55pm, WIMS-1420 12:46pm, WOPA-1490 12:59pm, WLTH-1390 7:01pm. WLS was heard on 5/9 faintly testing in Morse Code. I had trouble hearing them! Anyone in this area interested, I live at 429 Delaware, five blocks from downtown. I am working now from 4pm to midnight. I understand that soon I may start working midnight to 8am Tuesday-Saturday. I hope that is the NOISE I hear, & not a permanent condition around here. I can't make it to Montreal, but to go to Milwaukee for a change. I was glad to see George Greens at Frank Merrill's house on 4/9. Local WLTH-1370 has news on :15 & :45 past the hour. I hope to see you in June. AS THEY <sup>WHISTLE</sup> ~~ARE~~ SOMEPLACE IN CUBA, "CMDC." COME TO MONTREAL - DRIVE CAREFULLY!"

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Daniel Burstein - 57-10 225 Street - Bayside, New York - 11364

Veries? What's that? I've Mused since 11/20/65, & o/that span I've mentioned sending reports to XERCN XEB XERF XEOY HJKA HJAT HJED 4VEH WKVM WORA VOA-1180 WEAT WDEV HJBC (taped) HJDK (taped) & JBC (taped). Out of these 16, know how many returns I've gotten? Would you believe five? Latest is VOA-1180. I expect returns from all of these since the reports were solid. I sent both a tape & letter to HJBC, but no cigar, so far. Report was sent about one month ago. Ernie, I checked at the post office, and they said that if a letter had insufficient postage, it would go through anyway, unless it was returned within two days. Therefore, when I sent out reports w/insufficient postage, they were not returned to me, & so they must have gone through. Norm Shacat, Murray the K is out of radio. He bought an old Roosevelt Field airplane hangar, fixed it up, set up some movie screens, got some movies of Beatles, etc., & thus "Murray the K's World" was hatched. It's sort of a discotheque. Nice going, Norm, on KORL. W/my RX, it's almost over my head, hi. I just might sell the S-120 & buy a new RX. I once again am pressing for a "reluctant verifiers" list, composed of reluctant & non-verifiers. This would not be a blacklist, but would serve to encourage listeners to send their best reports. For example: If station WAAD (no such animal) were an "easy" verifier, I might send a good report, w/return postage. But, if WAAD were a "reluctant" verifier, I would send an even longer report (though not any better), a tape, & maybe even a PPC, along w/the return postage. A "reluctant verifiers" list would result in reports of this type being sent. Welcome back, Ralph Houk. The Yankees would give their eye teeth for him. Keane got a rough break - no hitting. What ever happened to the Dodgers? My last day of classes is 5/10. Finals from 5/16-24. After that, clear swimming, until 9/15, or thereabouts. I'll be getting a regular weekly newspaper column on anyone or anything, next Fall. I'll be putting in plugs for this great Club. Ernie, I just figured out what your "C U in 7" means. Do you mind if I use it in the column? That's it, & 73s. (Not at all, go ahead! -erc)

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

Well, there's no more Friday the 13ths (only one in '66) & I believe those ANs made this a year without Spring bu polluting the air. The local WYSL-1400 AN gets free DJs (supposed to be learning) & others cheap for its Teen-Time programming. WGR-550 now has longer program, but not AN. Finally got a v/f, CM & a blank leatherhead from WHUN -1150, 400 Washington St., Huntingdon, Pa. 16652, this for a 4/25/66 test, 3:41-3:59am '60-'64-'65 reports were not answered. (My 3/1/47 was 1400k). I gave DX a vacation & do little now, usually MMs are best & so a Happy/Safe Memorial Day to you I don't worry over the 5/20 Sun Eclipse - it won't show here. I wish you, Janette, a nice vacation in the Bahamas. I hope Bill Stone comes "alive" via Musings again. I got (at an auction) another BC-946 (the BCB section of the Command set) & a DAK-3 (IF-DIR RX w/ 250-610 & 610-1520k) & now I have two DAKs; may sell second one. Roy Millar (Wash.) & a fellow in Cal. are only ones I know who have a DAK-3. It's a good spreading RX & even some 5k. splits are possible. C U next month. 73.

Dennis P. Waters 1524 Hunter Lane - Clearwater, Florida - 33516

Hi. Since this is my first Musing, I'll give you a little info about myself. I'm 16 & a junior in high school. My RX is a Radio Craftsman RC-10 & I've been DXing for about a year. So far my totals are 171/54, states 29/24, provinces 2/2, foreign countries 10/3. I have some info to pass on. WFSO-570, Pinellas Park, Fla. is now in operation w/500w. D. I am going to check w/their CE about tests. They did most of the pre s/on testing during the day. I am also going to check w/the CE at WALT-1110, Tampa, 10kw. D. He is a friend of mine. I plan to Muse pretty regularly except for seven weeks when I'll be in CA. Great opportunities for more countries down there. Recent logging: SM 5/8 - KLVI-560 @ 1:41, WTAR-790 @ 1:13, WFAA-570 @ 1:30, KELI-1430 @ 2:10, WXOK-1460 @ 2:22, WRC-980 @ 2:40, KYOK-1590 @ 3:15. Others: KNOE-540 K TSA-550 WING-1410 KAKC-970. Veries from WORD ZNS1 WOKE WKY WNOX CBR R. Americas & WHNC. The last was the fourth report from Fla. in 21 years. Addition: HJAC for ten minutes w/ Cuban jammers on 1130 @ 7:20pm. Note to any CEs who might be reading this. Please learn the 24-hour clock! I sent a report to WTOP listing time as 0430 & my card reads 4:30pm. Has WDDO changed frequency? I heard them on 1330 between WZOK & WTAN. Anyone interested in joining the International Society for the Preservation of the Cycle, write me. We'll have to try harder than the Hertz. I'd also appreciate photos from anyone interested in trading. One of these nights I'll have to crawl in the old dark-room & mix up a batch. 73s. (Swell, Dennis, and welcome to the NRC! We hope to see many more Musings from you. I hope you get a lot of good CA info for IDXD! -erc)

Bob Zwier - 383 West 17 Street - Holland, Michigan - 49423

Hi gang. I have just renewed my membership in the great NRC. The first year has been prosperous DX-wise & I am assured that w/the fine Club we have & the great CPC, the second will be just as good. I suppose I should re-introduce myself for those of you newer to the Club or those of you who forgot & want to know again. I am 15 (16 as of 6/24) & am a sophomore in High School. I use a Lafayette HA-63 communications RX attached to a 100 V-formation longwire pointing to the S. I don't have a tape recorder as yet, but that is in my plans for the Summer. My totals are 460/169, states 43/35, provinces 7/5, countries 9/5, & % of veries about 85%. Now down to the pityfully little bit of DXing I have done. 4/30- XEB-1220 @ lam, KOUR-1220 @ 1:10 w/TEST, & WMAK-1300 @ 1:25. No trace was heard of the scheduled WRYM TEST. Then 5/2 to show the depreciation of MMs, all I heard was KPWB-1140 testing w/mx @ 2:10. And two questions. What is a dominant SS on 1240 @ 2:30am 5/2? What is the SS s/off @ 3am on 5/2 on 1580? (Likely XDM -erc) Only verie back is in the form of a card from CFAC for province #5. Funny thing, in Holland, it is supposed to be Tulip Time, but there isn't a tulip to be seen. This is the coldest Tulip Time ever recorded in the past 37 years. I don't think I will make it to Montreal this year, but there is a slight chance I might make it to Milwaukee, right across the big pool. Well, enough for now, & everyone, remember the Summer issues. There still is some DX around then. No mail here yet today so I will say 73 for now. (Lots of tulips around Brooklyn, Bob, hi -erc)

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

Little to report but here she goes: 5/9- KMPL-1520, 7:29pm. Totals: 1,322/1,070. Veries: v/l- KQXI. v/pennant: HJBH-1423. v/q- KENO KTYM WKOX KIKI & CBLV-600 (40w.) Countries still stand at 81/66 w/the following countries being holdouts: Albania, Antigua, Argentina, Aruba, Azores, Brazil, Curacao, Dominican Republic, Egypt, Greenland, Hungary, Kuwait, Mali, Tunisia & Yugoslavia. Many European holdouts, besides the above countries, among them Lisbon-665, RTF-674 DDR-746 Warsaw-818, RTF-863 EAJ101-872, DDR-881 EAJ29-953 RIAS-989 Sweden-1223, RTF-1277 DDR-1322 Portugal-1367 DFR-1538, Portugal-1562, Portugal-1594, plus a large number of LAs & SAs. Lots of f/ups (20-40 a week) being sent so each station gets one at least once a month. It should bring in lots of veries. Ernie, KTYM also made me an honorary PD on a 2x3" card, for good reports. Why won't Cuban stations QSL? I'm going to write my reports to the government & count their QSLs as, let's face it, the staff of CMQ doesn't control CMQ's programming. What do you think of this? How about you, Ernie? Ernie, please don't throw out my WFIL-560 QSL, hi! Summer static is terrible here. 1- "Who" is the SS on 620 on MMs? 2- Who is R. Musical on 1575k? 3- Who is Managua, Nicaragua station on 540? Who am I? 73. (OK, Ken, I hope I can find it! -erc)

Bob Shaw - 234 Columbus Street - Elyria, Ohio - 44035

Hi. This is my first Musing after just joining & the NRC looks great! I'm 16 years old by the time this is printed & have DXed since last Summer. My totals are 358 heard, states 38/12, provinces 6/1, countries 10/3. My main DX problems are school's QRMing DX, & my oldie but goodie RX, a Philco 42-355. Here's what passes for DX in the last month: 4/4-MM- CKRC 12:33am, KFH-1330 12:36, WPAL-730 r/c s/off 1:20, WPDQ-600 1:38-1:46, CBO-910 1:49, WYSL-1400 2:10, WLYV-1450 2:24, WAKY-790 f/c-TT 3:02, WQXI-790 3:06-3:17, CKEY-590 3:18, CFRA-560 3:34. 4/5- WKOY-1240 midnight, CBJ-1580 10:07pm. 4/6- WQIK-1280 2:04 f/c-TT. 4/10- WIFE-1310 5:50am. 4/17- WKYC lost power so KFAZ-1100 12:07am. 4/24- WBEN-930 12:30, 1:30 believe WHBU-1240, WCMI-1340 1:42, WENI-920 1:50, KFIL-1060 TT 2:05 o/KYW-TT, WJIM-1240 2:09, WTRX-1330 (#10 on 1330) 2:11. 4/25-MM- WYNS-1150 f/c-TT 11:20pm (4/24); WHOM-1480 TT 12:25, WEVD-1330 12:35, WLDY-1340 TT very good 1:50, WSVA-550 8:50pm; Pirates' station WJAC-850 9:46 u/WJW, WSAY-1370 good after 10pm u/WSPD. At 10:33, while logging WSAY, I caught a s/off, & also WAOK-1380 jingle, same station? 4/26- WCOJ-1420 f/c-TT 12:05am u.WHK. 4/30- WPAT-930 state #36 12:35, WJAR-920 12:36, #37. 5/1- CKFH-1430 12:17, CFGM-1310 u/o WKNR 12:18, WFEA-1370 12:36 u/WSPD, good, for state #38, WLAN-1390 12:38, CJRL-1220 weak 12:45am. 5/2- Possible WKOK-1070 12:05, not CHOK, WBCM-1440 12:57, WJTN-1240 12:01am s/off, WIRL-1290 12:18. Now for the Help Wanted column. 2/21, while logging KNBR-680 at 1:00 I heard a s/off; 10,000 day, 5,000 night to return at 4:55am local time? Also 4/23, CKLW-800 lost power & weak one in back; could have been CFOB or PJB from direction but PJB doesn't have EE at 7:45pm Saturdays, does it? They said, "We will return this time next week w/detailed NX of the World." & then CKLW came back. Help? 73. (Welcome to the NRC, Bob, & we look forward to hearing often from you in Nusings! -erc)

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Roy H. Millar - Box 6 - Marysville, Washington - 98270

Veries in April: KUMU-1500, WTND-920 YVMY-840 (fourth SA & seventh country on this frequency), KMSL-1250 KNOW-1490 (#31 on this channel, including one EC, WOLF, NY), KPUA-970, KSWs-1020, KEDD-1550, WSLM-1220 CKWL-1240 (#47 on this channel, including three ECs, WFOY Fla., WCEM Md. WBML, Ga.) New loggings in April: 4/10- KACE-1570 Riverside, Cal. from 8:15am s/on to 9:30am fade-out w/Easter Sunrise service; KZEM(?) - 1190 6:26-7:04am, quite weak (ex-KRDS apparently). 4/13- KEDD-1550 Dodge City, Kans. s/on 7am, just ahead of XENU. 4/18- KISM-1530 Shakopee, Minn. ET 4:13-4:25am, u/OC of KFBK's 5 kw AXR. 4/23- KDCE-730 Espanola, NM, s/on 7:02am, briefly atop XEJ for log #30 on 970. "Musing" in 4/23 DX NEWS of Steve W. very good; well put. By the way, my son's amateur call is WN2FJS, currently operating CW-80 meters only, but soon also on CW/40 meters; 75w. At this time I would like to add my "THANKS A MILLION" to others who have voiced their appreciation & realization of the great volume of work involved, & the time demanded, of those responsible for publication of DX NEWS, Ernie C., Dick C., John C., The "Three C-Men" of the NRC to be specific. 73. (Thanks, Roy! -erc)

Bruce Reynolds - Route 2 - Warrensburg, Missouri - 64093

Hi all! Some Spring this has been! I've worn out the Winter coast taking it in & out of the closet. Tornado alert tonight, but none here. DX has been very limited due to CX & lack of time. 4/30- WXCL-1350 noted briefly @ 4am. 5/1- KTCS-1410 in well @ 7:39 am. 5/10- WMBB r/c heard from 12:37-12:41am w/IDs every minute, WLBH-1170 in briefly u/KVOO @ 7am, & WCIL (finally) through WPEO @ 7:20am. Veries have come in from WIBW & WQAM, v/q, v/1- KSAC WDLR & KOUR (forgot to mention above, slept through WRYM) & v/f, WSLM WMFO WHOD (after four months) & KMED for state #41. I have ordered a tape recorder from Lafayette, an RK-137A. I have wanted one for a long time & I hope Lafayette won't take as long as they usually do. Thanks to Jim Courtney for the fine info on WIVK! For a fine weekend in late July, make plans to come to the ANARC Convention at Kansas City. If you're planning a vacation this Summer & can't decide where to go, come to Mo! Anyone who is planning to come through this area, please let me know and come see me! Dan Shoaf, I'll try for your 1350 Cardinal station & if I find out who, I'll drop you a card. I have their network list from three years ago, & then they had no 1350 affiliates. Anyone w/a picture, I'd like to trade. I sure miss the weekly DX NEWS. By the way, my RX is a GR-64, not 54. I'm taking a course in SS next Fall, strictly for DX purposes. Well, 73s & good Summer DX.

Ev Johnson - 804 16 Street - Mendota, Illinois - 61342

DX has been slow here at this den, & not many veries back from this season. I have 17 reports not verified out of 61 reports sent. Latest two veries are from WAGN-1340 and KABI-1560. F/ups were sent to both. Latest report sent was to KMPL-1520 in Sikeston, Mo. who almost covers KOMA @ 7pm. Reports still out to KTDL-1470 WKYC-1100 WATI-810 WTKM-1540 WTEF-1360 WABQ-1540. Can you get me veries, Chris Manthey, from WKYC and WABQ? WSLT-TEST no verie. PKPCN-730 KPRS-1590. Can anyone tell me if WKLP Keyser W. Va. is on air or not? (I believe this one is on, Ev; not positive, though -erc) KUPK-1050 WANV-970 KCHR-1350 WADE-1210 KRIH-990 WYNX-1550 XEFB-630 KMPL-1520. A big THANK YOU to all the Editors, Publisher, & others who make NRC the very best. Glad to see that all have a short breezer this Summer, & a good Summer to all. I hope to get back to dials come 9/1. 2,674 veries in 14 1/2 years of DX, all spent w/NRC, @ a fine Club. DX NEWS received here on Monday even w/third class postage. My thanks to all who have written to me in the past years. Always glad to hear from any of you DXers. I will try to get a report in every month till Fall. Best DX to all & 73s

Geoff Trower - Lewes House - Natal Road - Brighton, 7, Sussex, England

Still quite good CX here for NA. RX queried is RCA AR88D (14 tube). 4/30- WAVZ-1300 10:40pm w/"Win Contest" reported for second attempt. 5/1- WEIM-1280 new @ 10:10pm w/ NASA WX in Space talk. WORC-1310 o/WLOB @ 10:45pm, Worcester stations don't QSL?? Then WARN-1330 u/WCRB @ 10:50 not often heard. 5/3- Mainly IAs, only WOND-1400 above average, so listened to WMEX-1510 sort out listeners' worries. 5/6- CKOY-1310 best NA signal @ 10pm. WENE-1430 close SSB @ 10:58pm. Only one weak signal behind on 1430. 5/8 good, new WEMJ-1490 @ 10:55pm, #7 for NH. No veries this past week, locally, Radio Caroline S now on 1188k. The two new Pirates not shown up yet. About reporting, impossible to do 30 minute coverage, at times I'm grateful for a good three minutes, can't say I've noticed any connection between length of report & the chance of a verie, the majority of stations are so friendly, inviting us to become regular listeners, etc. I haven't got the heart to tell them that the next three minutes might be in three years time. 73 to all. All up to date w/NRC issues here; mail has been good lately.

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Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014

Greetings! DX is actually starting to slack off, or should I say, drop off. Oh well, not much going on here, just a report out every once in a while. DX: 4/28- WKIK-1370 @ 6:45pm. 4/29- WFLN-900 @ 9am. 5/1- WRBD-1470 @ 5am s/on, WRNL-910 @ 5:24am, WSBA off till 6:30 now. 5/2- KPWB-1140 ETing around lam, guess they were ANing it, asked for audio quality reports. 5/8- WWSR-1420 @ 5am s/on. 5/9- I overslept (Hi, Bob!) but I got up early enough to get WNLC-1510 @ 4:34am. WICE-1290 @ 4:07am. That night, WTTT-1430 @ 5pm s/off, & WHIL-1430 @ 6:45pm. New veries: WNJR-1430 v/c, KTYM-1460 sent a small card (no mention of my report, just my name on it). WBBF-950 v/1, WKIK-1370 v/1, WEEZ-1260 poor v/c (four months for it!) & a v/f from WAMO-860. Total veries: 315 in 42 states. I wrote WVCH about their spreading, & the owner called me up & said that a bad filter was found in the audio stage. He also states he is interested in DXers, DXing, & likes GOOD reports. He also mentioned that I was lucky to have this kind of equipment, & I was invited down to the station as a guest of his. He is a ham operator, he is Mr. James Tisdale. So, if you hear WVCH-740 some time, write a report, send it to WVCH, Mr. James Tisdale, Wolf Building, Chester, Pa. 19013 & mention my name & I'm 100% sure you'll get a verie. I'm going to try to get the bad reports & if I do, I'll write to the persons & try to get them to send half-decent reports. Jerry Starr; I know whose report that was you mentioned. Outta room, so 73s.

Herbert Campbell - Box 35 - R. D. 2 - Athens, Pennsylvania - 18810

DX Season was a lemon w/me. RX conked out about Thanksgiving. I had it back by the middle of Feb. Not much enthusiasm for working the old SX 9. FM awfully poor since mid-Dec. Just now I would like to hear from my report on WFIF TEST. I received a very fine veri from WTYN-1550 on f/c. List reads third MM 2:30-2:45. But on 3/21 they were second MM, 3-3:15. (In many cases the appointment is at the last moment at the convenience of the monitor). (3/21 WAS third MM, Herb, not -erc) But the list helps. Nice veri from CKAD-DX for poor report. It was all due to the all-out efforts of Mr. Schofield to break through. Hats off to him. Some of these guys act as if they were afraid that someone would hear them. To the younger lads, we have always had our veri troubles. Now there are maybe four times as many stations so four times as much trouble. I have had a report out to KDKA on a DX program for 28 years, three months! Maybe I ought to send 'em a f/up, hi! "Policids" too often are whims of lazy or disgruntled employes. Once I sent in a good report to a Va. station. Back came a veri from the office boy. He said that he saw the CE toss my report in the waste basket. When he got a chance he fished it out, verified it & tore the page out of the station log & sent it along to boot! I can't take room for any more tales but would like to spin 'em. (Send 'em in by all means, Herb - very interesting! -erc)

Gene DeLorenzo - 35 Sylvan Drive - Hyannis, Massachusetts - 02601

Hi. On DST here, & it was a bit confusing at first. I think I've got it down pat now. DX still good, but not many veries. Latest veries: v/q- WIOD WPAL WQAM WJTO. WORL signed & sent back --re-made QSL devised by myself w/index cards & Magic Marker. Does anyone know who the FF is on 900 at about 5am EST? Down to DX: 4/14- WEEZ-1590 10:27pm (Dave Schmidt: you must think I'm crazy or a poor DXer by logging your "favorite" station for the first time). 4/17- XEDA-1290 lam, WMBD-1470 1:46. WBAY-1360 1:59 s/off. WOHO-1470 2:14. MM 4/18- WUNI-1410 12:04 (state #37). WMVB-1440 12:35 TT, WENZ-1450 1:56, WLPN-1460 2:32 s/off, WGNE-1480 2:40 TTT WRNY-1350 4am s/on, WTAR-790 4:03 finally, w.WEAN off. WCAO-600 4:05, WQXI-790 4:09, WAYS-610 4:13, WCGC-1270 4:40, WPON-1460 4:45, WPNX-1460 4:50 s/on, CFOX-1470 4:55 s/on, WWPA-340 5:31 s/on. 4/20- WSRC-1470 4:30pm breaking through WBNP. 4/21- WTRX-1270 12:50. 4/22- WSPD-1370 lam. 4/25- WCOJ-1420 11pm s/off, CKPC-1380 12:05 s/off, WOLF-1490 12:51, WBNS-1460 12:58, CKPM-1440 s/off lam. WOCB RS is actually 5:28-12:00 DST & 5:29-11pm EST. In DXDD a while back I put 5:28-12:00. All times EST. Jeff Kadet: I hope you had fun down South. Actually, w/a transistor up against your ear in a moving car, logging stations is quite a thrill & still presents quite a challenge. C U in 14.

Dan Shoaf - 6906 Hartland Avenue - Houston, Texas - 77055

Hi! No new DX here in the past two weeks. Some of the very few veries that have been trickling in here are: KTRH v/1 for second report; KILT v/1 for second report; v/1: KATQ WSLM WMPQ KVVQ WHOD WPHN KEDA & KQAQ. v/q- WBMC. I wonder why they are just trickling in? I guess it's because I haven't sent any reports out lately, hi! That's all from this den, I'll let some of the more successful DXers fill these pages. 73 & good DX from WPE5EIS, "The Transistorized DX Station."



Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

A surprising amount of DX, veries & everything else in the past month or so. Also, TV DX stated in earnest 5/10-12 w/lots of Es from Col. Neb. Wyo. etc. As I've mentioned before, all who keep mentioning interest in TV/FM DX, why not give the CDXC a try? I really believe we have been running the largest & best such column of any club in NA for the past two years - write to me for sample bulletin. Latest veries: v/1- WJAS-1320, night pattern is major lobes N S & W, c/w format began last Nov. WKJR-1520, most reports from NE, natch; finally WJBO-1150 w/comparitive CM of Baton Rouge stations, another new state capital; WMPO-1390-TEST heard widely; WIXY-1260 off MN from 12-4/30 6 am; r/c @ 2am first MM. KOUR-1220, I get the impression they didn't get too many reports on their TEST - first Canadian report in 3-4 years, included sales CM. v/c-WIBG-990; WIRE-1430, off MM 12-4:30am EST; v/SC- one-line note on Top 30 chart from KSTT-1170. Also in the mail, one of those dandy "May the Bird of Paradise Fly Up Your Nose" bumper stickers from KHOW-630 along w/some cards to Vince Paul's BKTSP Club - what the heck is that? Now to DX: 4/10- Almost sure real weak signal on 1040 was much needed KHVH Honolulu but too much slop from WBZ & WHN together w/CHUM's OC off/on to get log. W/KYW-1060 off SMS, CJLR Quebec City fairly good at times. MM 4/11- Local CFCM-1310 off as early as 12:30am; unID fluttery TT on 1090 around 12:35; Hockey on 920 @ 12:55 turned out to be just CKCY - NOHA game in overtime; added yet another Pa. when WDAD-1450 s/off 1:02 w/America the Beautiful." Then a real surprise, WERI-1230 ET ID @ 1:02 & on top for 4-5 minutes; WMID-1340 very clear 1:25; Wonderful WWTC-1280 ID @ 1:30. At this point I gave up whole hose of unID TTs for a few hours' sleep. 4/16- I got around to logging WKJR-1520 r/c ending 12:30; CJOC-1220 fairly clear 4:50 w/Top 40 mx, AN on weekends again; not sure who this would be, @ 4:59 on 730 during CBL lull mention of "One Hour of uninterrupted mx" don't believe this would be CKDM & if not they, who, CKLG? 4/17- A somewhat unusual SM here. CKOC-1150 off on a SM for first time in ages (regularly off MMs). 1150 a mess w/only ID from WCUE @ 3am. Presume AN SS-1550 is a Cuban. CFRB-1010 off RS too for first time in o/a year, but oeft OC on 3-6am; w/WTIC off SMS, who would second signal on 1080 to KRLD be, WKLO AN SMS? KFI-640 clear 3:20. Second EE-1220 u/CJOC obviously CKDA. WIBC-1070 AN; CKOC-1150 on 5:51. WTIC-1080 s/ on 5:59; KYW-1060 s/on 6am; CFRB-1010 s/on 6 after three hours of maintenance & adjustment of XR. Lots left for next DX NEWS. (WKLO is AN SMS, w/rr -erc)

Greg Senko - 111 Forest Avenue - West Long Branch, New Jersey - 07764

Hi. DX is OK, but I've been getting lazy, & not sending out too many reports, so veries have slowed to a trickle. I've sent only eight reports out in the past two weeks, w/the following results: v/1- WKGN & WISM for state #37 veried. v/q- WING WJJD WELI & a big surprise in WKAT who now seems to be verifying. They verified a report I sent them in 11/65 on a postcard, which was what I sent all my reports out on before joining NRC. Also got a verie from WEBO who wrote "verified" on my report. DX: 5/2- WBET-146 Mass. @ 8:33pm. 5/3- CMGA-720, @ 9pm, o/u WGN. 5/4- ZFBL-960 @ 7:55pm; WWNY-790 NY @ 10pm s/off, thanks to Jerry Bond. 5/6- WROW-590 NY @ 5:45pm. 5/8-SM- WIND-560 Ill. @ 2:10am; XEB-1220 @ 2:55; CFOX-1470 Que. @ 5am. 5/9- WOLD-1330 Va. @ 7:24pm; WYGO-133C Ky. @ 7:30pm s/off; WFIN-1330 O. @ 7:45pm s/off. 5/15- WJVA-1580 Ind. @ 1am f/c; WMAL-630, DC, @ 1:35am; WSMN-1590, NH, @ 2:05am; WNRI-1380 RI, @ 5am s/on; WWSR-1420 Vt. @ 5:10am; WVIP-1310, NY @ 6:30pm. Concerning stations heard while traveling, I don't count them as new stations logged & add them onto my totals, because I don't feel that that 's DXing. If someone had a job in which he did a lot of traveling across the country, it is possible that within a few years, he could have most of the stations in the country logged. What fun is there in that? I think the aim of most CXers is not just to hear stations, but to hear the ones that are far away & hard to get. Concerning the report printed in DX NEWS, I don't think the person who sent it will send out any more like it, but I don't agree that printing the report was a good idea. Possibly this person does not know how to send a good report that will be useful to the station & get results. If the NRC would print a pamphlet concerning these things & distribute them to members, it might have a better effort. Enough said. 73 & C U in 14 (I hope)

Eric A. Bristow - 419 West Court - Paris, Illinois

I rode the "City of Miami" from Orlando Fla. to Mattoon Ill. on 5/6. I'll be here three months before returning to Sebring, Fla. I heard lots of new stations from the t5ain in Miss., Ala., Tenn. & Ky & other states. I had the carpenter fix me a loop from blueprints last winter. I have plenty of wire & would like to hear from members who have a loop as to diagram as the carpenter lost or misplaced the diagram. Thanks. I will not set into Montreal this time.

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William Thomas - 17518 Delaware Avenue - Lakewood, Ohio - 44107

I wonder, how well does the FCC monitor the ECB? I would like to know because there is an outlaw station operating here in Lakewood. It is on about 1620k & uses the calls WPCC. It has been on for about two months. Also ERC, if I receive a verie from them would it be worth anything? (That's an interesting question, William - I would NOT count it, but on the other hand I DO count R. Caroline & R. Verohica, hi -erc) Now to DX: 4/16- KFI-640 5:45-5:59am. 4/27- KSTP-1500 7:38-7:56pm o/WJBK. 4/30- WSAI-1330 8:34-8:55pm. 5/7- CKWW-580 6:56-7:30am. 5/9- WHEN-620 7:08-7:10pm fairly good. 5/10- WRIC-540 7:16-7:29 s/off, S-9. My veries have been coming in slowly w/only these few: v/1- WINX KFI WERC (second verie w/only one report sent) WYZE WCNS. v/q- WSAI & KSTP. I would like to correspond by letter w/any new members. 73s.

Jeff Kadet - 8047 Park Overlook Drive - Bethesda, Maryland - 20034

Hello. It's been a little while since I've represented in these pages, so here's what I've heard since my last report (most of these have been reported to): MM 4/18- KBEW-1560 TEST 3:29am (I didn't realize that it was they I heard until receiving DX NEWS a few hours later!) 4/23- WJPB-1220 new station from Kissimmee, Fla. ET 4:56am. WCVA-1490 2:35-3:34pm. 4/24- WKBK-1220 s/on 5:32-5:45am. WIZS-1450 11:02-11:34pm. MM 4/25- WUNI-1410 s/off 12:58am. WLAQ-1410 s/off 12:59. WJNO-1230 1:49-2:23. WABB-1480 2:07-2:32am. 4/30- KOUR-1220 TEST 1:15-1:30am. 5/1- WELD-690 6:05-6:12am. WITH-1230 9:46-10:31. MM 5/2- WSIX-980 12:03-12:10am. WTTO-1520 ET 3:04-3:45am. WMLP-1380 s/on 4:01. 5/5- WIOI-1010 7:17-7:23pm. WMEV-1010 7:20-7:30 s/off. 5/7- WPIT-730 ET 12:39-12:50am. WYNX-1550 ET/M 1:25-1:40. WVOB-1520 2:13-2:30pm. MM 5/9- CJET-630 12:09-1am. WERI-1230 ET/M 12:30-12:50am. 5/11- KDTH-1370 r/c 1:30-1:45am. WACY-1460 r/c 2:15-2:30. Also, these veries have been received: v/f- WMPO-TEST WSIX WCPS WHOD-TEST WSLM-TEST WJAR CJOY. v/1- WUBE WHSC CKCW (province #10) WKGN KBEW-TEST WBAW WLBS WELD WVOB KOUR-TEST WMID WKBA WMEV CHER (I was their third US reporter, after Stan Morss & Ernie!) v/q- WBIR WMTS CBF (province #9. I needed the F for Letterama, hi). KENO (state #49) WPAL. I was very happy to verify 49 states & ten provinces in eight months although I'm sure it's been done before. However, I think my logging of 1,372 stations in 61 countries & my multiplier of 60 (out of a possible 61) in the Domestic Contest #1, since that time, may have set new records, hi. I had a great time in Miami Beach & met a number of old ham buddies but I regret I was unable to reach Ron Schatz who was still in Gainesville & Sheldon Miller, I'm sorry but I couldn't find your telephone number listed anywhere & didn't have the time for a personal visit. Anyway, I enjoyed meeting Rick Marr who visited here a few weeks ago (Steve Russell was also present) & we had a lot of fun talking DX. This is a list of the stations which I logged driving down to Miami Beach & their formats at the time, if I could get them: WLES-580 religious, WAGR-580 "Wager Radio" pop mx & rr. 600: WPDQ rr. 630-WSAV 690- WAPE was followed in the early afternoon L&C up last the NS/SC border. 710: WUFF religious. 730: WPAL rr, WPMC. 740- WKIS "Radio Kiss", WSBK pop mx, WBAW pop mx & a little rr. 790: WWBD had good coverage to the S, WYNR wasn't QRV yet. WLBE variety mx. Almost out of lines so I'll try to finish this up next time. I just might add I had a most friendly telephone chat w/the CE of WDOG-1460 & he says he's very busy but he'll try to answer "WSET" reports in the near future. However, the FCC told me they were never authorized WSET, so there! Good Summer DXing to everybody. 73.

Steve Weinstein - 435 Jayson Avenue - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania - 15228

Hi. I've hardly DXed at all lately due to a variety of things - poor band CS; sports, the advent of the TV DX season (although it really hasn't started yet in Pittsburgh for some reason) & senioritis, that mighty affliction which besets all high school seniors before graduation. The symptoms are readily recognizable; extreme laziness; an unwillingness to do work of any kind, especially homework; an enlarging of the eyeballs, especially when girls come by in their new swimsuits; and an uncontrollable urge to leave high school right in the middle of class. It's extremely contagious, so watch out, all you underclassmen! It won't be long before you get it too! At any rate, veries: v/1- KSWS KEYD KBEW-WAMO-WHOD-TESTs. DX: MM 4/25- TGO-795 taken down for a report 12:36am w/S-6 signals, very clear. TGJ-880 & TGUX-1020 were also very clear, so I wrote them down too, although I heard that TGJ doesn't like to verify too often. (Once is enough, Steve, hi -erc) 4/30- WUBE-1230 finally noted lam. 5/2-WDWK-1400 12:15am s/off. MM 5/9- WSIC-1400 clear @ 12:08am s/off. 5/14- TGKL-840 taken down for report. I'll still try to DX a little in the Summer, but a job (I hope) & TV DX will probably interfere. 73s. (Thanks for interesting pix, Steve -erc)

Mike Northam - Route 2 - Box 524 - Creswell, Oregon - 97426

Greetings group. DX has been severely restricted of late because of a new part time job - bartending. This cuts out nearly all my time for evening & early morning DX. My meager offerings look like this: (underlines mean varied). 4/10- KFIV-1360 Tting from at least 3:54 to 4:33 w/only one ID @ 4:02; WDMG-860 s/on @ 5:57 for Ga. #2; KIXZ -940 @ 6:13; CKCK-620 6:33-6:50am finally in well enough for report; KGGM-610 6:51-7:13am. 4/11- KBLE-1050 Tting 3:17-3:28; KATL-1340 Tting 3:40-3:50. 4/18- KVOR-1300 DX way u/KYNO but s/off @ 3:57 was readable. 4/25- KIWO-1470 in well 1:02-1:59am s/off for Wyo. #3; WMBD-1470 weakly 2:01-2:08; KTYM-1460 testing w/Rachel's Rendezvous (yecch!) @ 2:13; WNDR-1260 @ 3:15; KISN-910 testing 2:45-3; WFRX-1300 s/on 5am. 4/30- KDOT-1440 PoP at least from 2:58-4:11am. v/1- KLOG KSRV KCLS CHQR KUPD KAPT KBRO KFXD KEEN KBOW KVLE KYLT KCOK KBOY-CM CFUN KIOA WSB (also v/q) KIWO-CM. v/q- KID KOVO WIBW-CM KSEI KRLD KALL KOVE WNOE CKCK KGGM WING. v/s: XERB KRVN XECL. Totals now stand at 293/124 w/states 33/30, Canada 5/4, Mexico 6/4, & countries 4/3 at the end of four months of DXing. A further thought on the proposed lists of "reluctant" verifiers: If everyone would report their v/s to Russ Edmunds for his list, no one would need to ask the question, "Does W--- verify?" It would be sort of an inverse of the negative list! John Hoogerheide: I'm not really trying to ignore you - I just haven't found the time to get together! 73s & watch the Ducks at the NCAA!

Michael Gikow - 115 Forest Avenue - West Long Branch, New Jersey - 07764

Reports out to CJOY CHNS WEVD WVOX WELQ WROW CJOC WINS WIBG WGBB WCAU & WOI. Veries back: v/1- WIP WMID WEVD CJOY. I sent a report to WJRZ-970 to Hackensack, NJ, & the post office returned it for insufficient address. Can anyone give me the correct address? (Newark 1, NJ -erc) Meager DX: 5/5- WPEP-1570 Mass. 6pm s/off u/WBUX s/off, WROW-590 NY 5:30pm looped WARM. 5/8- WGAN-560 Portland, Me. 2:15am, first Maine DX. CFRA-580 Ont. 2:31am, CJOC-1220 Lethbridge, Alta. first Alberta DX 3:05am, WAOK-1380 Ga. 4:03am, CFOX-1470 s/on 4:55am Que. Nothing for a week until 5/15: WJVA-1580 Ind. lam test w/OC, WHYN-560 Mass. 2:08am, WKBN-570 2:33, first time able to get past WMCA, WOI-640 Iowa in well from 9:42-10:20pm, WLIS-1420 Conn. 1:35pm, WCAM-1310 Camden, NJ, 2:30pm u/WJLK. 73s.

Steve Bezilla - 307 Second Avenue - Osceola Mills, Pennsylvania - 16666

Here is my once-in-a-while Muse w/very little DX. A bit of it goes like this. ZBML Bermuda, WLOF Fla. WANV Va. WIMD Md. WBNO O. WDOT Vt. CHLO Ont. WWC0 Conn. WTSA Vt. WPAW NY, WMID W.Va. & WERI RI. Info on these wouldn't help much as they go back to January. I had the pleasure of meeting my first NRC member on Sunday. A trip to Punxsutawney over to JWB's home. Joe's DX data is very well organized; I came bug-eyed all the way home. My dribble looks kind of sickening after logging over his veries. Hi, Joe. Work has slowed DXing here to a very slow pace, but the bulletins have me posted on everything. Fine work, fellows. 73s. (Thanks for cards, Steve! -erc)

Ernest R. Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn, New York - 11226

No veries in this fortnight. I surely have a lot of f/ups to send out, if the inclination ever should strike. And, likewise, no new catches, at least no new reports possible, although a couple of needed ones have been heard. MM 5/9- WWUN-1590 heard at s/off time w/little slop from improved WWRL, but not enough. They go off at 1:04am. There was a Tter on 1110, w/WBT off, mostly all morning, but they never did ID as I listened, & I devoted most of my two hours of MM DXing to listening to it, hoping for an ID, but no luck. The loops showed it to be S of here, but it was quite weak, only S-5, but o/CBD. Anybody have better luck w/an ID on this one? There's a constant TT (possibly a hetrodyne) on 860 these MMs. TT on 1590 after 2am, also TT u/WHOT-1330 at 2:15 or so, also an all-talk ANer - is this KFH? 5/10- WVTR-910 again heard, but only a smidgeon, they s/off @ 7pm EST in May, same time as semi-local WRKL. MM 5/16- CHML-900 again silent; but the channel was silent, too. WHN-1050 off, w/CHUM o/XEG the only stuff on there. WRDW-1480 noted ETing w/mx @ 1:40am. WNEB-1230 seemed to be running AN, o/u WITH. They have pop mx. Um WKJK-1580 heard on f/c-M 1:03-1:05 & on. I got part of an ID on 1290 from a tester u/WICE. Tter u/CKLW @ 1:53, & continued on w/no ID after CKLW's 2am s/off; they went off abruptly @ 2:09 w/no ID. A phone call tonight from Allen Nissen & he says that in the Hackensack Record there appeared a story that thieves got away w/nine miles of one-eighth-inch-thick underground cable from WHN's RR site, cutting them off the air @ 1:37am EDT on SM 5/15. They seem to have used a boat in the Hackensack River to make their approach & getaway, the article said. They were off about four hours SM & also off MM, but they were on during the day Sunday. CUin21.

DAVE SCHMIDT SENDS US A COPY OF HIS METHOD OF REPORTINGRADIO STATION WKEN, DOVER, DELAWARE

"I am pleased to report reception of your station on Feb. 21, 1966 from 12:13pm to 12:25pm EST on 1600 kcs. Items and ann. heard on this broadcast are as follows:

12:13pm Sports	12:17 Instrumental record
12:13:30 Weather Report Jingle	12:19 Low's Commercial
12:14 Weather report	12:20 Stock report
12:15 End of NX brought by Townsen Brothers Chevrolet.	12:21 Army commercial
12:15 Time Check & Shell Heating Oil Commercial	12:21 Frank Sinatra record
12:16 Station jingle.	12:23 Ford Commercial
12:16 Health Commercial (Physical checkup)	12:24 Floyd Cramer Record
	12:25 End of report.

(All other information on the report form was filled in. As of 5/10/66, still no ver-  
ie received. If anyone has any comments on my type of reports, please direct them to  
me. If there is any way that I can improve them, please tell me. I think that this  
should be the regular way of reporting to a station or at least, something close to  
it. If I do not get a log of at least three items, I do not send a report. If I  
catch a s/off, I try to catch the announcer's name, owner's name or location (of office  
or XR). You will find that your returns will increase. Use return postage & send a  
verifiable report. And, the NRC forms are the best for the price. Use them if you  
have them as they have included all the info the CE is interested in at a good loca-  
tion on the report form. 73s & good DX.)" - Dave Schmidt.

POOR or BEGINNERS' REPORTS

Some weeks back, we printed what we considered a bad report. It wasn't meant to be a  
guessing contest as to whose report it was. Apparently there was a clue in the letter  
and we didn't realize it at the time. May your Editor submit this following bit of  
observation? Just about EVERYBODY has sent out such a report at one time in his DXing  
career, methinks. I know I did! And on postcards, too! When we started to try to  
verify our catches, few of us had ever seen anyone else's methods of reporting, and so  
had to improvise. After learning the correct way to report, a good DXer changes his  
methods, and that was the reason we published the "horrible example" type of report.  
So, please, guys, stop trying to guess the identity of the writer of that report -  
just make sure yours are better than it! And, if you would like to show what type of  
report YOU send, then shoot one along with your next Musing, and we'll get it in as  
space permits. If it is essentially the same as Dave's, above, then skip it, but if  
you have some other way you prefer, let us all read it in DX NEWS!

VISIT YOUR LOCAL STATION AND PUT IN A PLUG FOR GOOD DX REPORTS!

Andy Rugg - 16 Lake Breeze - Pointe Claire, Quebec

New veries are WBAA-920 WJLE-1480 & CKAD-1490, all NRC Specials. Thanks very much to  
this year's CPC for providing me w/the bulk of my new loggings. DX is as follows:  
3/21- WVCF-1480 TEST eask & static-ridden from 3-3:20am., HJLQ-1515 strong but no re-  
port taken yet; unn WCKY-1530 ET/M 3:24; unn KTYM-1460 ET/M w/female announcer 3:25;  
weak 1170 station IDed @ 3:29 but was too muffled to understand. 4/4- WRNY-1350 s/on  
& RS from 3:59-4:09am; CKAD-1490 DX gladly logged o/u WBCB from 4:13-4:33. 5/5- WADK-  
1540 slithered through WPTR for sporadic copy from 6:29-6:50pm. (I had been trying  
for a decent log on them for five years). I hope that young age won't deter many of  
our northeastern members from attending the Convention in Montreal this Labor Day  
weekend. In my case I had been at three out-of-town Conventions before my 18th birth-  
day, & both Phil Jacobs (ex-NRCer) & I had been to an NRC Convention before we turned  
17 (San Simmons went to Amarillo in 1961 at age 15). So we hope some of you mid-teen-  
ers will be able to make it up here. There are ample transportation connections be-  
tween here and all major U.S. cities, and several NRCers willing to share rides. From  
my past experience, anyone within a 400 mile radius of Montreal would only have to  
outlay \$50-60, at the most, to attend, and much less if you're thrifty or can get a  
ride. I hope to see you at Montreal '66! 73.

REMEMBER AN NRC CONVENTION IS ALWAYS FUN. WHY NOT PARTICIPATE THIS YEAR? MAKE THOSE  
PLANS NOW TO BE THERE AND TO MEET MANY OF THOSE WHOSE WORDS AND FEATS YOU READ ABOUT  
HERE IN DX NEWS. IT'S OVER THE LABOR DAY WEEKEND, SEPT. 3-4-5. WE'D LIKE TO SEE YOU!

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FOREIGN CONTEST STANDINGS

By Ben Dangerfield

EAST	PTS.	CTRS.
(1) Boatright, N.J. adds: Agadir; BEC-908; Lisbon-755; Rheinsender .....	392	27
(2) Burnham, Conn. adds: PJA-5; AFN-Munich; CSB-2; Caroline-North; WENE; RNE-San Sebastian .....	363	28
(3) Calkin, N.D. adds: None .....	287	21
(4) Dangerfield, Pa. adds: R. Monumental; R. Scotland; HJKX .....	257	20
(5) Neff, N.Y. adds: R. Monte Carlo; RNE-San Sebastian .....	226	18
(6) Tweedie, N.J. adds: None .....	201	13
(7) Silvera, Jamaica. adds: None .....	178	13
(8) Gangler, Md. adds: None .....	147	8
(9) Holbrook, Md. adds: None .....	82	5
(10) Parsons, Pa./Ont. adds: None .....	66	3
(11) Rugg, Cue. adds: None .....	46	2
(12) Marbach, N.Y. adds: None .....	42	2
(13) Fela, N.J. adds: None .....	34	2

WEST/CENTRAL

(1) Scrimgeour, Calif. adds: ZEM-1; HJER; WRSJ; Barbados; XEG; IYZ; HJLC; 4DC .....	293	16
(2) Weinstein, Pa. adds: None .....	230	16
(3) Palmer, Ill. adds: WAPA; TGO .....	150	10
(4) TIM: Fox, Yukon adds: None .....	148	8
Freeman, Calif., adds: None .....	148	10
(5) Millar, Wash. adds: KUMU; YVMY; KPUA .....	82	5
(6) Tilbrook, Pa. adds: None .....	65	4
(7) Gifford, Ill. adds: Radio London .....	63	2

Again, may I make a plea to send in your veries, whether you expect to win a prize, or not. I plan to go on vacation the last two weeks of July, and the first week of August, and don't particularly want to be swamped with last-minute returns. There will be four prizes for the EAST, (not including me), and three for CENTRAL/WEST. July 31 is the last day you can receive a verie. Any new reports you sent out since April 30 will have to be to Southern Hemisphere stations, and this continues until June 30, to give contestants a chance to score on some stations which can only be heard in the late spring and summer. Good Luck Ben Dangerfield.

W H A T ' S H E A R D ....

- 575 SO. KOREA. Just noted HLKR-575 is KBS, so has 3+1 pips on hour. Likely I had them. (Randy Seaver, 2119 30th St., San Diego, Calif. 92104)
- 590 NICARAGUA. YNRD, R. 590, Managua. Is the L.A. heard here so ID'ing, "R. Quinientos Noventa" s/off at 0000. (Mike Silvera, 5 Grosvenor Heights, Kingston 8, Jamaica)
- 660 NEW ZEALAND. "ZYC, Wellington, heard 5/10 at 0600 with GSW. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 710 COLOMBIA. HJFT, Ecos del Combiema, Ibaque, noted very weakly under WGPS at 2250 5/2. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 720 GUATEMALA. TGN, Guatemala. Noted excellent level on 5/10 at 2357 s/off with anncts. in English and Spanish. Mixing with WGN on the longwire and all alone on loop. No sign of the Cuban. (Jack Keene, 4902 Eppes St., Houston, Texas 77021)
- 740 VENEZUELA. YVNC, R. Mundo, Maracaibo, noted quite well under Cuban at 2105 4/17. Been after this one a long time. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 760 MEXICO. XEABC, R. A.B.C., Los Reyes, or D.F.? Noted at 0221 4/4 with Mariache music; CRM from Reloj. (Silvera, Jamaica) Los Reyes, Mexico, is official location. Is Mexico City suburb, and gives D.F. mailing address. (Ed.)
- 795 GUATEMALA. TGO, Guatemala, La Voz de las Americas, regular in AM's after 0600 s/on. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 800 EL SALVADOR. YSAX, San Salvador, heard 4/18 at 0613. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 825 COSTA RICA. TICS, R. Titania, San Jose, heard for the first time here at 2249 4/26. Slow music and safety spots. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- UNID. S.S. S/off at 2205 on 5/9. Another weak station still on freq. Is YVLT still on this freq.? (Jesse R. Bruner, 1321 Nancy Hanks, Apt. 3, Lexington, Ky. 40504.) YVLT last heard on 830; probably TICS. (Ed.)
- UNID. Het. here, in evenings, is this TICS? (Seaver, Calif.)
- 850 UNID. S.S. On 4/29 at 0400, CX16 or otherwise? Very little KICY this time of year. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 860 NEWZEALAND. IYZ, Rotorua, heard 4/19 at 0500 with 6 pips and accented English way down behind KONO, which I thought was supposed to be off Tuesdays. (Seaver, Calif.)

- 875 NICARAGUA. YNW-1, R. Mundial, Leon. New program and ID's. Fair to good at 0005 4/29. Monumental off at 2400. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 880 NICARAGUA. YVKW, R. Libertad, Managua. New station noted here since 2330 4/29. Plays US pop music. Sked 0600-2400. Very strong here. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 885 UNID. Honduras. Esta es HR?W. Believe I heard mention of R. Montserrat, so might be HROW. (Burner, Ky.) HROW went broke several years ago, Jesse. Resurrected? (Ed.)
- 920 MEXICO. Two XE's at 0100 past 0130 with music and ads. Unable to ID as very weak and much static. Heard 4/9. Who? (Silvera, Jamaica)  
NETH. ANTILLES. PJA-6, R. Victoria, Cranjstad, now here from 915. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 940 PANAMA. HOK (Call?) Panama, tentatively the weak L.A. noted here days. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 945 ECUADOR. HCEE-2, R. Ifesa, Guayaquil, noted with fair signal. YL announcer gave ID at 2248, then many ads. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 962 TUNISA. Tunis must be T.A. noted in French, possibly 1809-1822, as WRTH says Paris off at 1800. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 990 MEXICO. XEHz, La Paz, B.C.S. heard with friendly XECL down some. Love this station -- great programming, and as loud as KFWB and XECL. On top nightly 2245-0100 5/3-5/11. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 996-7 MEXICO. XECL, Mexicali, down here since 4/30 at least, thank you. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 996-7 EL SALVADOR. YSMA, La Voz Suprema, heard here on 5/3 from 0002-0100 s/off. I don't have annew WRTH so nothing listed here. I'm fairly certain of call. Anyone else hearing this one? (Bruner, Ky.) Both list frequency as 996/7! YSMA, R. Sistema Cultural, is listed on 1230 kHz. (Ed.)
- 1000 COSTA RICA. TICEG, R. Monumental, San Ramon, Ala. ex R. Cima, another one joining this network. (Silvera)  
HONDURAS. HRLC, R. Continental, San Pedro Sula. Obviously the one noted at 1206 with ads and sports program from Tegucigalpa. ID's as R. Cadena Deportiva. Heard 4/3. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1015 EL SALVADOR. YSC, Ondas Populares y Deportivas, San Salvador, noted at 0247 4/8 AN with Easter program, very weak. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1025 COLOMBIA. HJER, Cali, puts in a good signal nearly every evening until 0100. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 1040 CUBA. CMKW, Santiago de Cuba, here from 1050, no on Cadena CMKC network. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1050 COLOMBIA. HJNG, R. Palmira, Palmira, now AN with Todelar network program. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1090 CUBA. CM??, Cadena CMKC, Cienfuegos Province, new station here since 4/3. Also AN with L.V. de Cuba. (Silvera, Jamaica)  
MEXICO. XERB, Rosarito, B.S.N. has the infamous "Wolfman Jack" nightly, off MM 5/9 at least. Yecch. (Seaver)
- 1120 CHINA. R. Peking foreign service heard 4/18 at 0600 with anthem. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 1123 THAILAND(?). Heard Thai (tentative - Mexican Hat Dance. LDG has ID'd Thai language on 856, 1123, 1125, 1146 and 830!!! (Seaver, Calif.) FBIS has 10 kw. Bangkok stations on 856, 830, and 1146, but nothing listed on 1123 or 1125. (Ed.)
- 1130 DOM. REP. HIRL, R. Exitos, Santiago heard here with s/offanncts. Fair at 2302 4/26. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1175 EL SALVADOR. YSCG, La Voz del Pacifico, Sonsonate, very good signal with many ID's and greetings at 2352 4/1. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1200 NICARAGUA. YNC, R. Capital, Managua. Noted weakly under Reloj at 0314 4/4 with many ID's and Bolero music. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1210 PANAMA. HOB91, R. El Mundo, Panama. Almost positive weak L.A. under Reloj at 1120. Had sport program. (Silvera, Jamaica)  
VENEZUELA. YVRD, La Voz de Apure, San Fernando de Apure, gave ID at 1821 4/20. Plays instrumental music. Listed on 1220. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1290 MEXICO. XE.., Unid. Mexican heard 5/9 at 0240 s/off, mentioned Baja Calif. but no call, XEAP? (Seaver, Cal.)
- 1320 VENEZUELA. YVSZ, R. Colonial, El Tocuyo, Estado Lara, is new one here. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1325 UNID. F.F. Have been hearing a French-speaking station here at times. Probably Haitien. (Bruner, Ky.) 4VW, Port-au-Prince is here. (Ed.)
- 1350 UNID. Noted here at 1837-1845 4/17 with Arabic-type chanting, up quite well at times, till fade. Heard 1845 Baghdad a possibility, but no other TA's heard then. (Silvera, Jamaica) Any help? (Ed.)
- 1370 JAPAN. JCKD/JCRI NHK-II heard 4/18 at 0547. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 1395 MEXICO. XEUV, Chiapa de Corzo, Chiapas. Good signal despite atmospheric CRM with ads between long interlude of classical music. ID's as "Doble V" or R. San Chispa?? 2305 4/8. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1400 COSTA RICA. TILA, R. Colombia, Canal 5, Limon. (Ex-R. Cariari) noted here at 1205 4/9. HJAS off days for Easter. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1490 COLOMBIA. HJNS, R. Guatapurí, Valledupar, topped all on this freq. at 1837 4/24 with drama. (Silvera, Jam.)
- 1505 PANAMA. HOA95, R. Variedades, Panama. Noted with music and ads at 1840 4/24. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1510 COLOMBIA. HJHX, La Voz Panamericana, Floridablanca, back here from 1505 kHz. (Silvera, Jamaica)

- 1560 MEXICO. XE7IP, Mexico City (?) in English, heard 5/7 S-8. Call sounds like XEVIP or D or Z, can't be sure yet. Great signal, probably AN-6, off MM 5/9 at least. (Seaver, Calif.)
- 1570 PANAMA. HC??, R. Once, new station heard here weakly days. Location seems to be Colon. Heard since 3/2. Any info as to calls, etc. ? (Silvera, Jamaica) FBIS shows HOE35, R. Colon, here with 1 kw. (Ed.)
- 1600 DCM. REP. HIDS, R. San Pedro, San Pedro de Macoris, heard under HIDA w/Drugal ads and ID at 1745 4/12. The one on 1585 is HIDI in San Francisco de Macoris. (Silvera, Jamaica)

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VERIFICATIONS ...

- 773 SPAIN. RNE San Sebastian verified my report of 11/22/65 with a very nice card showing San Sebastian harbor on one side. Card received 4/26/66. So the case of the wandering report is closed, hi. (Keene, Texas)
- 840 VENEZUELA. YVMY, R. Juventud, Barquisimeto. OSL card specifying 840 kc/s. No v/s. Apartado Postal x 567 y 576 given as address. (Roy H. Millar, P.O. Box 6, Marysville, Wash. 98270)
- 970 HAWAII. KPUA, HMMo, letter verifying my 2nd report of past season, April 1, 1966, HST. V/s is Hal Boudreau, resident manager. (Millar, Wash.)
- MEXICO. XEO, Matamoros, N.L. Nice English verie letter received 4/30 for 4/22 taped reception report. Signed by Severo Garza, who also signed my verie for sister station XEGR back in 1962. To quote: "Under separate cover we are sending you a tape recording with a personal greeting as well as from XEO-XEGR which will serve as OSL." Tape not received yet, but I'm looking forward to it. Address: XEO-XEGR, Radiotronics, Inc. P.O. Box 1708, Bronsville, Texas. 78521. (Keene, Texas)
- 1050 MEXICO. XEG, Monterrey, N.L. Verified 4/24 report with card received 5/4. Card pictured transmitter site at base of Saddleback Mountain. Report mailed to Fort Worth 11, card postmarked Chicago. Not bad considering station's location. It makes about as much sense at the station, hi! (Keene, Texas)
- 1255 INTL. WATERS (Scotland). Received from Radio Scotland re 2/15 log and April f/up, SL-card (showing 1236.5 KC) with message on back signed by Campbell Ritch, Asst. Tech. Cont. Also sent 6 x 8 photo of ship, saying anchored off shore six miles from Dunbar, just outside of Edinburgh. Also sent staff photos and stickers. No address. (Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Drive, Chester, Pa. 19013.)
- 1370 COLOMBIA. HJKX, R. Mundial, Bogota. Program bulletin, on back of which is printed my letter (in Spanish) along with reports from Larry Godwin & Stewart Drake, and HJKX! thanks to us for reporting their reception. Gerente: Jose Molona R., Aptdo Aereo 20333. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1500 HAWAII. KUMU, Honolulu, letter verifying my 2nd report of season, March 28, 1966, HST. V/s is John H. Weisler, Jr., Gen. Mgr. (Millar, Wash.)

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UAR (Egypt). Cairo sends foreign service schedule, showing the following medium wave transmissions: 557 2200-0230, 0430-1630 to Europe in various languages. 620 2100-0200, 0400-1815 to Middle East and North Africa in Arabic. 710 2200-000, 0200-0400, 0800-1230 to ME, N. Af. in Arabic. (Has been heard on 707.) 773 2200-0000, 0500-1600, Arabic to M.E. and No. Af. 818 2200-1800 Arabic to ME, Africa, and Europe. 872 2200-0000, 0700-1630 Arabic to M.E. and Central Africa. 1155 2200-0300, 0600-1500 Koran readings to Middle East. (New channel, see EDU change list a couple of weeks ago.) (Callarmen, Texas)

NEW ZEALAND DIX TIMES REPORTS:

- CHINA. Peking Russian for Europe on 1525 is reported to be using 2 1000 kW transmitters coupled to give ERP of between 8 and 10,000 kW.
- NEW ZEALAND. 4YZ Invercargill, 720 kos, boosted power from 5 to 20 kW 4/16.
- FIJI. VRH-11, Suva (1320) is to increase power from 400 w to 1200 w., sked 1800-2300.
- TAIWAN. BED96 is call of the new Taipei station on 900 kHz, operated by Broadcasting Corporation of China. Is heard all night.
- AUSTRALIA. Calls of proposed ABC stations: 2CP, Cooma, 1570 50 w.; 6BE, Broome, 670 50 w.; 6PH, Port Hedland, 600 2 kw; 6BS Busselton, 760 2 kw.; 6ED Esperance 840 should be testing soon.
- NEW ZEALAND DX RADIO ASSOCIATION'S TUNE IN HAS:
- NEW ZELAND. Both 4YZ and 2YZ are installing 20 kw transmitters. 1ZC Tokorea should be ready for opening late in June. 1ZU Taumaranui, should open about 6 weeks after 1ZC.

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 Another issue completed, genetelem, and tahanks for your help. Whoo-EEE, I can't ype tonight. Domestic DX: KBGH-1130, new station in Memphis, Texas, is now on the air on Regular Schedule. It plays 100% C&W music, and puts a good signal into Pampa. No sign yet of KNNN-1070, Friona, Texas. 73.

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## SUPREMACY RATINGS

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<u>Name</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>T.V.</u>	<u>Countries</u>	<u>Foreign</u>	<u>North America</u>	<u>Best</u>
H. Tyndall	Vermont	6600	164	VAC	1613	917 TJW 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ w
B. Botzum	Pennsylvania	4432	72	VAC	694	479 HIH 1395 15w
L. Krusc	Iowa	3858	15		77	61 WSTA
W. Routzhan	Pennsylvania	3011	43		355	293
N. Maguire	New Mexico	2834	51	VAC	388	258 WXLQ 50w
S. Stocle	Illinois	2675	22		263	248 YSO
E. Johnson	Illinois	2669	27		270	251 4VYM 1250
W. Goldy	Illinois	2605	17		119	111 XBCN
G. Allen	California	2538	51	VAC	449	281 6KW(Cuba) 500w
R. Millar	Washington	1629	64	VAC	409	248 KBIC 1210 250w
F. Wheeler	Pennsylvania	1537	22		71	62 KPAR 660
R. Sperry	Connecticut	1527	35		210	183 ACA
R. Anderson	Virginia	1422	93	VAC	490	220 AHD
A. Rugg	Que., Canada	1315	53		1139	1050 WKFE 1550
C. Freeman	California	1210	58	VAC	295	184 Thule 1425
P. Taylor	California	1091	55		262	111 Elison AFB 50w
K. Butterfield	Michigan	1026	63	VAC	223	112 St. Pierre 1375
W. Willis	California	823	55	VAC	165	34 WIBS 695
H. Gustafson	Illinois	803	85	VAC	259	58 WXLS 850 1kw
A. Merriman	Virginia	772	61	VAC	154	101 Montserrat 885
J. Callatman	Texas	725	45	VAC	128	68 St. Pierre 1375
M. Tilbrook *	Pennsylvania	659	28		45	27 HRTV 715
R. Palmer	Illinois	629	28		84	67 HOJ2 1045 1kw
J. Conrad	Kentucky	492	31		76	54 Montserrat 885
L. Lehmer	Iowa	472	9		50	47 WBNB V.I. 1kw
B. Karchovski	Massachusetts	424	14		91	85 R. Belize
B. Dangerfield	Pennsylvania	378	103	VAC	313	95 R. Antigua 644
A. Slater	England	358	77		358	257 KOMO
C. Mohr	New York	301	14		52	48 RJR 580
G. Calkin	N.B., Canada	298	55		215	154 R. Antigua
G. Scrimgeour	California	295	26		113	68 KBYR
H. Wilkinson	California	284	54	VAC	269	86 WWW 250w
R. Leamy	Pennsylvania	270	35		83	59 Montserrat 250w
J. Gangler	Maryland	253	62	VAC	133	27 Ramey AFB 50w
T. Davisson	Ohio	251	7		28	21
H. Robie	Massachusetts	246	77		132	57 HOK 250w
R. Musco	Connecticut	232	9		38	37 AFB-1 960
W. Heinen	New York	216	7		32	30 ZBM-1
J. Neff	New York	213	28	VAC	70	37 Montserrat 885
D. Shoaf	Texas	201	3		10	10 CJME 1310
J. Draut	New York	191	10		35	32 HI9Z
R. Edmunds	New York	187	8		42	40 WXRJ
B. Reynolds	Missouri	182	4		22	21
F. Curran	Pennsylvania	172	18		29	21 WMDD 1480
R. Patrick	England	171	68		165	43 WOWO
J. Bruner	Kentucky	132	23		27	17 ZBM-1 1235
P. Hoffman	Ohio	128	15		14	9 YNM 615
A. McNeil	Pennsylvania	117	18		36	29 WIVI 970
A. Casamassima	New York	111	3		13	13 Bonaire 800
J. Keene	Texas	94	27	VAC	35	18 ZBM-1

Welcome to J. Bruner. Next month, best Asian verie. DX catches will be slowing down now, but hope veries continue to trickle in for you. Have a good summer and drive carefully.

Aloha, Norm.