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### DUES INCREASE ...

Some members have already been sending their dues on the basis of 1) the increase announced two weeks ago; 2) the anticipated increase speculated upon several weeks earlier, or 3) a pro-rated postage cost per post office increase. The willingness with which these members have forked up extra money is particularly gratifying. However, to be fair to all, we will not put the dues increase into effect until the previously-announced February 1st date, which means those who have sent in extra money will be duly noted in our books and credited with that extra cash. These credits will be indicated in next year's dues statement at (or the way we've been going in the past few weeks) or after renewal time. Two members have questioned the dues hike (to \$10.00 for first class and \$7.50 for third class) ... both on the basis of whether somebody else (not themselves) could afford it. The comments otherwise have been favorable ... at around a 9-to-1 ratio. This issue is slim, I'm sorry to say, but largely because both Gordie and I have been weakened by the Asian flu that's sweeping the Boston area and have not had as much available time and energy to prepare some of the extra material.

### DX CALENDAR ...

Friday January 26	KIBE	Palo Alto, California	1220 kc	5000 watts	0300-on	IRCA/test
Monday January 29	KALV	Alva, Oklahoma	1430	500	0230-0330	NRC/IRCA
	KRNR	Roseburg, Oregon	1490	1000/250	0300-0400	IRCA
Tuesday January 30	WLEG	Laurens, South Carolina	860	1000	0200-0230	NRC/test
Saturday February 3	WIRV	Irvine, Kentucky	1550	1000	0100-0130	NRC/IRCA/test
Monday, February 5	KIPN	Phoenix, Arizona	860	1000	0245-0400	NRC/test
	KOFO	Ottawa, Kansas	1220	250	0300-0400	NRC/test
Thursday February 8	WTSN	Dover, New Hampshire	1270	5000	0200-0300	NRC
Monday February 12	KATI	Casper, Wyoming	1400	1000/250	0300-0330	IRCA
Monday, February 19	KMMO	Marshall, Missouri	1300	1000	0300-0500	NRC/test

### DETAILS ...

**KIBE** will test via a special test conducted by Western Broadcasting Services. Reports go to the individual stations engineers, according to Frank Kennedy.

**KALV** will use mostly pop and rock music, jingles and other frequent ID's, promo's, etc. The program will be conducted by IRCA member David Rogers, who is now working at KALV. KALV is a directional full-timer, but is a very rare catch on a crowded (NSP-style) channel. Reports go to David Rogers, Radio Station KALV, Alva, Oklahoma 73717. (Jerry Starr)

**KRNR** will use Herb Alpert, jazz, rock and roll, interspersed with many IDs, taped and live. Special cards will be mailed to those reporting verifiable reception. Include a 6¢ stamp for verification and card. Reports to Mr. Steven Damewood, DX Editor, KRNR, Box 910, Roseburg, Oregon 97470. (Jon Pearkins)

**WLEG** will be testing their 1 kw. transmitter with music and ID's. Reports go to Harold G. Ward, Chief Engineer, Radio Station WLEG, P.O. Box 269, Laurens, South Carolina 29360. We hope every one will be able to log this test from a very friendly station. (Doug Lamerson)

**WIRV** will test with easy-to-identify music, tones, and ID's every five minutes. IDs not specified, but we assume NRC'er Dave White will be at the mike. Reports go to Dave at WIRV, 40336. (Dave White)

### PERSONAL NOTE ...

A slight reorganizing of the personnel at WCAS here finds Ye Pub concentrating on duties as News Manager (Kaiser parlance for News Director.) Programming responsibilities go to Tony Orlando, ex of WCBS, and my news director previously, Dave Facey, becomes Public Affairs Director. WCAS has just won the UPI award for best story of 1967 in Mass. coverage.

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SUPREMACY RATINGS

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<u>DXer</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>T.V.</u>	<u>Countries</u>	<u>Foreign</u>	<u>North America</u>	<u>Best</u>
L. Kruse	Iowa	3925	15	77	61	WSTA Virgin Is.
W. Routzhan	Pennsylvania	3057	46	363	300	KFAR Alaska
N. Maguire	New Mexico	2836	51	VAC 389	259	WXLQ Bermuda 50w
W. Stone	Ontario	2776	29	2487	2459	10-AT 15w Canada
E. Johnson	Illinois	2726	28	278	251	4VYM Haiti 1250
S. Steele	Illinois	2691	22	263	248	YSO El Salvador
G. Allen	California	2590	52	VAC 459	286	6KW Cuba 900 500w
H. Williams	Connecticut	2411	32	131	107	VOCM Nfld. 590
S. Drake	Pennsylvania	2237	52	VAC 291	237	KFQD 730 10k
E. Nittler	Colorado	2280	38	VAC 178	123	KFQD 730
Miller	Washington	1705	65	VAC 429	260	KBIC 1210 250w
F. Wheeler	Pennsylvania	1569	23	73	63	KFAR 660
R. Sperry	Connecticut	1566	37	228	197	ACA Canal Zone
R. Anderson	Virginia	1433	97	VAC 418	221	AHD Puerto Rico
A. Rugg	Quebec	1347	53	1170	1077	WKFE 1550
D. Reynolds	California	1292	66	VAC 412	246	HI9Z Dom. Rep. 820
C. Freeman	California	1227	60	VAC 309	189	Thule, Grnland 1425
A. Merriman	Virginia	1001	73	VAC 195	125	WIBS 1565
E. Wesclowski	Nebraska	933	19	105	94	WBNB 1000
H. Gustafson	Illinois	816	89	VAC 272	59	WKLS
R. Palmer**	Illinois	750	32	89	70	HOJ2 Panama 1045
J. Callarman	Massachusetts	740	50	VAC 138	72	St. Pierre et M. 1375
J. Starr	Ohio	551	34	97	69	KTKN 930
B. Reynolds	Missouri	504	15	56	52	WIVV 1370
B. Karchevski	Massachusetts	491	16	113	105	4VEJ 890
A. Slater	England	486	127	478	274	KOMO
G. Scrimgeour	Ontario	432	35	363	266	KBYR 1270 1k
B. Dangerfield**	Pennsylvania	395	104	326	99	R. Antigua 644
T. Davisson	Ohio	350	9	38	21	WGBB
R. Leamy	Pennsylvania	296	39	102	75	R. Montserrat 885
R. Hays	Kentucky	267	11	23	19	R. Belize 834
B. Raczko	Ohio	265	25	31	21	HON 1501
M. Sorensen	Ontario	259	6	201	200	KOUR 1220 250w
H. Robie	Massachusetts	252	81	138	57	HOK 250w
J. Neff	New York	233	28	VAC 77	61	R. Montserrat 885
D. Carlson	Missouri	227	9	23	18	4VEC 890
R. Vatalaro	Massachusetts	203	22	23	8	4VEF 1035
T. Hartloff	New York	202	6	34	32	WKAT
M. Northam	Oregon	194	12	47	34	WAPA 680
The Haneikos	Pennsylvania	188	10	24	13	Barbados 780
I. Payne	Ontario	157	4	?	?	
The Boselovics	Pennsylvania	153	5	21	?	
M. Shacat	Massachusetts	144	13	31	26	TIOS C.R. 825
G. Moores	New Jersey	132	10	22	20	ZNS-1 Bahamas
E. Floden	Ontario	50	6	29	28	R. Jamaica 750

Will be in Hawaii by the time you read this. My poor memory was taxed in trying to recall the countries represented by your best veries. Seem to recall KBIC as being in Greenland, but can't recall location of WKLS. Ben D., please send me your updated totals, as we do not want to drop you. Next month, best Asiatic veries. Hope my return to the Islands will stir up my DXing. 73 and Aloha, Norm.

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 Don Kaskey's weekly contest standings arrived in plenty of time, but Ye pub this week simply did not have time to cut them. Station duties have taken up about 90 hours this past week, which will change as I have today hired two new people to help out. I have averaged four hours of sleep per day this week. I am not complaining, but some of the early week club work that I had postponed til Thursday and Friday got stymied when a last-minute staff meeting was called for Friday afternoon after some wee-small-hours deliberations the night before. So that's the story for the thin-ness this week. Back on schedule next. JAC

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MUSINGS

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DEADLINE: EVERY TUESDAY - 30 LINE LIMIT PER MEMBER

Glenn Hauser - 303 Ash N.E. - Box #435 - Albuquerque, New Mexico - 87106

I have followed up a small ad which appeared in Broadcasting recently. It involves something that could be of vital interest to DXers. It's an invention, called an anti-skywave radiation system, patented recently as #3289208 by R. Lee Hollingsworth of Massapequa, NY. The ad claimed no DX reports had been received by a station using the device since it was installed. Further investigation indicates this was WTHE-1520 & it's been in use about five years. Have any of you heard this station on a non-groundwave basis? If so, you may have an excellent catch, even though it's a daytimer rated at 10kw. In legitimately trying to sell his invention, Hollingsworth says "This writer sees no need for a Buffalo wrecking yard, delicatessen or food market being intermittently advertised in SC, Fla. Tex. et al, at the expense of daytime stations during the morning & evening transition periods. The night interference to co-channel stations is expected to be reduced 50% or more if all use this system." Paraphrasing the latent summary, the invention provides means to concentrate along the earth's surface, most of the radiated energy from a vertical antenna. The azimuthal directionality is not affected. A lengthy technical explanation follows. Check the "Official Gazette" for 11/29/66 if interested. I am trying to get a list of other stations using the device, or planning to, so we may concentrate our efforts on picking up these "groundwave only" stations. A side effect of this may be efforts to increase low-angle radiation, which would be a great boon to long-haul DX-ing. DX: 12/28- KTSM-1380 noted for first time daytime 4:21pm w/ad from Ft. Collins. KARS-1720 Belen, NM second harmonic of 860 @ 4:27 w/commentary. KULY-1420 6pm WBE Like it here in SW Kansas." then YL ID. 12/30- KINT-1590 475w. s/on 6:59am (no luck so far w/flea power KALF-1510 KLPR-1140 or KMSR-810; but trying!) Loop now operational: 1/1- KOTA-1380 3:09 s/off-SSB w/XERS QRM. CHEC-1090 ID 3:49am & light rx. 1/2- KAIR-1490 2:17am & ID as "Care." KPUR-1440 @ 3:29am; KSET-1340 good rx, ID, 3:49am. 1/3- KXLF-1370 NBC NX 1:05a.; KI00-1490 Calexico Cal. dominating channel w/R formation Hour, 1:25am to 1:43 s/off; KOLT-1320 local NX 4:59pm, then joined CBS 5:00:30; KARA splatter. New station KHAC-1300 Window Rock, Ariz. now audible since s/off 15 minutes after KARA-1310, heard 7:15pm, then YL s/off, SSB, 7:28, XEP nulled. 1/4- KVEL-1250 @ 7:45pm w/local NX, plugging IMN in ID. Until the next, 73.

Roger Steele - 2440 Meadow Lane - Woodburn, Oregon - 97071

Well, it is a new year & everyone should have or has turned over a new leaf. I am trying to do likewise, but I am a little slow in doing so. I have been busy here lately. Since this is my first report, I will go back a little, like a whole month. 12/10- CHWK-1270, heard 4-4:28am. I went to Coos Bay, Ore. for about a week & received the following down there: 12/14- KOOS-1230, on the air till 1:00am, KRAF-1470. While returning from Coos Bay on the car radio I received KNWD-1400. 12/29- CKFG-550 heard from 2:28 to 4:04am. Thus far for January '68: 1/1- KFAC-1330, 5:17-6:22am; KWIC-1550, heard to 8:59am. 1/7- KEWI-1440 5:09-5:55am. 1/8- KMBY-1240 5:14-5:56am; KEYZ-1360, 7:01am s/on to 7:35. 1/9- KOWL-1490, 6am to 7:03, had a bad fade; KLIX-1310; 7:28am s/on to 7:54am; KFKA-1310, 7:58am s/on to 8:04 QRM. Would you believe CKWX-1130 @ 12:49pm to 1:10pm? That's about 300 miles & in the middle of the day no less. It came in w/very little fade, no noise, nor interference. Veries: v/1- KNWD CKBI. v/q- PJB KRAK. If you are having trouble w/QRM, check the bathroom heater; it could be the source. Does anyone know if KPIR is or isn't on the air? 73s. (Welcome come to the NRC, Roger, & we hope you'll be in these pages often. KPIR is on the air, I believe, from this distance, but still on their old 1500 spot -ERC)

Stan Morse - Route 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts - 01830

1/8- 885k w/old Che Guevara talk & Cuba type program?? 1:15am. WKMK-1000 Blountstown Fla. TEST 1:26am, unkn. TT on 990, no ID. WGOH-1370 Grayson, Ky. TEST 1:41am, unkn. WNFL-1440 Green Bay, easy on DX. TT on 560 w/WGAN but no ID & I doubt if Nfld. DX as they were having blizzard. R. Santa Maria, La Vega, D.R. @ 4:30, some Cuba QRM. Veries, WTOW WKAJ & WKYB. So far I have enjoyed joining two bulletin sessions & listening to exotic tapes from various collections - WX has been tough & travelling getting tougher, 43" of snow so far, & more promised.

THERE HAS BEEN A TENDANCY IN THE PART OF A FEW TO EXCEED THEIR 30-LINE LIMIT LATELY. THAT MEANS WE HAVE TO "EDIT IT DOWN" HERE, ADDING TO THE WORK. PLEASE HOLD TO 30!!

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Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

tardy Musings reporter checking back in. Jim Warner & I just had an enjoyable day o/in WNY on 1/6. First, we cleaned out Lewiston, NY P.O. of commemorative 5s & 1¢ sheets for new rate, hi. Then we spent a couple hours chasing around looking for Ken Lyon & found he has moved from Lockport area to Akron, NY but not home anyway. Then we went o/to Lancaster & studios of WMMJ-1300 looking for IRCA Editor Paul Lotsof & found he is ex-NXD of MMJ, hi. Then, we looked up Chris Maslen & the three of us went o/to Paul Lotsof's & swell 3½ hour confab. He has among other things a tremendous collection of old rr records on tape. Who wants to date himself out there by admitting he remembers "Lucky Pierre" of WBNY, who is Pierre Gonneau, now VP/PD of WFEC-1400? Also, who would have some choice "Hound Dog" stuff from WKBW days of mid-50s? If so, please write me as I would like to arrange purchase of copy of same. For those who didn't have the pleasure (?) of listening to the Hound, he is George Lorenz, P of WBLK-FM, Depew, NY. Before I get off the general subject, who knows about the catalog of oldies from the Record Museum, 1005 Chestnut St., Philadelphia; advertised on the Art Roberts Show on WLS Top 89 of 1967 New Year's Eve? Veries received since 11/1: CJRL-1220 (finally on the fourth report) along w/"Boss Chart" by CKPR/CJRL/CKLR-CFOB; KDDA-1560, WFRA-1450, CFCH-600, PD, to my surprise, is originally Weston; WAGI-1560; regular v/c from CHML-900 along w/letter which mentions part: "If radio club members who write for verification to BCB stations would remember to include details such as the announcer's name or a listing of commercials aired during the listening period, it would be much easier to confirm reports. Perhaps you could advise your club members." The reason they had to go off on MM 11/27 was "because of electrical changes being made in the studio building in preparation for the installation of a new standby power Diesel Generator." CKPC-1380 DX w/farthese reports from Tampa Fla. & Littleton, Col; CKCC-1150 along w/Fabulous 40 Chart; CJCS-1240 DX along w/CM - had only two other reports from Middleburg Heights, O. and Lan- O. PS is 6am-midnight except Sindy, 8am-11pm. CJBQ-800 DX also had few reports, just seven, mainly due to "symmetrical cardioid pattern beamed 30° W of N to protect CKLW CJAD & CHRC, as well as WWNY-790. C U N 7 as lots more to say.

Ken Lyon - 5155 South Newstead - Akron, New York - 14001

Hello again. This is my first Musing since moving in December. Everything is still out of order & it will take a long time to get straightened out. On 1/6 Wayne Plunkett & Jim Warner were in the neighborhood trying to find me. They went to my old house & then they were directed to my new one. I wasn't at home at the time but I wish I was. I'm sorry fellows, if I knew that you were coming, I would have been sure maybe I can make it up thre some time or the next time you are down here, stop in again. I haven't been doing any DXing here yet, in fact I don't even have my antenna up yet. I am putting one up in the attic as I have no tree in the yard here. I guess this is it for now. I hope everyone has good DX. Wayne & Jim, I'm sorry I wasn't home; I'd have liked to have met you. 73s.

Andrew F. Rugg - 16 Lakebreeze Avenue - Pointe Claire, Quebec

Not much activity to report here. 1967 was the worst year yet w/only 26 new ones logged, although I was inactive the last three months of the year. On 1/8 I finally DXed, logging umn WGOH-1370 TEST @ 1:07-1:17am, umn WABJ-1490 surprisingly topping the frequency @ 1:55; WNFL-1440 DX a new one, u/CKPM from 3-3:15. I was really hoping for the WRKD \* CKCM DXes, but had no luc. I got my ham radio license in Nov. & have spent most of my spare time on the air, to the detriment of BCB DX. C.A. night classes are also keeping me busy. 73.

Dick Truax - 3363 Eisenhower Road - Columbus, Ohio - 43224

Slowly but surely the new ones keep rolling in. 12/31- WKIX-1600 @ 5:30pm s/off w/Dixie. 1/1- Thanks to last minute tip from Artie Krass, I was alerted for KWPC-860 TEST. CJBC & XEMO were on AN but Dave Fischer & I monitored 860 simultaneously via ham radio & heard nothing. Did this TEST occur & did anyone hear it? 1/4- WAPX-1600 @ 7:35 pm w/R&B. Only Deep South in this eve w/ZWS in like a local. All daytime graveyarders in clear as late as 10pm. 1/6- WGIG-1440 @ 5pm w/Mutual NX, WCBS-1360 @ 5:15pm w/R&B o/WSAI, WGAD-1350 @ 5: 8pm w/nx, KNIR-1360 @ 5:45pm w/nx o/WSAI, KFRO-1370 @ 6 05pm w/nx u/WSPD. 1/7- WDXB-1490 @ 2:57am w/nx, WELZ-1460 @ 3am w/TT till 3:30 tuneout, two SIDs @ 3:28am. MM 1/8- WGOH-1370 @ 1:55am w/TT u/WSPD, s/off @ 2. KFAX-1100 @ 2:58am w/religious program, ID @ 2:59am; WNFL-1440 DX @ 3:20am like a local saluting NRC, WABB-1480 @ 3:25am w/ET/rr. KRKD-1150 @ 3:45am w/"Preludes" nx. No sign of CKLM spur around 1500 this AM, how about you ERC? Back in 7. (Gone here-ERC)

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Fred Nordquist - 411 Dart - W. S. M. R. New Mexico - 88002

Time for another Muse. DXing improving on the snow-covered range. Reports out to WCNT & WNFL-DX. Totals: 382/11. Inflation is with us, causing the necessary dues increase. But I'd rather pay extra for a better quality DX NEWS. Keep up the good work, men. Latest DX: 1/4- KSCO-1080 Cal. Coors ad u/KRLD @ 8:02pm, KFKA-1310 Col. NX 11:01, KSCB-1270 Kan. WX 11:15, KRLA-1110 Cal. rr u/KFAB 11:58pm. 1/7- WMAY-970 NBC Monitor 7:08pm, KXCK-630 rr u/KHOW 8:21. MM 1/8- XEHF-1370 Sonora I&C 1-2am blocking WKMK TEST. (WKMK is on 1000k, Fred! -ERC) KDTN-1370 NX & WX 1:30, XEMO-860 BEN Health preacher 2:16, CKCK-620 Sask. rr 2:28, WNFL-1440 Wis. DX heard 3:05-3:30am "Your Championship Station", CKY-580 I&C w/WIBW obviously off, sports @ 3:45, KRKD-1150 Cal. 4am on, no chance for WDEL DX. KOLT-1320 Neb. 7:35pm. 1/9- KBBE-1600 TX, Catfish ad, KCAD-1360 Tex. Blue Streak NX 6:45, KFML-1390 Col. Coors ad 7pm, KCBQ-1170 u/KVCO fading "CBQ Radio" 7:30. I will try some SRS DX to log EC stations for the Contests. 73.

Bruce Reynolds - Route 2 - Warrensburg, Missouri - 64093

Hi. DX has slowed down considerably w/the return to classes. One newie, KIKC-1540, one of my closer unheard stations @ 135 miles, came through @ 12:29pm on 1/6. MM 1/8 produced the rest of the DX. YNT-1000 Radio Mil was heard just before WKMK TEST came on @ 1:04am. Apparently they were s/off. WKMK was in nicely w/lots of report material. WGCH TEST was o/WSPD/KXLF @ 1:27am, fine WNFL DX in beautifully @ 3:01am, & finally, WDEL just barely did make it through for about ten minutes of the 4-4:45 am period. For some insane reason KRKD had to pick 1/8 to run AN MM! Naturally they were in the best ever noted here. Delaware is state #45 here, 43 verified. Me. Vt., NH RI & Alaska the needed ones. NJ the other unverified one, thanks to WSLT. Veries continue to roll in, boosting the return percentage for Nov-Dec. v/1- CFOB WMWM KMAN (w/souvenir pen) WMRN WHIP-TEST KOY & KTUF (Ariz. verie #13). v/q- WMDD WDXB & KRLD. KOVE DX sent verie typed on back of a rate card. Totals 1,184/538. Re the boost in dues & the expansion of DX NEWS, I salute the Top Brass of the NRC for making what I believe was the best possible decision. Sure, ten bucks IS a lot of money. However, the NRC is worth every cent of it. Let's all make our contributions & make the best MW DX Club even BETTER! 73s & the best of DX to all.

Jerry K. Conrad - Box 244 - Alexandria, Kentucky - 41001

ANNOUNCING: CINCINNATI '68. The second annual version of Cincy get-together June 14 15 & 16. Exact plans will be announced in future bulletins but plan to come to Cincy in June. Contact either myself or Pat Flanagan if you can make it. DX here has been mostly on the Graveyards w/a nice opening to Fla. 1/7 & 1/8. At 1:45 on 1/7 I put a call through to WMMB-1240, Melburne, Fla. who was bombing in like a local. To put it mildly, there was one shock DJ there! Actually as he put it, a one man operation. Vern King Jr. is the AN DJ, also producer, director & engineer. Many other loggings, see DXDD. WNFL-1440 DX logged w/perfect signal, as strong as a local. A couple of veries are in, WXVW-1450 from 5/66, WKPA-1150 for DX & WANO-1230 Pineville Ky. on RS. Closest unlogged now is WKKS-1550 Vanceburg, Ky. about 80 miles away. Closest unlogged fulltimer is WPKR-1240 Pikeville, Ky., about 200 miles away. A BIG question, WC DXers. What station on 1490 has College Night on Saturday night & uses a musical jingle that goes "It's the Music Box that never stops, everybody knows a bright & cheery lollipop (??) Radio ?? sung by a group of kids, HEIP! Heard @ 12:19 am EST giving time as 9:19 on 1/7. If anybody knows, I would appreciate a note. 73.

David T. White - WIRV Radio - Irvine, Kentucky - 40330

As the say in the Old Country, HI. I have just recovered from the holiday, in which, incidentally, I was unable to do as much as ten minutes of DX. I wound up w/a double work sked, & only had time to try for 4VEC. Even that was unsuccessful - heard some Christmas mx, but no IDs - fading was extreme due to WX - I think I'm going to cry. Anyway, I do have a few late veries, namely: WKID CFRB WAVE WLW WBLG WING WIRE. (I forgot WCFL, Great!) I think I'd better take a vacation or something before I lose my mind entirely. Incidentally, the golden voice you will hear on the 2/3 WIRV TEST will be that of the one & only Yours Truly! I'm sure that will provide sufficient incentive to all DXers to catch us. I might even see if I can't throw in a little Ernie Cooper mx! 73.

Morris Sorensen - Box 93 - Emsdale, Ontario

A few more loggings during the last week of my holidays: 1/3- XEQ-940 o/CEM 11:55pm. 1/4- XET-990 12:20am; CKAP-580 9:16pm; CHIN-550 10:26pm, CKPR-580, 10:41pm, CHLC-580 11pm. Three new 580s in one evening! Only new v/1 from CJLR-1060 who also sent



G. Harley DeLeurere - Box 233 - Elk Garden, West Virginia - 26717

The 6¢ letter is finally here, & I thought I would splurge a little by sending a report. Loggings over the past two months were the following: 11/14-- WKCY-1300, Harrisonburg, Va., WEND-1580 Ebensburg, Pa., WMAZ-940, Macon, Ga., WAPI-1070 Birmingham, WMOX-1010 Meridian, Miss., all RS. 11/15- WGAI-560 Elizabeth City, NC RS. 11/17- WLYB-1250 Albany, Ga. f/c. 11/20- WTZE-1470, Tazewell, Va., ET. WMEK-980, Chase City, Va. s/on. WKYB-1000, Hemingway, SC RS. WHIN-1010 Gallatin Tenn., RS. WGUN-1010, Atlanta, RS. WKDE-1000, Alta Vista, Va. RS. 11/21- CHIR-730, Leanington, Ont. RS. 11/22- CJRS-1510, Sherbrooke, Que. RS. 11/30- WIOO-1000, Carlisle, Pa. RS. 12/2- WSJC-810 Magee, Miss. RS, KSKY-660 Dallas RS, CJRN-1600 Niagara Falls, RS. 12/4- WHYP-1530 North East Pa. RS. 12/5- WANV-970, Waynesboro, Va. RS. 12/11- WAPB-690 Jacksonville, RS. Veries include WMPC-1230, Lapeer, Mich., CHIC-790, Brampton, Ont., WMSA-1340, Massena, NY, CHER-950, Sydney, NS, CJBQ-800, Belleville, Ont., CJCB-1270, Sydney, NS, CKCM-620, Grand Falls, Nfld., CBT-540; Grand Falls, Nfld., CHUC-1450, Cobourg, Ont., CFCY-630, Charlottetown, PEI, VCCM-590, St. Johns, Nfld., WCIR-1060, Beckley, WVa., WAPI-1070 Birmingham, WEND-1580 Ebensburg, WLYB-1250 Albany, WMEK-980, Chase City, WIZE-1470 Tazewell, Va., WKDE-1000 Altavista, WHIN-1010 Gallatin, WKYB-1000, Hemingway, CHIR-730 Leanington, WIOO-1000 Carlisle, CJRS-1510 Sherbrooke, WANV-970, Waynesboro, CJRB-1600 Ont., KSKY-660 Dallas, WMAZ-940 Macon, WAPI-600 Montreal, WVAR-600 Richwood WVa., WAPB-690 Jacksonville, WKCY-1300 Va., WGSM-740 Huntington, LI NY & WGUN-1010, Atlanta. Next Summer my folks & I are planning to take a cruise through the Panama Canal & down the West Coast of SA. I certainly wish I knew some SS. I could really pull in the SA stations then. During this past Summer's Holiday in Africa, Europe, I got three very good logs & veries: ORTF Tours-1493, Office de Radiodiffusion-Télévision Française; Place Palais-des-Sports, 37, Tours (Indre-et-Loire), France; Radio Corse-1493, CRIF, Residence du Parc, Ajaccio (Corse), France; & BEC-881, Towyn, Y Gorfforaeth Ddarlledu Brudeinig, Canolfan Y BBC, Towyn, Merionethshire, Wales. Merry Christmas & Happy New Year (belated).

Jerry Bond - Room 322 - 121 North Fitzhugh Street - Rochester, NY - 14614

Hi. This is my second Musing in a row - don't everybody drop dead now, hi. Right down to DX: 12/28- WKYB-1000; SC noted u/WCFL @ 4:59pm. Unm stations noted were WBRE-1340 Pa. @ 4:42pm, WSER-1550 Md. @ 4:46 s/off, WVEC-1490 Va. @ 5:03pm, WNBH-1340 Mass. @ 5:06, & WJSO-1390 Tenn. @ 5:15pm. 12/29- Only newie logged was WDIC-1430 Va. @ 5:16 s/off. 1/2- Two newies logged: WSRC-1410 NC @ 5:30pm s/off & WOCF-560 Ala. @ 5:59pm s/off. Also noted were WDAK-540, Ga. @ 5:17pm, WYDE-950 Ala. @ 5:28, WKYB-1000 SC @ 5:30 s/off, WHHY-1440 Ala. @ 5:36, WNOE-1060 like a local w/no KYW from 5:38-5:42, & WVOK-690, Ala. @ 6pm s/off. All these loggings were made at my home in Watertown, NY. Totals are now 1,293/156. Best state is NY w/136 stations being logged. Second is Pa. w/125 loggings. Closest unheard are WALY-1420 (80 miles) & WLFH-1230 (83 miles). Both are covered by locals. Closest unheard on RS is WIGS-1230 which is only 35 miles from Watertown. I've heard them only once, and that was on their DX TEST two years ago. I guess that's about all the news except that I want to mention that there was an interesting article about "underground" radio stations & Wolfman Jack in the Nov. '67 issue of Cheetah Magazine. I hope all the Wolfman fans saw it, hi. 73.

Rick Evans - Box 718 - Gary, Indiana - 46401 (3660 Jefferson)

Morning Gang. DX here in the last week: 1/8- WKMK-1000 1:05-1:25 in weak w/TEST; WGOH-1370 1:25-1:40 in good w/TEST; KRST-950 (I presume) 2:30-2:43 in very poor w/HI u/KIMN & mention of Minneapolis HI; WNFL-1440 3:18-3:30 in good w/DX; CKY-580 3:45-4:20 w/good signal but no spots, drat; WGCV-950 6:45-6:58pm w/c/w, ugh. 1/9- KDPH-1370 5:45pm very poor. 1/10- WMAZ-940 5:40-5:45 excellent until pattern change; WLOF-950 5:50pm very poor & very little; WSHO-800 6:10-6:15 s/off; KPCN-730 6:45 s/off which was also heard the next day. 1/9- Apparently PJB-800 I&C w/record dedications to people in the Virgin Is. & also people on L.I. Veries: WBZ WWRL WTVN KFUP WTCA KAKC KBAT WLBK WEAM KIXL KOAM (state #37). Totals now 522/157. If the first bulletin of the calendar year is any indication, I think that the dues increase will be well justified. DX is slowing down here as interest is lagging temporarily & also the wife was working 4-9pm but has switched to 10-3 knocking out SSS somewhat. The landlady watches the evening NX on TV every night & it's right over my heard. Any Canadian members desiring US 6¢ stamps, let me know. I need Canadian stamps badly. 73. PLEASE KEEP IN MIND THE 30-LINE LIMIT OF DX NEWS. PRINT PER MUSING. THANK YOU.

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Jeff H. Ross - 125-12 Cronston Avenue - Rockaway Park, New York - 11694  
Hi fellas. My reception reports should start looking better now w/the addition of a new typewriter, hi. What do you think of it, Ernie? (Gadzooks, Jerry Starr - I think you have been burglarized! -ERC) Anyhow, DX had been quite good lately, w/the following additions to the log: 12/23- WHIY-1270 Fla. from 5:26 to 5:30pm s/off. 12/26- WLCP-1370 Ga. @ 5:25pm, followed by WAAQ-1530, Ala. from 5:38 to 5:43 s/off. 1/1- WEAS-900 Ga. strong @ 5:19pm. 1/6- WGAF-910 Ga. strong @ 5:35pm, WCOV-1170 Ala. 20db o/s-9 @ 5:50, then WGOK-900 Ala. @ 5:57pm. 1/7- CX great w/signals from everywhere coming in, but only one needed one in the form of KCTA-1030 Tex. noted @ 6:45pm w/S-9 signal, also unkn KTUF-1580 Ariz. noted w/fair signal @ 7:15. Dave Whatnough, who's the v/s for this one? Last but not least, 1/8, WAMI-860 Ala. weak, but readable from 5:49pm to 6 s/off. Veries: v/1-CM from WKLV, v/1 from WBYE, & v/1, souvenir pen from WPMF. The signer mentioned that he received four report from the NYC area, all of whom were NRC members. Who else heard them? Also f/l from WLIK. That's about it, so 73s & C U N 14 or so.

Artie Krass - 107-40 118 Street - Richmond Hill, New York - 11419  
Hi gang! I hope you all had the best of holidays & no Monday Morning Hangover, hi. (No MM ills here, Artie, but ooo, that Mon. afternoon! Hi -ERC) v/c- WRIZ WHP. v/1- WSPF. Now down to DX (?) - back in December: 12/4- WLKR-1510 ETing at 1:30-1:41am, no sign of them since. 12/11- WSPF-1000 w/r/c-TT from 1:08 to 1:18am - they were in the clear. WCAZ-990 noted w/r/c-TT @ 1:24am; CJIC-1050 w/CBC NX @ 2am. 12/12- WFMB-1420 w/r/c-TT from 12:30 to 12:40am. 12/13- KPTH-1370 r/c-TT from 1:30-1:45am. 12/16- WBHC-1270 r/c-TT from 12:30 to 12:36am, WKIG-1580 testing w/nx, only popped through for a minute or two @ 1:07am. 12/19- WISL-1480 r/c-TT from 12:15 to 12:23am. WAYB-1490 r/c-TT from 12:25-12:30am. Now for this year. 1/6- WBRN-1460 r/c-TT from 1:20 to 1:30am. WGHV-1370 r/c-TT noted from 2:46-2:50. I noted WFRL-1570 f/c-TT @ 3:40am. WEZJ-1440 r/c-TT from 4-4:16am. WPRF-960 r/c-TT on top (what else?) @ 4:33am. WDOC-1310 r/c-TT from 4:47-4:55am. I also noted WKNR-1310 w/RS @ 4:57am. WMMB-1240 w/s/on @ 5:05am. WFOY-1240 s/on @ 5:40. 1/8- WVEC-1490 s/off @ 1am. WPKY-1490 ETing w/nx @ 1am. Were they on for Special TEST a day late? WKMK-1000 very weak here @ 1:07am. WGOH-1370 ETing w/TT here from 1:10-1:30am. 1/13- WKID-1580 w/r/c-TT from 1:15 to 1:30am. That's the DX here. I just received a letter from Jay of KIFN-860. He will run another TEST on 2/5/68 from 2:45 to 4am EST. I picked a bad date for the first one & Jay has agreed to run another one to make up for my error. That's about it from here, so the best of DX & C U N 7. (I hope).

Walt Breville - 9127 Coral Drive - St. Louis, Missouri - 63123  
As usual, I celebrated the first few hours of the New Year by DXing. Reception was blah, w/one lone nearby one added to the log that should have been long before; WKCL-1350 Peoria, Ill. I must admit that Bruce & JAC had a good point about the present form of the Musings section giving the Club an important "personality" atmosphere. However, to make it more effective for DX info, I still would like to see the requirement inaugurated that ALL stations u/50,000w. have either the state or a well-known city included w/the call & frequency, to take the mystery out of much of the DX reported in the Musings section, w/the exception, possibly, of veries reported. On to DX, which improved somewhat lately: 12/31- WIBR-1300 La. 5:55pm. 1/3- KAMD-910 Ari. 6:41am. 1/7- WCNW-1280 Ohio 5:35pm. MM 1/8- DX TESTs WKMK WGOH & WNFL all came in good (DX TESTS excepted from my proposed rule, hi), but WDEL barely put one weak ID in here, so no report to needed Delaware. Even KRKD in Los Angeles helped QRM it! WDAK-540 Ga. noted testing @ 2:40, WFIL-560 Pa. 2:50am, WLAK-1430 Fla. real good @ 5:13am. SSS saw KAFE-810 Santa Fe atop 'em all @ 7:05pm. 1/11- WSJS-600 NC 7:25am, KGGF-690 Kan. & WCYB-690 Va. fighting it out 7:45-7:50am. I'm all for the dues increase. That's needed, & surely all avid DXers are. Our first reaction is to say "Ouch," but do a little figuring & comparing, & notice that this hobby is a bargain price-wise against most of those very popular w/North American youth, such as drag racing & water skiing, to name two. And chances are you students spend twice as much on stereo records alone, as you do for des & report postage combined in a year! So let's not hear any bellyaching. 73.

Ronald J. Musco - 16 Chestnut Drive - Windsor, Connecticut  
Some DX to report: 12/18- CJRW-1240 heard on DX 3:10 u/someone else @ S-9. 1/8- WGOH-1370 TEST 1:30 @ S-9 u/someone else. WNFL-1440 in solid on their DX 3am @ s-9 for state #35. WDEL-1150 w/lots of noise @ 4 for state #36. Four reports sent. I also noticed the Cuban on 670 @ 3:15. That's it for now. 73.

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Roger Winsor - 739 North Juniper Road - Walparaiso, Indiana - 46383

Well, time has again arrived for another Musing. Sure does seem to come fast! DX since last week on the good side, w/the following heard: 1/6- WBRN-1460 f/c @ 1:10-1:30 & on, one hour earlier than r/c per list. TT on 1300 @ 12:45 turned out to be KOLY SD, first time in a long while for them. 1/7, strong Auroral CX w/WLCY dominating 1380, also KCCR in SS on top on 1350. XEHL noted S-9 on 1010 w/nicho mentions of Guadalajara. Then some good stuff, WLOX-1490 2:04-2:08 w/unique NX ending & WMAK for a log, also WKKT-1300 w/rr 2:27-2:30 when WTAQ came back on bombing them out. WMAK not present. WGOV-950 all alone w/c/w mx 3-3:30 logging. Call to station proved that they are silent MM only, so add them to the CoF list. 1/8- Seldom heard night visitor WRBL-1420 s/off @ 1:05. WKMK-1000 TEST in well w/rr mx, but plagued w/WCFL OC until I got up & called the XR site & they shut it off @ 1:24. I logged WKMK 1:07-1:30 s/off. WGOH in like a ton of bricks all o/WSPF 1:30-1:45 w/taped ID every 5" (?? -ERC) & TT, WKWF-1600 heard @ 1:55-2:04 s/off w/NX/WX o/WWRL. CKPT-1420 o/QHK 2:28-2:35 for a log, maybe NSP now. TT on 1190 nulled E, but WHAM splash unbelievable due to jazz mx. Any help? WNFL-1440 DX in well, as expected, w/a beautiful TEST program 3:02-3:30. Announcer had beautiful voice, no? Finally to end that MM WHDH-850 heard o/CKVL, so a log off to them. WDEL um, weak behind KRKD. 1/10- WCKY-15430 off due to XR trouble, but only KFBK. 1/11- ET on 660 & 1040 had to be KSKY & KIXL Dallas, but I didn't stay around. 2:01 WBLC-1360 f/e-TT 2:01-2:15 IAC o/WSAI/WKMI/KRYS. Then up to 1280 for a log on KCOB, Newton, Ia. 2:36-2:45 w/TT & MX. WYSL-1400 heard AN w/rr, mixed w/WJET down the Lake. WKXV r/c logged w/good signal 3:31-3:45 w/DT. 1/12- Tester on 1530 1:36 & on, no IDs though, sometimes o/WCKY. Wonder who. XEUN-860 noted @ 1:55 saying good night. Then WLOR-730 w/ET Roger Miller mx 2:40-2:52 s/off. I noted international channel in 1090, what w/WBAL/KAAY/CHEC/XERB. Varies from WWOL v/f, WKYB WHIP WTAY KALP v/l, & WMIS v/q. Totals now up to 627 verified, 2,296 heard. Excellent & informative DX NEWS last week, nice to see some old familiar names back again. Till next week then, 73s.

Ron Hays - Rural Route 3 - Versailles, Kentucky - 40383

Hello group. I guess it's about time I sent another Musing in, so here it is. DX has really picked up mainly because of one reason - no school. We haven't had classes since 12/21 (today is 1/12) & it hasn't been above freezing this year. Anyway, on the subject of dues increase I feel this was the one move that the NRC needed to do for a long time to make any progress. The Executive Committee definitely made the RIGHT decision. Keep it up, men. Now, my '68 DX. 1/1 brought the new year & a bunch of Cubans: 1060 660 570 & 790 noted here for the first time. I guess Castro intends to have a chicken in every pot and a radio station on every frequency; hi! He is certainly moving toward the latter goal very quickly. Also on 1/1 CJIC-1050 Ont. @ Lan RS; WRFC-960 "Metro Radio" Ga. noted AN. 1/3 brought WILL-580 @ 2:17pm & WCHS-580 2:33pm. 1/8, a big bust as far as I was concerned. I had some problems: w/my headphones & only ended up w/one catch, WPLO-590 @ 2:50am. 1/9- On 1050 I heard KSIW WCMF & WJZ at around 5:15pm u/WZIP. On 1550 I logged WYCU & KKJO the same day @ SSS. Finally on 1/9 I heard the s/off of KWOA-730 Minn, a fine station. On 1/11 I heard WFLW-1360 Monticello Ky. about a mile u/WSAI, very rough copy, but I did get a pretty good report out to them. On the evening of 1/11 Aurora CX were noted & the following southerners were logged: WTMA-1250 SC, WCGC-1270 NC, WGAD-1350 SC & WAPX-1600 Ala. The SCs, for some reason, were by far the strongest. Three varies this week, VOA-1180, WFTG-1400 & the new WJKY-1060. On WJKY they said that my report was the first detailed one, so I guess mine is the first verification. They also said they would let me know the test dates for their station. Well, I shall shut up my trap for now. Oh yes, ABC nets (local, that is) WHEL-1570 & WBIG-1300 are on the information net. No other locals w/ABC at this time. Cincy in June!

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

One verie in, HIAM-660, specifying 2kw. Well, no DX this week, as the HQ-180 decided to konk out, & it is in the hospital. I don't have a stand-by set as the "house" radio, a Grundig-Majestic, is also sick. In fact, I was a bit under the weather myself Fri-Sat. I must have caught something from the RX, hi. Vinny Cavaseno called & said MM 1/15 was a fantastic AM for TAs! Wouldn't you know it, hi. I agree w/Walt Breville about including the state or city of loggings - they'll be included if YOU include them, provided it will not throw you over 30 lines. Locally, WJRZ-970 is now taking ABCNX & commentators, plus Don McNeill's Breakfast Club. WABC apparently has no ABC programming now, only rr-rot. C U N 7.



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Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014  
While time permits; a Musing. DX is fairly good, CX are very odd. Reports out to the following: 1/8- WGOH-1370 TEST 1:01-1:13am in OK, WKMK-1000 TEST 1:14-1:26 w/ WCFL CC & severe WIBG spread, & WNFL-1440 DX 3-3:12am. I didn't hear WDEL- I wasn't up, hi. 1/10 brought WEAS-900 5:30-5:42pm, KWAM-990 5:53-6:05pm through WIBG deep null (WHBQ-560 noted u/WFIL at the time) & the new WXTN-1000 6:09-6:14pm s/off-SSB. Are they in Miss.? (Lexington, Miss., but by no means a new station, Dave -ex-1150 - ERC) also noted KNOE-540 in very well, but changed patterns before report was possible. 1/11 brought WJAX-930 5:26-5:38pm, finally reported WYOU-1550 @ 5:54-6pm s/off & checked again for KNOE-540 but much to my surprise, WSJR-540 at Saint Joseph's College in Philadelphia was on top @ 6 18-6:31pm, so reported. I heard phone number mentioned; called in; & they mentioned my name on the air about five times as the "far away listener for the FCC" hi! No KNOE, nuts. I did notice that WNOE-1060 & WTIK-690 were both about equal in strength then, too. WSJR-540 makes college station #4 for me. Veries: v/i: WADR-1480 WYND-1280-TEST, WKPA-1150-TEST (nice one) & a so-so from WSME-1220 on f/up, that read (in part) "This is my verification on your verification...". Ah well! Also a nice v/q from WCOK-1060 ET. Total: 484. RXes here: HQ-180 & Heathkit GR-24. Antenna: 4" loop & 50" longwire. The new 650 Cuban is in Cuba - Cuba, NY, that is, hi. Is that where Ralphie hails from? I must get going for this go-round, so best of DX to all.

Harold S. Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut - 06483  
DX by Dateline: 12/25- 4VEC-890 Cap Haitien, Haiti very well heard after WIS s/off - a REAL DX program, & the best heard in many a moon. A lot heard that AM, but 4VEC the only one needed. 12/28- WKDK-1310 Kingstree, SC f/c-TT 1:09-1:16 through heavy QRM. 12/30- CKBL-1250 Matane, Que. heard surprisingly well for 30 minutes 5:46-6:16 pm when WTAE took over the frequency, CKBL all FF. 1/1- WWVA-1170 noted off @ 1:10, then @ 1:45 mx after OC & man announcer @ 2am as "signing on for ANOTHER WEEK of broadcasting!" A funny s/on time, hi! 1/6- Umm WBRN-1460 Big Rapids, Mich. w/f/c-TT riding on top to s/off @ 1:55, not as listed in f/c list. 1/8- WKMK-1000 Blounts-town, Fla. very poorly heard after WCFL s/off @ 1:03, but WCFL kept OC off/on. Last seven minutes of WKMK fair to good. Umm WRKD-1450 not heard because of AN WNAB, only 17 miles from here. Strong TT on 1370 u/o QRM turned out to be umm WGOH, Grayson Ky. Umm WISM-1480 Madison, Wis. noted on after 2:00, all alone on frequency, s off w/ Lord's Prayer @ 2:07. I fell asleep & missed needed WNFL-1440, DARN! Umm WCCM-590 heard but no CKCM-620 nor CHCM-560. Umm WDEL-1150 Wilmington, Del. booming as I left for bed w/the temperature at zero, brr. 1/12- At 12:05 umm WJNH-1580 Hammonton NJ almost made the RX hop off the table, 30db o/S-9 & IDs every 5-15 seconds. I counted 21 IDs before I left @ 12:15. I wish all stations making f/cs or ETs would ID like that. 1/13- WEGS-1560 Slidell, La. had ET/EX 2:45 to 3:01 s/off w/good signal. May have been on earlier. Veries in: v/1- CJOY-14060 for my 66th from Ontario. CHIQ-1280 is the only Ont. station that has not verified. 12/30- To close out 1967 v/q from WIQT-1000 Horseheads, NY & v/1 WTIV-1230 Titusville, Pa. First 1968 verie in 1/10 from CKBL-1250, a v/q, & v/1 WKPA-1150 New Kensington, Pa. for 11/27 TEST & verie #170 from Pa. WIQT made #155 from NY, my two best states. Fla. & NC also o/ the 100 verie mark w/Tenn., Va. & Ga. next in line. Well, 1967 was better here than 1966, but nothing like the days when one could log an entire DX program! 73.

Richard L. Coday - Box 5584 - Oildale, California - 93308  
RX HQ-140-X w/100' LW. New veries: CFOR WAGL CBK KSEM KOAM KIRO & KCBC-1390 Des Moines for report of 11/20. Recent reports to KASH CHQR KZEL & KFTO-1470 Casper on new frequency. Those who need KFTO on 1470 might try around 7:30-8pm weekdays. It came in here w/S-9 on 1/11. For those who have 100% verie records, I congratulate you. How come detailed reports plus four or five page letters to some stations don't work for me? KPAR KMMJ KXXX KWIC KLAV KBUY, etc etc etc. I guess a \$5 bill or phone call might help, but the old payold bit would take the fun out of QSLs for me. Static here has been bad for a month or more. Still no loop antenna. I sure wish I someone to build it for me. I'd be glad to pay for parts, labor & postage. I was surprised to see v/s listed for KFQD-750 in IDXD of 1/6 issue. I will send another report when possible & will pray. I now have 224 veries from 38 states & Canada & all outside Cal. Alaska still seems toughest to verify, w/only KICY-850 Nome re-sponding. Canada & NY best, w/31/32 & 5/5. To the one who wrote me re v/s for KOHJ KUZZ & KYSO, I cannot read the name of your town & your card was not postmarked. It looks like Cupestin, but that can't be. Please advise card was not postmarked. It

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Hi; back again after a one-week absence. I find it next to impossible to muse every week as much as I'd like to. (Nothing is impossible, Doug, unless it's logging WERA-1590 here, hi -ERC) DX: 12/18- WNKY-1480 @ 1:20am tunein to 1:30 s/off w/f/c-TT, WDIC-1430 r/c-TT @ 1:30 tunein till 1:40 s/off, WCOK-1060 w/ET/mx @ 1:40 weakly; KWYO-1410 r/c-TT 2am for State #42, KXIR-1150 r/c-TT poorly u/WCCP @ 2:22, CJRW-1240 DX @ 3:40 w/QRM from r/c WBIR; WMDD-1480 s/on @ 4:20 on tip from BKB King DeLorenzo. 12/19- WVNA-1590 r/c-mx 1:17-1:30 s/off, WMLT-1330 r/c-mx 1:47-2 s/off, KFGO-790 r/c-TT 2:30 tunein to 3am s/off, WIRY-1340 RS @ 3:02am. 12/21- WKIG-1580 w/5:30pm s/off, 12/22- WCIK-1560 newie w/ET/mx @ 12:30 tunein till past 1:00, WOKJ-1550 at last w/R&B u/CBE @ 1:15, then @ SSS from the world renowned DX Den of Vin da Gin, w/Johnny Javetski, WHN found off w/XR trouble; WNCG-910 w/RS @ 4:55, then the goodies, WRMF-1050 @ 5:05 w/RS till 5:30 s/off, WIVY-1050 u/WRMF w/5:30 s/off, WACR-1050 3/5:45 s/off, after which we all faced the E & dropped to our knees to give thanks to the GREAT DX GOD for this incredible stroke of good fortune. 12/25- WDSU-1280 on late w/Christmas services @ 2:15am w/2:20 s/off. 12/27- WOKY-920 w/rr @ 2:23am. 12/28- WJAM-1470 w/Celtics BKB @ 1:10am. 1/1- KWPC-860 heard w/one ID @ 3:32am on their TEST u/CJBC. 1/3- WBOL-1560 w/r/c-TT, @ SSS, WENC-1220 w/RS @ 4:44pm. 1/4- WSER-1550 ETing w/TT @ 12:56am. 1/5- WMMB-1240 w/1:30 s/off, WBNT-1310 w/r/c-TT, WGOK-900 w/f/c-DT @ 4:50 tunein till 5 s/off. At SSS, CHRC-800 w/FF @ 5:05. 1/6- WGHN-1370 r/c-TT @ 2:47 to 3, WFL-1570 f/c-TT @ 3:38 & ID @ 3:45; WDOC-1310 r/c-TT @ 4:45, WFOY-1240 w/5:35 s/on; WGRA-790 6:09 s/on. 1/9, SSS- WEAS-900 RS @ 5:02 c/w, WBBB-920 w/5:30 s/off. 1/10- Aurora in. WBRC-960 w/RS @ 5:49pm, WAMI-860 briefly on RS @ 5:54, WTWB-1570 w/6pm s/off, WTIK-690 w/rr @ 6 12, ZFY-760 concluding NX @ 6:15 w/YL. 1/12- Aurora again @ SSS. WRKT-1300 RS @ 5:18pm, WZST-1410 RS @ 5:39, WPLA-910 w/s/off @ 6pm. 1/13- WLOB-1310 w/SID out of the mess @ 12:59am, WGBR-1150 apparently on for emergency @ 1:05am. Veries: v/1- WCGC WAMO after one year, XEG WKID WEMB-? WMNS WRMF WMLT WMY WACR WOAY WQAN WDCW KWYO WDIC WVNA WBOL KIUF WGHN-? WMMB. v/q- WGSB CBAG WREL CJIC WINZ. WSER w/verie on back of CM. CMs from WQAN WDIC WBOL. Not sure what to call WEMB & WGHN, hi. Foreign stuff in IDX. Totals 872/289, 42/40, 9/8, 27/11. 73.

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Sure seems strange to be listening to the bus in ria again after many years; we stayed just one jump ahead of the WX except for the snowstorm between Newcastle & Kittanning the day we visited Dick & Peg Cooper. Of interest to Chicago area listeners would be the midwestern "clears" dawn here, you hear Rebelde u/WGN up there but they sure take over in Fla., seldom is WGN listenable. The best time is about 6 pm, WMAQ is usually getting through Progresso, WBBM makes it, & WIS is clearest. WLW is usually well o/JBC, WJR quite good, WCCI I have not really heard, & WJJD clobbered by Americas & jammer. Eleven more weeks to listen.

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DX 1968 just great this far w/17 new loggings in the first ten days! MM 1/1 finally IDed CMBQ-1060 as the AN SS there. FM, WJWL-900 Del. I&C w/Lifeline 4:52pm, WGUN-1010 Ga. weak i/WINZ @ 5:4r s/off. 1/4 marked the beginning of a so, id week of Aurora. CX: WQIZ-810 SC way o/WGY 5:28pm, WOHS-730 NC even w/WPAL SC @ 5:29 s/off of both stations, followed by WLOR-730 Ga. @ 5:35, WAPI-1070 Ala. I&C 5:46 w/MOR & very Northern sounding DJ, KAAY-1090 Ark. fair u/WBAL 6: 4pm. 1/5- WWBZ-1360 r/c-TT 12:15-12:21 w/only one ID, WHRY-1600 r/c-TT weak u/WBOS 12:20-30, then my most-wanted r/c in KFVS=960 TT 1:02-1:15 w/IDs every two minutes, fair u/CHNS. 1/6- WBRN-1460 f/c-TT 1:10-1:30 w/IDs every four minutes, WEAS-900 Ga. on top 5:12pm & no trace of CHML; WKKO-860 Fla. S-8 & all alone w/rr 5:16pm, WPDQ-600 Fla. S-7 5:39pm w/rr, a welcome catch for Letterma! WSJC-810 Miss. rr 5:56pm. M 1/8- XEAI-1320 on top w/nary "R. AI" SIDS 12:57, WGOH-1370 TEST S-9 after WDEA s/off 1:06-1:50 w/TT, WKMK-1000 TEST week w/rr until WCFL took off its OC @ 1:25, then I&C to 1:30 s/off. KONO 860 S-8 w/rr 1:50, KDCN-1460 weak w/rr 1:52, KNBR-680 first time in two years o/CHFI w/NBC 2 OC PM, WKIS-740 Fla. I&C w/NX o/WBAM 5:36, WGOK9900 Ala. I&C w/rr 6-6:10 for my most distant lkw. catch @ SSS. 1/9- WSEM-1500 Ga. fair u/WTOP @ 5:58pm s/off. 1/10- WCCF-1580 Fla. I&C w/c/w 5:47-5:59 s/off, WMOQ-1550 Ala. w.two loud & taped IDs @ 6pm. I t ought they changed calls to WMOE? v/q in from JBC-750, taped reports out to WAPI WEAS WCCF WGOK. 73s.

WELL, LADS, THIS IS THE END OF THE MUSINGS SECTION THIS WEEK, AFTER TWO BIG WEEKS. I WANT TO THANK ALL WHO HAVE EXPRESSED THEIR PLEASURE AT THIS SECTION. C U N 7.

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Contributors: Deadline for mail reports is Tuesday AM; Tuesday PM for phone tips. Please submit information in standard IDXD format, one side of the page only - preferably on standard sized 8½" x 11" paper. Please qualify all tentative or assumed identifications as such to minimize errors. In the event of space/time limitations, reports not in the above form may be held over.

DX conditions here in the northeast have improved slightly on TA paths, especially for south and central Europeans in the top half of the band. LA's still very good but not quite as powerful as last week. In Kentucky, Conrad reports, "Not a peep from TAs... very weak KORTL and nothing else on 1/8". In Massachusetts, Enberg notes "Extremely localized foreign cx during the last two Northeasterner storm periods - first, in the late PM of 12/28 and early AM of 12/29, Germans were very good: 1538, 1562 and 1586 were 40 db over S9 but only a trace of ORTF-1554 and no other TAs. Again, the PM of 1/6 from 1730 to 2200 the Venezuelans were topping many freqs while Cuba and Colombians were poor at best!"

\*Remember Inuit Keepingit - the "Voice of the Eskimos"? If you've been trying to hear 'em on BCB, forget it says Eric Floden - they're on SW only. Indications are that the other Eskimo bootleg jobs are also on SW, he adds.

\*Randy Seaver, IRCA's International Editor has received the new edition of the World MW Guide and comments that it "shows considerable improvement in the format and information presented. The log is separated by reception areas, Africa, Asia and Pacific, Europe and Middle-East, South America and North America. More reliance, it appears, has been made on listeners reports, in addition to government supplied station lists. Alistair Woodland has done a commendable job in presenting the European and Asia/Pacific sections, while Stewart Drake has compiled the North and South American stations. In summation, this log has become probably the best quick-reference guide for the foreign listener, and is useful to the domestic DX, since it includes a list of U.S. stations. Hopefully, the 1968 edition of WRTVH will include further info on the stations newly listed in the MWG. Items of interest to WCNA DX'ers:

P.R. of China - the log has used the list of NRC IDXD (May, 1967) which is the best available at the moment. Powers given in MWG are likely inaccurate.

North Korea - frequencies listed are: 605, 625, 635, 655, 685, 725, 735, 785, 800, 812, 850, 860, 877, 965, 1005, 1080, 1270, 1283, 1335, which at first glance looks like an amalgamation of listener's logs and published information. Powers are likely inaccurate.

Asiatic Russia - Vladivostok-548 (100 kw), 629 (100 kw), 710-FES (100 kw), 1151 (20), 1250 (20 kw), 1376 (50 kw), 1475 (20 kw), 1550-FES (100 kw), 1586 (20 kw); Khabarovsk: 629-FES (50 kw), 1250-FES (100 kw), 1485-FES (100 kw); Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk: 881 (20 kw), 973 (20 kw), 1570 (20 kw). The 1485 listing looks suspicious, to be frank. A 1586 outlet has been hrd in WCNA in past years. Powers are likely accurate. Note Vladivostok and Khabarovsk listings on 629 and 1250, one Far East Service, one not.

Thailand - The Thai listings are the most prolific this editor has seen to date. It's impossible to determine the accuracy of the information. A great many listed in MWG are not listed in the N.Z. PAL. Some powerful stations listed: Khon Kaen-630 (call HSKK - 50 kw); Kohn Kaen-843 (50 kw).

Australia, New Zealand and Pacific - generally accurate

Taiwan, Japan, South Korea - generally accurate

The only gross error noted is the 1110 listing, only 1 S. Korean listed, while there are several DU, Japanese, and Chinese outlets unlisted."

\*César Obispo reports on Dominican BB nets: HLA-650, R. Universal, carries games of the D.R. winter league. Also all their relays, on 860 and 890. 620 and relays broadcast the games in Santo Domingo, while 860 broadcasts only games from Santiago and/or San Pedro de Macoris. Weeknight games start at 8 PM local time, Sunday games at 4 PM. R. Rumbos-670 in Caracas carries BB games from Venezuela, and other YV stns probably do also.

The editor calls your attention to widespread reception of the powerful new Swiss transmitter on 1562.

- 550 Nicaragua. YNS noted 0145 on 12/25. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 560 Venezuela. YVLX way atop w/R. Rumbos ID 2100 on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 580 Puerto Rico. WKAQ strong w/R. El Mundo ID 0150 12/25. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 600 Saudi Arabia. This outlet has been hrd to announce location as Riyadh. (ARC)
- 605A Spurious. I'm positive about this spur; hrd positive ID and programming matched the left channel, which is the multiplex output; only noted on 12/25, during which time we were having a bad ice storm, so perhaps antenna icing had something to do with it. Beeg Meestry. (Starr, O.) Is there an AM transmitter nearby, perhaps? (Ed)
- 643A Spurious. KHOW, Denver (630) jumped freq and was hrd here only on 1/8 w/good signal 2338-2347 when they left the air after apologizing for technical difficulties. (Hauser, N.M.)
- 645 Panama. HOS22 clearer than CMQ at 2100 on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 650 Venezuela. YVLH hrd here using the R. Girardot ID only once, and a R. Gunk or somesuch twice on 1/9. (Campbell, Texas) YVLH strong and dominant on evening of 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 655 El Salvador. YSS noted evening of 1/6 but not as good as other times. (Enberg)
- 670 Cuba. This is one of the stations always rivalling CBO for 5th strongest stn, must be more than 50 kw. (Floden, Ont.)
- 680 Puerto Rico. WAPA s/off noted at 0205 on 12/25. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 715 Honduras. HRTV noted first time recently but not very good on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 725 North Korea. Outlet being hrd on this freq in Sweden. (ARC)
- Surinam. SRS in and out around 2130 but far below best levels. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 750 Colombia/Venezuela/Unid SS. HJDK noted on top at times, but strongest was YVKS w/ Caracas ID at 2110 on 1/6; at least 1 more SS there, probably YNX; no trace of WSB. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 770 Venezuela. YVQQ hrd w/R. Puerto La Cruz ID 2000 on 1/6 w/WABC completely nulled. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 790 Unid SS. Clear SS all alone 0210 on 12/25; very strong. (Enberg, Mass.) Likely HIL or the Cuban. (Ed)
- 825 Costa Rica. R. Titania noted 1950 on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- \*\*830 Cuba. CMCA is now ID'ing as Radio Cordon de Habana; 100% SS w/SS mx; first noted w/this new format on 1/4. (Brubaker, Fla.)
- British Honduras. Belize regular here; real loud 2020 tonight 1/10. (Campbell)
- 855 Netherlands Antilles. PJC-2, Curacao hrd loud and clear w/good audio 2115 in FF; I seem to get this one every night LA's are prevalent, yet others mention shallow audio - strange. (Winsor, Ind.)
- \*\*874V Cuba. La Voz de Cuba outlet appeared here 1/6 0050 w/anti-Venezuelan pgm; 0001 IS and ID; hrd a few times since. Hope somebody gets a fix on this one before it disappears, or we may never know which station this was. (Hauser, N.M.) Hrd on AM of 1/6 0059-0130 // CMQ; freq measured as 874.7 as close as I can come; seems to be at least 50 kw as it pushed right through TVI; chalk up one more pest. (Heinen, N.Y.) I measured them on 874.63 the next night, Wayne, but they drift quite a bit. (Ed) Bad news! L.V. de Cuba now dominates here as hrd on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- Unid SS. Hrd 0110 1/6 w/SS mx; much adjacent channel splash; sounded like a R. Habana outlet; freq closer to 870 than to 880 which is best I can do on SX 28. (Kilroy, Wash. DC) Guess who? (Ed)
- 885V Cuba. L.V. de Cuba; another outlet hrd 0340 1/8 giving usual Apt. 7016, Habana address; nothing hrd on 874 so possibly the same station; Could someone please come up with a list of L.V. de Cuba outlets? (Hauser, N.M.) Hrd all AM 1/8 // 640; very strong and really messing up 880-890. (Conrad, Ky.)
- 890 Dominican Republic/Unid SS. HIJP, R. Continental ID on top 1945 1/6 and second SS gave R. Liberatore ID at almost the same instant, any ideas? (Enberg, Mass.) Closest to that ID I can find is CX28, R. Libertad Sport in Uruguay, 10 kw; otherwise, no guess. (Ed)
- 910 Venezuela. YVPF, R. Aeropuerto clearly on top 1940 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 940 Venezuela. YVQB w/Rumbos ID and location at 1938 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- \*\*1000 Rhodesia. New high powered xmmitter reported earlier on 998 has now drifted up to this freq.



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- 1010 Mexico. XEDX, R. Variedades, Ensenada noted QRIed 0130 1/11. KEVK, Torreon, Coah. 1835 1/10 taking phone requests on the air; earlier CST plus 3 minutes TC's hrd; and "R. Mil Diez," but could have been another one. (Hauser, N.M.)
- 1040 Venezuela. YVLB finally ID'ed at 2140 on 1/6 w/Chevy ad for Valencia. (Enberg)
- 1060 Unid SS. A. R. Progreso noted 0100 on 12/25. (Enberg, Mass.) Probably CMBQ went over to the Progreso net that AM. (Ed)
- 1070 Unid SS. Two SS dominating channel 1/6 PM but couldn't separate. (Enberg, Mass.) Likely HJGC and perhaps WMIA. (Ed)
- 1088 Angola? Someone s/off 2000 on 1/18; Conakry-1403 in the same time. (Carl Parsons, Ont.)
- 1090 Cuba. Listed CHDD, Las Mercedes, dramatized "history" of SEA 0405 1/8; //884. (Hauser, N.M.)
- 1110 Mexico. XEQO, Rio Bravo, Tam. ID 1835 1/5 as R. Juventud; KFAB nulled w/new NRC loop. (Hauser, N.M.)
- Venezuela. YVNN S9 w/R. Rumbos and Barcelona ID; had BB game and alone to 1800 1/6; no WBT. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 1120 Venezuela. YVNF w/Cndas de Lago ID at 1800 on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 1135 Colombia. HJAC s9 plus 15 db at 1815 on 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 1140 Unid SS on top w/BB game PM of 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- 1170 Unid SS. A "Radio Martinez" ID well atop channel 1830 on 1/6, but no location noted. (Enberg, Mass.) Nothing listed that I can find, Curt. (Ed)
- 1200 Venezuela. R. Tiempo ID on top w/another SS not far below. 1/6. (Enberg, Mass.)
- Dominican Republic. HDV, R. Santa Marta over and under the Cuban 0425 1/8; TC's 3 minutes slow; 0434 La Vega and Republica Dominicana mentioned. (Hauser, N.M.)
- 1210 Venezuela/unid SS. Strong SS w/Venezualan BB game 1/6; no WCAU. (Enberg, Mass.)
- \*\*1280 Mexico. Correction to last report; I should have said R. Variedades; other comments still hold. (Hauser, N.M.)
- 1380 Mexico. XEHX, Cd. Obregon, Son. plugging "dos ondas de alegria"; MST TC and ID as "HX" 1904 1/4. (Hauser, N.M.) (note - interchange this item with 1460 - Ed)
- 1395 Colombia. Colombian here s/off 1/5 at 2330 w/Todelar ID, local ID, and NA; could not get local ID due to the thermostat on electric heat; assume it is the listed HJTJ-1395, R. Cerete per IRCA list, but no calls hrd yet. (Conrad, Ky.)
- 1403 Guinea. Assumed to be the one hrd to s/off 1902 on 1/18; not enough for program details. (Carl Parsons, Ont.)
- 1460 Mexico. XEKT, Tecate, BCN 0350 1/8 w/PST TC's and Tecate mention. (Hauser, N.M.) (note - interchange this item with that on 1380 - ed)
- 1480 Mexico. XEHA, Cd. Delicias, Chih. dominating channel w/R&R 1855 1/4 and ID's as "HT". (Hauser, N.M.)
- 1499A Spurious. This one has been gone for several weeks; my bet is it was the CKIM spur, was so distorted it sounded like SS to me, was evidently FF. I did know it was not EE from inflection, etc. Lots of people hrd this one, some others also thought it sounded like SS. (Starr, O.)
- 1520 Unid SS. SS hrd 0120-0235 w/WKEN off for 3 hours w/technical troubles; pgm was songs, with many TC's for EST; couldn't get ID - my antenna was shivering too much, temperature was -5°. HIBL? (Johanns, N.Y.) Could be, Ralphie, but I think that the Dominican Republic is still on AST - César? (Ed)
- 1538 Germany. Mainflingen easily thru WPTR after midnight 12/29. (Enberg, Mass.)
- \*\*1562 Switzerland. Schweizer Radio probably 50 kw on experimental basis to replace very disturbed Beromunster on 529; on the air after 1800 on Saturdays; fine entertaining mx. (Ericson, Sweden) Time pips 0100, short newscast by man in GG, then into soft musical program; at first I thought it was 1560. Very strong and clear. (Heinon, N.Y.) Light music program noted 0010-0200 1/15; both man and woman announcers, very strong but rapid fade; stronger than 1586; obviously quite high power. (Sullivan, Mass.) Very powerful 1/17 after 0100; 18 cps SAH from Veronica and slight het from Cuban on low side. Should be a cinch in most parts of the country. (Ed)
- International Waters. Veronica in Dutch w/all US pop record program 0000-0030 1/15. (Taylor, Mass.)
- Unid. Language similiar to German (Dutch?) also very strong 12/29 morning; is this Veronica; no ID hrd. (Enberg, Mass.) Could be either they or the new Swiss Swiss; what was programming like? Everyone be careful of ID's here now! (Ed)



- 1575 Unid SS. Strong here 0100 on 1/1; not noted previously. (Enberg, Mass.)  
China. Noted in Sweden // to 1500. (ARC)
- 1578 Unid TA. Very strong from s/on 0030; had EE lessons; is either the Italian or the Portugese station; will know once language on tape is definitely ID'ed; think it is the RAI stn but not positive. (Taylor, Mass.)
- 1586 Germany. Often audible here but particularly good 12/29 AM. (Enberg, Mass.)  
Strong around 0130 on portable radio 1/15! (Sullivan, Mass.)
- 1594 Unid TA. Just after midnight on 1/5 hrd my first TA on this channel as WBOS is tough, but man and woman in language definitely not SS, PP; may have been Hungarian, but hard to believe. Also there was definitely nothing on the channel on the hot German night of 12/29. (Enberg, Mass.) Dunno - could be Belgium or Denmark or Yugoslavia or... Happen to have a tape? (Ed)

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VERIFICATIONS . . .

- 560 JAMAICA. V/c from the JBC confirming my reception of their 560, 620 and 750 outlets on 12/25; V/s illegible; QTH - 5 South Odeon Ave., Kingston 5. (Brubaker)
- 620 JAMAICA. V/c from H. Stewart, CE. Says this is a 5 kw xmitter at Mandeville (listed incorrectly in WRTVH as Spur Tree); same QTH as above except Jerry says it's Kingston 10. (Starr) 5 = 10 in Kingston, or can't somebody read? Hi. (Ed)
- 700 JAMAICA. JBC sent v/q; v/s is Laurie Stewart, CE. (Floden) A female CE!? (Ed)
- 800 MEXICO. XELO, usual v/q in 1 mo. (Floden)
- 820 AUSTRALIA. 2GL, Glen Innes sent usual v/q, from Sydney although report sent to GlennInnes; no local staff there. George Redstone, N.S.W. Programme Department. (Wood)
- 830 CUBA. CMCA v/q and v/l from Angel Hernandez; same QTH as previously reported. Will value this verie since CMCA is no longer in EE. (Brubaker)
- 995 ECUADOR. HCEW2 v/l from Elsy Romero R., Sect. as result of f/up; sent a copy of the first QSL letter which was never received here. (Starr)

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\*Mimeograffiti (Quotations without Comment): "I assume your 'GNT Obsolete' comments were tongue in cheek, but I answer seriously: even more reason to have NRC go over to GNT! EST shows huge favoritism to EC members..." (Non-EC DX'er) "Dues go up, Stamps go up & only mini-skirts stay up." (Dirty Old Man) "Guess ear-beans are in vogue this year..."

\*The Crew... special welcome to Wayne Heinen, New York, and Billy Campbell, Texas - and welcome back to Carl Parsons, Ontario and Pete Taylor, WCAS-Land. And once again, thanks to all of the regulars and exchange sources.

\*Randomness... looks like that new Swiss on 1562 should make all the way to the West Coast... Thx to Carl Parsons and Wayne Heinen for phone calls... where is the new WRTVH that was supposed to be delivered "before the first of the year"?... we're currently working on a very promising article which will explain the effects of sunspots, auroral activity, and magnetic disturbances on "auroral conditions" - should even provide a measure of prediction for some of the Deep South Americans... Good DX to all -

Admiral Nelson

**A** (After hours: Midnight to sunrise DX)

- 540 WDAK-Ga Noted on ET (announced) MM 1/8 0135-0149 w/ID at 0149.. means off MM's? (Wayne Heinen, Orchard Pk., NY)
- 560 WCHS-WVa SM s/off 0205 w/SSB. (Heinen, NY)
- 680 UnID TT almost every MM on & off 0130-0230 and on, 1/8... any ideas? (Heinen, NY) Probably WRKO. (rk)
- 990 WCAZ-Ill Noted r/c 1/8. (Heinen, NY)
- 1000 WKMK-Fla WCFL s/off/snd:0101:45 1/8, then SILENT-Carrier to:0124 & Spl/WKMK came(poor):0124:45 vocal, PO Box & Zip, talk- (a 2nd/ yet poor./ (Ralphie Johans, Buffalo, NY)
- 1150 WDEL-Del spl(\*trouble here by some pests/tstg)0405 & lost in:NX by?(KDEF?/or?(\*took loop & DAK/rcvr then/better/mdm) (Huh? -rk) saluting NRC & Band/# etc.(1/8) (Johanns, NY)
- 1230 WTAP-WVa S/off at 0115 on 1/6 w/SSB. (Jerry Conrad, Alexandria, Ky)
- 1240 WMMB-Fla Hrd for over an hour 1/7 from 0130-0230. Called /Ky/ the station and really shook them-perfect signal. (")
- WTAX-Ill S/off 0200 on 12/27 w/SSB. (Conrad, Ky)
- 1340 KBTA-Ark Hrd on f/c 1/8 0200-0230 TT, voice IDs. (Conrad, Ky)
- WJOL-Ill Hrd s/off at 0130 1/8 - SSB. (Conrad, Ky)
- WEXL-Mich Hrd RS w/C&W on 1/8 at 0120, may be NSP. (Conrad, Ky)
- 1370 WLOP-Ga the old WBGR)TT/c hrd:1/10 0246-0330. (Johanns, NY)
- WGOH-Ky 1/8 0102½:TT 0106:WGOH/Ky (13-70 kilohurts) to 0200 (\*WSPD/pest was AN\*) (Johanns, NY)
- 1400 KXIV-Ariz Judging from other reports was the stn I hrd, reported in 12/16 DDXD, not KIXX-Utah! Relayed KSL. (Hauser, NM)
- KFVD-Iowa Hrd on f/c 1/8 at 0155 tune/in to past 0200, TT. Voice ID. (Conrad, Ky)
- 1440 WNFL-Wis Spl:0300¼ to:0330 s/off(ment'd NRC once & rest of work /dx's, tlaked a lot of its own, Ntl/Emblm/mrch:starrt & end,rest:diff't(5 kW used\*) (Johanns, NY)
- 1450 WCVS-Ill S/off at 0115 1/8 w/SSB. (Conrad, Ky)
- KWBW-Kans 1/8 0200 most probably the one hrd w/wx for Kans. (Paul Kilroy, Washington, DC)
- WPAD-Ky S/off at 0100 1/4 - SSB. (Conrad, Ky)
- WRKD-Me 1/8(\*WRKD/spl\*)had WVON:also r/r/AN, a 2nd:diff't/mx & Spl/rr & fair@0144. (Johanns, NY)
- WREL-Va r/c 0110 (tune-in) -0115 off TT 1/9. (Heinen, NY)
- 1470 WEAG-Tenn r/TT/c is:1st/WED 0230-0245. (Johanns, NY)
- 1490 KXRA-Minn On r/c 0130-0200 1/8,TT, voice IDs. Tests 2 xtals and IDs for xtal 1 and 2 separately. (Conrad, Ky)
- WJMO-Ohio S/off 0100 1/8 w/SSB, hrd 1/9 at 0130 on RS. 24 hrs? (Off MM -rk) (Conrad, Ky)
- WCVA-Va 0115-0126, used 1000 & 250w & TT, 1/9. (Heinen, NY)
- Misprint Correct Hauser's item of last week to KICO-Cal. (rk)
- 1510 UnID KIFG-Iowa, 1/8 0245 possible TT. Vy weak & word "falls" only discernable. (Kilroy, DC)
- 1520 WKBW-NY Off:1/9 from:0120-0323,only IDXD there.- (Johanns, NY)
- 1550 CBE -Ont Off:1/12 from:0130-0322, only:IDXD there. (Johanns, NY)
- 1560 KWCO-Okla ONLY CATCH: MM 1/8 with TT/c:0214-0219/end. (Ralphie)
- WBOL-Tenn r/f/c is:1st/WED 0215-0245. (Johanns, NY)
- 1600 CJRN-Ont Was OFF an hr/or so 1/8 & WAAM coming-in- \*0205:CJRN noted back/AN. (Johanns, NY)

**C** (Sunset s/off's and DX until midnight)

- 540 KNOE-La Noted on 1/10 w/rr up til 1830 pattern change. (Dave Schmidt, Chester, Pa)
- 560 WHBQ-Tenn Noted up til 1814 1/10 w/pattern change, first noted

- (C) (WHBQ) @ 1805, under WFIL w/WRKO-type programs (RKO stn) (Dave)
- 660 KSKY-Tex S/off 1845 1/6. (Relfe Luton, Elizabeth City, NC)
- 680 WMPS-Tenn Pattern change at 1815 in Jan. (Schmidt, Pa)
- 730 WJMW-Ala S/off 1800 1/6, NA. (Luton, NC)
- KSUD-Ariz S/off 1815 1/8, no NA. Is the best hrd almost every day, final 15 minutes. (Luton, NC)
- WLOR-Ga S/off 1800 1/6, no NA. (Luton, NC)
- WFMW-Ky S/off 1800 1/6, no NA. (Luton, NC)
- KWRE-Mo S/off 1800 1/6, NA. (Luton, NC)
- 890 KBYE-Okla 1845 s/off hrd, WLS looped, on 1/7. (Walt Breville, Mo)
- 930 WJAX-Fla Hrd w/commercial, ID etc on 1/10 up til pattern change at 1745. (Schmidt, Pa)
- 1000 UnID-Miss Believed to be Lexington, hrd 1809-1814 s/off w/SSB. Call sounded like WXTN, thought this was a new stn in Mass. (Schmidt, Pa) The VJ listing is incorrect- WXTN is in Miss. Yr s/off tx is right; besides, the Mass. stn is WLMS in Leominster. (rk)
- 1010 WHIN-Tenn S/off 1800 1/8. (Luton, NC)
- 1020 WCIL-Ill S/off 1800 1/8. (Luton, NC)
- 1070 WDIA-Tenn Noted up til 1815 pattern change on 1/10 w/R&B. (Schmidt)
- 1220 KGYN-Okla 1859 s/off hrd well on 1/8. (Breville, Mo)
- 1230 WANO-Ky S/off is 2000 all evenings except when they are running a BKB game, usually Tuesday & Friday eves. Uses SSB at s/off. (Conrad, Ky)
- WNNC-NC S/off 2300 1/3 w/SSB. (Conrad, Ky)
- 1330 WFIN-Ohio S/off noted 1730 on 1/7. (Breville, Mo)
- 1460 KDWA-Minn S/off hrd at 1802 1/7. (Breville, Mo)
- 1490 WRMT-NC 1/7 @ 1955 w/adv o/WHSL. (Kilroy, DC)
- WLDB-NJ 1/9 @ 1954 way over all. (Kilroy)
- 1570 KLLA-La S/off 1800 1/6, Dixie. (Luton, NC)
- KMAR-La S/off 1800 1/8, NA. (Luton, NC)
- KOLS-Okla S/off 1830 1/8, NA. (Luton, NC)
- KTAT-Okla S/off 1828 1/5. (Luton, NC)
- KTER-Tex S/off 1845 1/8. Big surprise, 15 minutes of solid copy. Had one of the other Texans after he left but XERF came on 1855 and smothered. (Luton, NC) Really? (rk)

D (Schedules)

- 860 WKKO-Fla Still daytimer, Jan sked 0715-1730. (Schmidt, Pa)
- 1230 WUBE-Ohio Is NSP including MMs. (Conrad, Ky)
- 1240 WINN-Ky Now 100% C&W and NSP. IDs as "Countryopolitan Radio". (")
- 1470 WEAG-Tenn JAN:0600-1745, FEB:0600-1815 V/l. (Ralphie)
- 1560 KWCO-Okla Skd:0700-2300, Dir'l:S, nulls:E & W.- (Johanns, NY)
- WBOL-Tenn 0700 (Sun:8)-1800 (per V/l) (Johanns, NY)
- 1580 KZIA-NM Now aims for a 2/11 airdate, according to Jan. Nxletter of NM BC Assn. (Hauser, NM)

OK for this week-

73, randy