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Somewhere along the line the numbers of the bulletins have gotten mixed up. This number is correct, so I suggest you go thru your back issues and change the numbers accordingly.

We welcome the renewals this week of Harry (WATN) Righter, and Bob Spencer. Thank you, gentlemen!

DX CALENDAR

Feb. 5	WLEX	1340	Lexington, Kentucky	NNRC	2:00 - 3:30 a.m., E.S.T.
5	WALT	1110	Tampa, Florida	NNRC (every Wed.)	2:00 - 2:15 a.m.
5	KPDR	1490	Alexandria, Louisiana	NNRC	4:15 - 4:30 a.m.
10	WAGC	1450	Chattanooga, Tennessee	NNRC	2:00 - 4:00 a.m.
10	WGNS	1450	Murphreesboro, Tennessee	NRC	3:30 - 4:00 a.m.
10	KGRH	1450	Fayetteville, Arkansas	NRC	4:00 - 4:30 a.m.
12	CFRC	1490	Kingston, Ontario	NRC	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.
12	KBLF	1490	Red Bluff, California	NNRC	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.
13	WDRC	1360	Hartford, Connecticut	NRC - NNRC	5:30 - 6:27 a.m.
18	WHTB	1230	Talladega, Alabama	NRC	3:30 - 4:30 a.m.
23	WXLS	850	Narsarssuak, Greenland	NRC	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.
27	VOUS	1480	Fort Pepperrell, Newfoundland	NRC	4:30 - 5:30 a.m.
Mar. 1	WATN	1240	Watertown, New York	All Clubs	2:00 - ??? a.m.
3	CFOR	1450	Orillia, Ontario	NRC	4:30 - 5:30 a.m.

Kindly note change in time of the WDRC show, starring Phil Nichols! This is correct.

KPDR, listed for last week, will be on instead for NNRC as listed above, Feb. 5.

WGNS - Murphreesboro, Tennessee WGNS has consented to run a special DX program for our club on the above date and time, Feb. 10, 3:30 to 4:00 a.m., E.S.T. This station is very new, as you know, having been on the air for just about 1 month at this writing. Mr. Cecil Elrod, Jr., Manager of WGNS, is quite anxious to receive a lot of reports, and we hope that our members will come through in the customary manner, to please a station and to receive another verification. Thank you, Mr. Elrod, and we'll be tuned in!

KGRH - Fayetteville, Ark. Here is another brand-new station, and this one, too, is anxious for your reports. We realize the 1450 channel may be quite heavily populated during especially the first part of this program, but we feel that if you listen with a DXer's ears, you'll be richly rewarded by the addition of KGRH to your logs. Mr. George Dotson, C.E., will receive your reports and verify them for you, and thanks, Mr. Dotson! KGRH has an especially eye-appealing letter-head, too. Both these programs by Len Kruse.

QUESTION BOX

What is QRA of XEX? (Oliver.) Answer - In Official Mexican list sent me by Sr. Pireles of XEFI, there is no such station listed at all, so you must have mis-understood the call letters. This list is dated 10/24/46. What frequency did you hear him on? -Ed.

690 For Lefty and Pat - XEN is your late broadcaster here. QRA is "Rep. de Brasil #25, Mexico, D.F." They verify. (Oliver)

1000 XFOY What is QRA? (Geary) Answer - "Fomento de Radio, S.A. Donata Guerra 11111, 26, Mexico, D.F.

1438 AFN Who is the A.F.N. station on this frequency? Is it Rome? (Geary) Answer - The F.F.I.S. list of 9/1/45 lists station CFN in Ludshot, England, as a Canadian Forces Station - no American stations listed in this old issue.

1470 XESM What is QRA? (Wheeler) Answer - "Salvador San Martin - Rebsamen num. 241 Col. Narvarte - Mexico, D.F.

1540 KINE Who is this? Hrd 1/19, 3:50-4:13 a.m. (Geary)

THERE ARE STILL NO REPORT FORMS OR LETTER-HEADS ON HAND AT HEAD-QUARTERS. SOON, MAYBE! SEND THOSE REPORTS TO ERNEST R. COOPER, EDITOR? 438 EAST 21 STREET, BROOKLYN 26, N.Y.

- 680 WAPA San Juan, P.R. Good nitely 6-10 p.m. (Duffy) Sked: 5 AM - 10 PM DAILY. (Lefty)
 690 WCYB Bristol, Va., R. H. Smith, Gen. Mgr. (Reilley)
 800 CJAD Montreal, P.Q., now issuing attractive first-anniversary card. (Duffy)
 810 WASL Annapolis, Md. went on officially Dec. 28th. (Van Voorhees)
 860 (Omitted in error from Question Box) One march and one announcement hrd on 1/25, and it sounded like "WMCW, testing." Who is it? (Campbell)
 900 Carrier still being heard - wonder if it could be WKYV? Sid? (Lefty)
 970 KWBC Fort Worth, Tex. opened by Dec. 22 with R.F. Chapman as CE. (Van Voorhees)
 990 WJMR New Orleans, La. apparently checking daily, 4:00-4:15. (Lefty)
 1010 WSUA Bloomington, Ind. had f/c 4 Wed. 3:30-3:40. (Van Voorhees) Believe it is every Wednesday (Lefty)
 1170 WLBH Mattoon, Ill., f/c is now EVERY Wednesday, 2:30-3:00. (Lefty)
 1190 WANN Annapolis, Md. went on officially 1/11, in A. Banking & Trust Co. (Van V.)
 1230 WTNT Augusta, Ga. loud on DAILY 4:10-4:20 test. (Duffy)
 WNEB Worcester, Mass., tests EVERY Sunday 6:30 - 6:45 a.m. (Lefty)
 1240 KANE New Iberia, La. Something screwy - On only 15 minutes, mentioned NNRC once, and gave CE name as L. R. Stagg. Asked for reports. (Campbell)
 1260 CFRN Edmonton, Alta., R-8, 1/22, 3:55-4:45, played popular records, and identified only at 2 points. (Duffy)
 1310 WNAE Warren, Penna. went on Dec. 31 on MBS with Homer M. Haines as C.E. (Van V.*
 13-0 WGH Newport-News Virginia, new allnighter, 7 days a week. (Lefty)
 WKUL Cullman, Ala. checks Mondays, 2:30-2:40 a.m. (reports)
 1360 WDRS Hartford, Conn. now signing on at 6:30 instead of 6. DX program changed, therefore, to 5:30-6:27. (Nichols)
 WGFQ Kalamazoo, Mich., to go on Mar. 1 on ABC. (Van Voorhees) (Van Voorhees)
 1370 KEEN San Jose, Cal. will start 3/15/47 with Sam Melnicoe as C.E., 6-Mdt. PST.
 1400 KSOY Santa Maria, Cal., went on 1/17, on APC. 114 W. Cook St. (Van Voorhees)
 1420 EVUB Canal Zone, signs on daily, 5:30 a.m. (reports)
 1450 KCRV Ontario, Ore. f/c 4 Fri. 5:15-5:30. (Nichols)
 WFCB New Brunswick, N.J., 385 Geroge St., next f/c will be Feb. 10, 5:30 a.m. R. L. Williams, CE. (Reilley) Has nice card. (Duffy)
 WRLC Toccoa, Ga., s/off 4 a.m., 1/25. (Duffy)
 WFDC Washington, now issues nice card. (Duffy)
 WQMS Murphreesboro, Tenn. went on 12/31. Reg. sked 4:45a.m. - 11p.m., C.S.T. (VV) Sun., 8 AM- 11 PM.
 KOBA Odessa, Tex. went on on 1/12, CBS. (Van Voorhees)
 VHKP Hendersonville, N.C. f/c 3rd Tuesday, 4:15-4:45. (Morss)
 WPBP Mayaguez, P.R., seems to check 3-4 AM EVERY Monday. (Lefty)
 1490 WHOB Gardner, Mass. went on Dec. 23, Arnold Maupin, C.E. (Van Voorhees)
 WFCW Mayaguez, P.R. hrd 4:20-4:40, check with Van Nostrand. (Campbell) Hrd 1/27 at 4:20 - may be DAILY check 4:20-4:40. (Lefty)
 WJBK-VSW The Bobsey Twins are breaking off with each other! (Lefty)
 1570 KAKO Tulsa, Okla. went on Dec. 24, Arnold Maupin, C.E. (Van Voorhees)
 1880 KOLA Pine Bluff, Ark., Kenneth Kasterson, Mgr., co-owner, v/s. (Reilley)
 KCHS Hot Springs, N.M. has changed f/c to each Mon., 4:30-4:45. (Reilley)

CHANGES IN STATION DATA

710	Paris, Tennessee	250 D.	1340	Knoxville, Tenn.	250 U
940	Mount Vernon, Illinois	1,000 D.		Atlantic City, N.J.	250 U
970	Great Falls, Montana	5,000 U.	1400	Green Bay, Wisconsin	250 U.
1090	Waterloo, Iowa	1,000 D.		Grass Valley, California	250 U.
1230	Danville, Kentucky	250 U.	1450	Bangor, Maine	250 U.
1240	Somerset, Kentucky	250 U.	1460	Columbus, Georgia	1,000 U.
1300	Newnan, Georgia	1,000 U.	1470	Meriden, Connecticut	1,000 D.
1310	Panama City, Panama	?	1590	Chester, Pennsylvania	1,000 D.
1340	Breckenridge, Texas	250 U.	1490	Santa Cruz, California	250 U.

FREQUENCY CHANGES

790	WGRC Louisville, Ky. (1400) 5kw-1kw.	970	WBRB Buffalo, N.Y. (1340)	5,000 U.
950	KWAT Watertown, S.D. (1240) 1,000 U.	1140	KGEM Boise, Idaho (1340)	10,000 U.

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

JOHN T. JONES-BUSTLETON, PENNA. Not much DX this week. Only night up was Monday morning, when I got up for KCRT & KSFT. Logged KCRT solid S-8 from 4:20 to 4:48 a.m., when somebody, ZBM, I think, put carrier on and wrecked KCRT. KSFT was logged from 5:00 to 5:33 a.m., solid S-9 plus. (Hated to tune out at 5:33 but I had to get back to bed, gotta be up at 6, hi!) Thanks to Ralphie for the calendar, little late, but I finally remembered. KCRT had a nice program, as did KSFT. The WX has really been too warm for good DXing. After tuning out of KCRT at 4:48, I tuned to 1280 where I heard XEAW or XEBW under KSFT's carrier. (Not sure if XEAW or XEBW but I did get the XE_W part. Heard XEG just at 5 a.m., advertising adding machines, think I'll get one to add up my contest score, hi! Veries clow coming in. New veries: WKY WWBZ WKNB WAAT WKNA WPHG CKAC XELO WACE. Any body get their ZBM verie yet? (Not yet, but they're promised, so they'll be coming along one of these days. XEAW was the calls of the Mexican on 1280 ahead of KSFT. -Ed.)

ELWOOD BOROWSKI-BROOKLYN, N.Y. Well I am not completely a has-been yet. Have been trying to get back in stride in a limited way but haven't always the time. January 18 was a fine day for TAs. Lyon-1393, Toulouse-913, Turin-1357, North Regional-388, Alpes-Grenoble-583, Lille-1313, Sottens-677, Lyon-648, West Regional-1384, Lopik-995, heard well. Also carriers on 546, 556, 574, 740, and 1410 which did not peak enough for identification. WLOW from 1:00 to 2:00, WHKP covered by WWDC on January 21. WBOB for first equipment test on January 22. WHAL off test 3:35 a.m. WRNY off 4:01 a.m. WRNY used to be old New York station on 1010 kilocycles. WAPA on regular schedule January 15, 5:00 a.m. to 10:00 p.m. January 25 with WSON at 2:05 a.m., WKVM 2:50 a.m., WPAM 3:15 a.m., WRLC at 3:51 a.m., WEBQ at 4:02 a.m. January 27 - WSGC off, 2:10 a.m., KGBC at 3:15 a.m., and WPBP at 3:30 a.m. Have to renew my Berne lists which I let elapse during the way. See you are doing a fine job with the club now. We are well rid of the short-wave section, and as for long-wave, why not just include any information along with the regular reports as I doubt if there is enough to warrant a separate section. (GLAD TO have your report, Ellie - how about dropping in for a visit? Here we are neighbors and we don't even know each other! -Ed.)

RAY B. "POP THE COP" EDGE-BUFFALO, N.Y. Reports went out to CFAB WCJU WLOW KTRF WAYN WCPS KPDR. Also heard ~~of~~ KCRT and KSFT on DXes, both came in very well. WAYN had nice program and again a Wayne Nelson station pounded in an R-9 plus. Letter veries received from WEST WCIF WRNY KOLO WWNS FWBZ WHBS KDRS and card from WCTC. Total 1668. Not too much listening this past week due to being busy and not home too much. Nothing on VMLS on 1/25, and, oh well, maybe one of these months they will come in. (I'm beginning to think they're only a myth, Pop! -Ed.) Kenny Page says he heard WMIQ and WMIK this week.

ERNEST R. "LEFTY" COOPER - BROOKLYN, N.Y. Veries in this week in fine style, almost like when I started DXing back in 1932. Cards from KXLY WHPM WCTC W'GAY, and letters came in from WAPA XEXX WACE WORZ WRNY WNEB WCYB KDFN ~~WCAE~~ KDRS, to bring the total up to 1232. And the DX activities of the week - 1/22 WAYN heard here, but reception did not seem too hot to me. Because of much-needed sleep I didn't get up for the specials from KMHK, KCIL, and KPDR for the MNRC. I caught KXLW signing on behind WJAS-WATR on 1/23, and on 1/24, WJAS didn't begin until 7:04, giving me another chance of hearing KXLW, for a 2-day report. 1/25 - Up for KANE & WMLS, but was greeted by a terrible steady buzzing noise which refused to ease up, and I couldn't even hear WWDC worth anything. 1/26 - Tried for KCSB, but this same horrible racket, so I climbed into bed. 1/26 - The buzz was gone, but QRN was rough, but I did add a couple of stations. KBUN simply would not squeeze through all the stations on 1450 - I wouldn't be surprised if possibly other mornings might not be better for DXes on 1450 than Mondays, due to the large number of testers. WPBP was R-9 on top of everything for just about the whole hour. KWEM squeezing through on 990, with side-band slop-overs and a deadening effect due to the 50,000 carrier test of WINS. At 4:20, WECW squeezed through the "Bobsey Twins" for a report, but the Bobsey Twins will soon be parted. 1/28 - Poor morning, & nothing new. 1/29 - I tried for KQRC, but more buzzing, but a different type this time. No KQRC - WNEW is too strong here - they just kill 1140 unless it's a really powerhouse of a signal on that channel. WATR heard, over buzz. Can't wait to hear the big show starring Phil Nichols and other Conn. DXers on WDRC on 2/13, 5:30-6:27 a.m.!

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

MEL OLIVER-HOUSTON, TEX. Fairly good week here, unless the 13 reports sent out means bad luck. They went to ~~KEN KTRC~~ KAKC WPBP KMLH KVR3 KIFI WRHP KCIL WAYN WPAB WJTS KGV1. Veries from KECA WBBQ WAGF WCJF ~~KCIA~~ XFN (an Air-Mail Letter.) Card also from WHHM, a printed card which thanks me for my report of reception which "you state" as having heard at a certain date and time. Nuts to them - I wasn't too fond of them anyway! My report to XEX of 11/30/46 was returned undelivered. 1/19 - 4:05 WTMV & WHOM; 5:00 KOCS testing, but not sufficient for rpt; KTRC testing, lady announcer; 5:30 KFYZ testing. 1/20- 3:00 WAGC with f/c thru WCJU's tone signal; 3:15 WIRA's weekly f/c; 3:28 WNEK concluding f/c; 3:35 WPBP with f/c; 4:05 WCCP KFLW KVSP & KOAT jumbled together. None of this morning's specials heard - couldn't wait up for KSFT. 1/21- 3:45 KMHL reg. f/c.; 4:00 WBBQ for freq. measurement; 4:15 unknown station concluding FM test on 760 Kc/s., 4:20 WSGC almost ruining KVR3 for me, but not quite; 4:35 WHKP testing; 4:45-5:00 KIFI testing - a new one, isn't it? (Yep! -Ed.) 4:55 WGWG testing. 1/22 - WBSR concluding f/c at 3:45; 4:00 WAPA likewise; 4:00 WECW on for f/c (wish they'd verify my report of 12/11/46) KCIL with NNRC Special at 4:15 instead of 3:15; WAYN program for us excellent here. 1/24- 3:40 KFFA with f/c; 3:45 WPAB, 4:00 WJTS, 4:10 WECW, 4:15 WCIL, all testing for freq. measurement. 1/25- 2:05 - KSIB testing; 2:20 KWGO with tone; 3:00 KGV1 reg. f/c and promising veries; 3:30 WCRS testing, but I had to return without copying him. For Leo, may be obsolete info now, but my 1942 verie from KFFA was signed by J.C. Warren, C.E. No soap on Greenland DX. My bulletins generally take a week en route, so I'm usually behind with the latest news.

T/SGT. FRED A. "ANDY" ANDERSON-FORT SHERIDAN, ILL. Have been gone since the 20th so no DX-ing but on the 19th, logged on reg. sked WJHL @ 3:30 p.m., WCOA @ 6:50 p.m., WSMB @ 7:30, WJDX @ 9:00, KALB @ 10:00 p.m. Rec'd the following letters - from WLBW WBBM WJMR WKDK WBRC WGWG WTMV (all niter)(Sun. only, Andy-Ed.) WTOL WCBS WCOA WSMB. Cards from WROL WCBI WBIR WSAZ WRHI WNAE WLAK KGW KTRB WREC KHJ WHIS WJDX KTHS. Well, that makes my total heard 435 and verified 299. See you next week. PS * Leaving Fort Sheridan this coming week, going to Recruiting Duty in Chicago, hi.

PAT REILLEY-JAMESTOWN, N.Y. New veries from WGAT WRNY VCYB ~~KCIA~~ KCHS WCTC. New ones heard are KCRT KSVP WAYN KOLO EXLY KWEM BBC-877 BBC-1050. So far this season I've heard 11 more than the past 2 seasons combined and 1 less verie received so far. 1/20- VBEJ on till 3:45 with flood news - CFAB was good on their DX - KCRT also on their DX. KSVP at 4:32 on test - couldn't stay up for KSFT DX. 1/21- Too noisy and back to bed. 1/22- KHOZ at 4:20 but too noisy and nearly zero and blizzard here. WAYN @ 4:30 on DX and good one. 1/23- KOLO at 2 to 2:15 when KXLY over-rode them until s/off. BBC on 877 at 2:05, BBC on 1050 till 3:50 when they faded out. WABI at 3:06, KWEM at 3:13 on ET, WIBU at 3:53, 1/24- One of the noisiest mornings this year and back to bed. 1/25- Never heard the alarm clock today and I had a day off also. 1/26- 46 and rainy, too noisy to hear WOR & WJZ good.

BOB HETZEL-MILWAUKEE, WIS. This past week it has been too warm for any real DX to be heard, so did not do much listening. On 1/25 at 3:30 a.m. heard KECK testing and asking for reports from DXers. No sign on CFAB here, did hear KCRT & KSFT both with about the same signal strength. KCIL was fairly well heard with some interference of course. KPDR not heard. WAYN put in a swell signal here and I enjoyed the program very much. It is not often that a DX program can be heard so loud and clear. Tried again for UXLS but nothing heard. Did report KANE they were only on for 15 minutes. A few remarks on some of the recent veries here. KGFY said my report was the only one from Wisconsin. Letter verie from KSTT the C.E. said he lived 15 years in Milwaukee and it was still his favorite city. FWBZ WPAM WBBQ WBTH KDFN WADK, all letter veries. Card from KGV1 states that their next f/c will be the first Thursday of each month. WTKO finally came through with a card on a report of 11/23/46. Letter from WMSL says they check the third Thursday of each month and want reports. (What time, Bob? -Ed.) KBNY verified DX program with an air-mail letter. Card from WCTC states my report was the most distant yet received.

TOM CABBERRY-KENMORE, N.Y. Veries seem to be quite slow lately. Have 35 or 40 rpts out. Finally rec'd 2 letters from KYA after 87 days. Others rec'd KGFY KBUN CKEY CHUM WWDC WRON WLBW WHHM WRNY WRAL WAGE. Reports to CKBI VNEB WRNY WHAL WINK CFAB KCRT KSFT WCPS WAYN WSON KANE WRLC WWHO. I notice in my last rpt a "?" after WAAN. Should have been WANN. Does Howard Kemp or anyone else know who won the prizes from WWCO? WAYN program was very good as were the 2 Trinidad DXes. KANE was on from 4 to 4:15 not till 4:30, as listed, & if I had right I don't think they were on for NRC.

Herewith are the Contest Standings as of January 25, 1947, as prepared for us by our Club Secretary, Mr. Sidney Steele. The stations listed are those added since the last publishing of the standings, in the January 4, 1947, issue.

1. Morss.	Spec. XEFI WTON WHFC KFUC KGFY WKTM WNOC KSTT	
	Reg. KPOA KANA CHAB WCMA KGDM CJFX KSJB XET KWPC KPBR CMKC KSIB KGU BBC-1122 North Ireland Regional-1050 WPRP WANN KWJJ KGIW KARV CKTS KBIO KNAK KCIL KAVR HJCU HJDM YV5EB KXLY Toulouse - - - - - 193	
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	Reg. WALT KGMB KSAL WSGC KBIO WSON KBUN WCMA WANN KAVR KFAB KBON WDAY KOAT WAAT KWK WFNC KPLW WSPA WRNO WBLK KVOC KXLY CJFX - - - - 154	
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	Reg. WWSK KBUN CJFX WGWG CHEF KSIB WLBH KARV WKNA WANN WJMR KWPC KCLA110	
9. Kirk	Spec. WNLC XEFI	
	Reg. KGMB WKLY WHAI WMRP WTKB KBNE KCHS WOI CKUA CJAV CJCS KAMD KJBS WFRP KPOA ZNS WGRG WLCS KBUN WMOX KTFB CJBQ CKTS - - - - - 103	
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	Reg. WFUN KSIB WWSK WARL WPLH KCHS WFIG WLBH KBUN WLBH WANN KANA WQQW KROP KWPC CJFX KBIO KXLY KSEL - - - - - 100	
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	Reg. KCLA KPPC KRE KLZ WBSR WRQN WCNT WLBH KSIB KOAM WKLY WKMH WJBW KANE KBUN WTKB WLLO VGHM WIL KDRO KOWH WWSK KLX WENK WBEJ WKDK WCHS WPLH KTHH WRR KUTA WAYS CFCN CJBQ CJRL CJVI CKY CHEF CKTS 81	
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STAN MORRIS-BRADFORD, MASS. 1/22- KHOZ testing @ 4:15. FAYN good on special, R 8-9 here. They eliminate one station from the 900 Kc/s. mystery tester list. CKCW on reg. sked. on 1280 all-day local here! Verie from WAPA by Harwood Hull, Jr., Gen. Mgr. 1/23- KOCS hrd signing cdf - darn it. Nothing else heard new except CKGB test on 680. Veries from WRNY WGAT CHOK WGNI. 1/24- Veries from WCTC & Hilversum, 995 - they say on card "This verifies PCJ on Dec. 7, 1946, on 9.95 Kc (?) with their Rotating Beam aerial" foto card, evidently an SW verie for a BCB rpt. KECK, Odessa's 3rd station, testing. KANE fair on special. KPLC at 4:16, R-8. WNEB testing. Veries from KLZ CKBI WORZ WCMC CKSF VBMS. (This is 1/25* A letter from CE of WHKP, Harold Green says he's to be CE of WFVA & James Hart is to replace him at WHKP. 1/27- KGBO & WCPS testing. Three Cheers - THE END OF THE BOBSEY TWINS! New all-nighter WGH with "Tune Inn" Program. Verie from WGAY WKMH CFAB KCRT WNEB.

GRANT RATSON-WESTFIELD, N.Y. Another bunch of new reports scattered over the states. 1/20 CFAB on DX 3:34-4:03; KCRT on 1240 on DX 4:01-5:00 a.m., most all Q4 R9! KSFT also well heard but not some QRM after 5:45. 1/21- GJOB on 1340 3:00-3:06 at s/off & covered the 1340 mess to Q4 R9. 1/23- KWFM on 996 testing 3:04 a.m. FAYN on DX was swell here! 1/25- WCBS on 1450 testing & s/off @ 3:40; KECK on 920 testing & s/off @ 4. KANE on 1240 f/c & DX well heard, tho spotted up some with QRM. WSGC on 1400 testing with voice only and s/off @ 4:30, & finally for the 5th rpt, on 1/25, WGNS on 1450 @ s/on 5:00-5:15 "Hoot-Owl Jamboree." On 1/22 & 1/23 CHGE on 1350 coming through on top of WADC plus several others, seemed to create a bad hetrodyne but can be logged when cold WX comes again. CMCQ not heard here enough to report, static very bad as well as CKSB on 1250. The last 3 days no good for Western DX. Veries - a nice bunch. ~~WGLL~~ WIGM WBRQ WLEX WCPS WGAT KUOA WIBW WWBZ WRNY WCTC WORZ & an airmail letter from WAPA. WCPS program manager Jim Scott (v/s) said (1/18) late this week or early next week a program test of 2 hours to be run & wanted reports, dedications to members of the NRC. Also Raymond Bohnert, CE of WIGM said to watch for WDLB on 1450. The CE there is Gerald Boos, so watch for this new one.

LEN KRUSE-DUBUQUE, IOWA With warm WX at hand, so is noise & static on the dial, thus DX-ing slowed up a bit the past week. Several new ones heard since last week's rpt were WCJU & WPBP with f/c on 1/20, also on that date WAPA heard testing & both KSFT & KCRT came in well on DX programs for the club. On 1/22 FAYN DX with Wayne Nelson, owner, at the microphone came in good, for a new one in my log. WLOW hrd with test 1/24 1:15-1:45 & WGNS logged several days with "Hoot-Owl Jamboree" and incidentally on 1/24 hrd a dedi- cation go to our editor, Mr. Cooper. (Egad - no I'm getting hoot-owls! -Ed.) Station KECK (920) Odessa, Tex., with ET on 1/26 4:50-5 a.m. Veries arriving were WHAL WWBZ on DX VATZ WCTC & KSDJ. Still many delinquent reports out - WQUA WBEJ CKVL WOMA KOCA KGHK WGAY KWCO KAVR KAWT KSOO are among the oldest. Any help? (You probably have your WQUA & WGAY now!)

FRED VAN VOORHEES-FLUSHING, N.Y. First of all the following veries received here since the last report: KSEL WRQN WLEX WCTC VOUS WTOK WNOC KOAT KWJB KSFT WSUA WSGC WAYN KECK KANE XEAI WRNY. I can't complain about the veries. VOUS DX is being set for 2/27, from 4:30 to 5:30, & WHOM is being asked to stand by. WQUS will remain on after 5:30 if WHOM will not stand by. WQL29X is not bringing me any split frequency stuff or any more TAs. Maybe it's me, but I still like it. 1/30- Heard CFAB special, KCRT bothered by KWJB. CFAB was bothered by WPBP. KSFT was also good. 1/22 heard WSUA on f/c, WSGC, & FAYN on special. Poor morning in general. 1/23 nothing heard. 1/24 nothing new. 1/25 got KECK testing & KANE ib supposed special mentioning nothing but a f/c. Also XEAI on apparent all-night show. 1/26 only ~~WRNY~~ WRNY on what was a very poor DX morning. Northern Lights have really played heck with reception this past week. Also quered SW some. Maybe I need some one to teach me how to run this crystal, but it has done nothing for me so far on ECE.

BERNIE DUFFY-STATEN ISLAND, N.Y. 800 Kc/s., CJAD is now issuing a most attractive first anniversary card - printed. WCTC & WADC have equally attractive ones. WCTC says they'll next test 2/10 at 5:30 a.m. Ernie, a mistake appears in my rpt in the Jan. 25 issue where in it stated I "lost" 207 stations instead of be enough shortage of 20 heard ones as I compiled new log. Latest new catch is WGND, on 1/27, 4:30. Veries now average 2 or 3 daily. (Sorry for error, Bernie - but THE BOBSEY TWINS ARE SEPPRATING! -Ed.)

PHIL NICHOLS-E. HARTFORD, CONN. WDRC will be 5:30-6:27 instead of as previously listed, due to their s/on now at 6:30. Also WALT is ded. their f/cs to NNRC each Wed. 2-2:15. WAYN hrd on west coast by some of our NNRC members. Glad to get that one! Veries rolling in past few days, have had 12-15 or so, some darned good ones too. Total now 1475, 57 out!

SID STEELE-LOUISVILLE, KY. No report from here in nearly a month, but not too much to report. 1/5- KCLA on ET 5:45-6; WRNO on at 6; WBEJ on reg. sked. thru WBIR at 6:30, later that evening KBWD was logged during several announcements and reported and now verified. Have wanted this one for a long time and decided to lay for him during the evening and was finally rewarded. 1/11- WLBB 2:10; KROY from 2:45 till s/off at 3; WJMR on test 2:47-3:30 and later; KEYY on test, 3:30-3:50. 1/15- KTYL on TT 3:24-4 & maybe later; KBMY good on DX from 3:30-4. 1/18- WATT 2:45-3:10 on test; verie says that tests are irregular. KOCS with some difficulty due to a loud carrier at 3:17; KOLT, 1320, Scottsbluff, Nebr., testing 3:28 and after. WCIF took the air for reg. sked. on 1/19. Like a local here. It was a surprise with only 250 watts and WBGO with 1,000 watts cannot be heard in daytime. Picked them up just before s/off, however, for a short report. 1/20- XEAW, 1280, testing at 4:31 on; KCRT & KSFT both very good here on NRC DXes. KCHS on ET 4:35-4:45; then WGNS for another new one at 5:09. Seemed to be a reg. sked. program. KFMJ logged solid 6-6:15 PM on 1/25. According to local newspaper item, WKYW is expected to be on the air by the middle of February. Finally climbed over the 1200 verie mark and now have 1201. Recent veries have been: WATT KOLO WBEJ KROY WJMR WRQN KPCC WLBB KBWD KVNI (who says they have a directional antenna making it difficult for DXers in the Southeastern section to hear them.) WWGP & WLBH.

JOE BRAUNER-WILLIAMSVILLE, N.Y. Not many new station heard on ETs this week, but good work done on logging some not so new, missed on their tests. 1/22 WMIQ on ET all AM, easy thru WWDC. Also KCIL, hrd one hour later than scheduled, on NNRC DX, hard to work thru WWDC. 1/23- KTRF on ET (thanks Ralph). Also KXLW on 7 a.m. s/on, WJAS blocks 1320 here, but he was a few minutes late that AM & KXLW was way out front of WJHP & WEBC. 1/24, KXLF & KXLY logged on reg. sked, a poor DX morn, but they came in OK. Also hrd WROM, R-9 and blasting WOR right off the dial here most all morning. 1/25, WEEK hrd testing at 6:30, so strong WADC never had a chance to get thru his unmodulated carrier. 1/26 WJNC & WTIP logged at once, WJNC on reg. monthly check, 1:00-1:15 (26th of month -Ed.) WTIP on RCA check, same time. Rotten DX date, but managed to pull in KECK on ET at 5:15, only R5 due poor air conditions. Veries this past week, letters from KSEL, KCLA, WEBQ, WGNI, WAPA, cards from WCTC & WJXN, WJXN finally returned a card for me, after ignoring earlier card sent them for signature & return. WAPA verie in 6 days, and this was sent out regular mail, with air-mail stamp enclosed for reply! He uses 10,000, not 1,000 watts. QRA is P.O. Box 4563/ See we are due to see the "Bobsy Twins" break up. WEBR granted 970, 5,000 watts, full time. 1/27- KGBC, Galveston, Texas testing on 1540 Kcs. at 3:15. Also KWEM & WJMR on 990 Kc/s. at same time, and later. WJMR hrd 4-4:15; both R-8 here. KWEM on ET, WJMR on f/c. WDLB hrd with strong, carrier only, on 1450 after 5 o'clock, Marshfield, Wis. Also hrd WKUL, Cullman, Ala, with f/c or test on 1340 at 2:30-2:40 AM. Incidentally WGH, is a new 24-hour pest! KBUN heard nicely on NRC program. (THE WAR SOON OVER - ON 1490! -ED.)

ELDON ADDY-MARCUS, IOWA Since last report DX has been better with reports out to XERB KOCS WAPA XEF WVUB KTRF KPRK WRNL WRNY XEAW KSFT on NRC spcl, KCRT on NRC spcl, hrd good. WPBP KSL KIFI WMIQ WAYN WROM YV5RA, 4YA KNOE. Veries in from WHHT WIBA KSEL KEIO WCBS WPAB KCLA CJOR KLIX FGRC KLAC FNBC KTRF & my best verie, namely KFAR. KTRF on first test Jan. 19, hrd on 1210 Kc/s. instead of 1230 Kc/s. KOCS heard 1/19, poor signal. Also WAPA and what I hoped on 790 Kc/s., another Alaskan, turned out to be 4YA with swell sig. WVUB is heard better than 790 Kc/s. as WVL is over-lapped badly by XELO. KPRK heard on test 1/19 4:15-4:32 CST. KIFI hrd 1/21 4:46-5 EST on test. Also behind him was KCOY on test. 1/24 WROM behind WOR easy. YV5RA on s/on & TPs all over the dial. 1YA 4YA very good. Settled for 5MU & 2WL. Others noted were unidentified on 1000 870 1010 1440 820 & 1410. Jack Walden of KFAR says very few reports from Midwest due to skip. All their programs are transcribed from networks so it is difficult to verify a couple of selections as they keep log only on programs listed. Best of DX.

HOWARD PERKINS-CLEVELAND, O. Latest veries are KPCC KSTT CJGX WSAP VNGO KROP WATW VASK VNOG KLIZ WBBR WHNC, also rec'd past week 13th to 18th, veries KPRO WHHM WDSC FOOD WPAM and verie letter & station blotter from WWBZ. Reports to KGER VAJR WMEF WNEB VLVA KAVR KRKD KFJJ KBUN KCRT KSFT FSGC KCHS FGNS CFAB WFAA WAYN VBAC WMIO KHOZ VRHP KANE KECK & CKSB. CKSB very weak on NNRC spcl. No KCIL, or KPDR, too much QRM from WWSF & VJBK. WAYN very good on spec. Veries slow past week - 44 reports out yet. (1490 IS CLEARING UP AS THE "BOBSEY TWINS" ARE SPLITTING UP AFTER ALL THESE YEARS! READ ON! -Ed.)

MUSINGS OF THE MEMBERS

KERMIT GEARY-PALMPORT, PENNA. A nice bunch of veries to report this time. Letters from HJGE XEBU KGFZ ELIZ KUEL WATZ WEAR WJMR WLBB VPAM VPPA WRQN, cards from KARV (typed) & VNOG (a dandy.) The Manager of HJGE "Radio Bucaramanga," Sr. Ludwig Hakspiel Garcia, also sent along his personal engraved colored Christmas and New Year Cresting Card, and promised a new-style QSL card as soon as they arrived from the printers "in the course of a few days." XEBU is a 100-watter in Chihuahua on 1240 Kc/s. VPPA answered by return mail, the v/s is Julius Whiel, C.E. Reports were sent to the following stations: 1/14- HHW on 1305 Kc/s. from 6:50 to 8:05 PM (third try for a verie in 3 years, lucky Al Maley) 1/15- KEMY on Special DX from 3:30 to 4:33 AM, and WBEQ on daily f/c from 4 to 4:10 AM. 1/16- WENY on ET from 4:12 to 4:23 a.m. s/off, 1/17- CKRC on late with Curling Match scores (Nipawin Bonspiel) (I'll take a dozen of them -hi-Ed.) until 3:56½ a.m. & WAPA on f/c from 3:56 to 4:14 a.m. & 1/18 KXLY from 2:30 to 3:00 a.m., WGAT on initial ET from 3:15 to 3:43 AM, WKJB on f/c from 3:50 to 4:15 AM, & KDRC on f/c from 5:16 to 5:30 a.m., 1/19- Nice, France, #1 on 1185 Kc/s. from 1:25 to 1:52 AM, & WCPS (760) on ET from 2:15 to 2:30 AM. 1/20- CFAB KCRT KSFT heard on Special DX programs, XEAW asking for reports in English from 4:30 to 5 AM, & KTRC on test from 5:10 to 5:30 a.m. 1/21- KTRF on ET from 1:34 to 2 AM (also put out bad spurious signals on 1200 and 1260 Kc/s.) and the BBC station on 767 Kc/s. from 2:32 to 3:10 a.m., right through the side-bands of WJZ which is located on 90 miles and 3 kilocycles away. I guess the 12-year-old HRO still has some stuff left in it. Europeans were hot this AM, with Monte Ceneri, SBV, Prague 1113, and Lopik among those heard, together with the usual French and British stations. Who heard the station on 1550 Kc/s. with R7 signals playing familiar patriotic music from 3:50 to 4:13 AM, Sunday, Jan. 19, and announced only as "KINE" (not VINE, hi). No location was announced. Does anyone have any dope on this one? To Nichols, who is the signer of your VNAB verie? (Never mind, Phil - this is an early report and Kermit's later one shows he has the verie in already. -Ed. BIG DIVORCE - BOBSEY TWINS ARE LEAVING EACH OTHER! -Ed.)

RANDOLPH HUNL-ENCINITAS, CALIF. 1/22 An excellent program from WAYN this AM best ever heard on DX. Reports out to KSFT & KCRT, now have heard 6 club DXes. Veries rec'd cards, KGVL KWRC KWOR, letter, WOLF. George Jacques tells of receiving verie from CFQC 10/13/34 by Charles Hesterman of the CDXR, I too rec'd verie for that program, George. Hank Wilkinson, Jr., says glad to move from Burbank where there is air-port station on KINY's frequency. I bet he means harmonic of long wave station. KYOR has ad in San Diego paper that they open at noon 1/24, right in backyard, I never hrd. any ETs. On 1/15, had hard time to get thru to KEMY due to first ET of KHUM who hope to be on officially 1/26.

JOE BECKER-HAMILTON, Q. 1/20 - Hrd KTRI & KSVP come on at 4:30. Heard VAGC KSFT VKVM WPBP WCPS this morning, and all are new ones, no sign of KCRT, due to WBEJ. WTVT was also heard very clearly. Heard quite a few Spanish-speakers but I do not write to them. WAGC was heard at 3:02, and signed at 3:15. KSFT was heard rather well, but some QRM from Spanish station and believe it was XEAW. WCJU was also on, with their 5-minute interval carrier. Heard KOCS sign off one morning last week, on Jan. 18.

HAROLD WAGNER-NORTH GILBARD, PENNA. New stations hrd 1/19- 760, WCPS, Tarboro, N.C., ET, 1:45. 1100- WGAT, ET, and WLBB, ET, plus a cycle tone, 2:15. 680- WENY, ET, 3:20. 1560- KINE & 4:00. 1205- KTRF, 1230, Thief River Falls, Minn., 4:30, badly distorted and far off frequency, ET. 1510- KOCS, hrd one announcement before power leak took him out, at 5:00, ET. 1/21- Am copying KOCS with CTM as I write this - 3:30 AM, Q5 R9 to 9 plus. XEAW logged before KSFT came on. Hope the boys caught HJCU on 720 1/19 on late. He verifies. Promptly, too. 12/22 report back with verie 12/21: Nice/VX this AM - Blizzard, blowing to beat the band - power leaks - Wow! Meter stays up to 2-6-7- all the time, yet DX is rolling. BEG-1050 has meter almost to peg at 3 AM.

BOB DUGGAN-DEL MONTE, CAL. Veries from WMCC VINGO WDAF WRNO VFOX WKRG VMAE WCTA WBEJ WGGP WRQV CMCO WNBC XEMH KORN WPHG WSPD WRQN. XEMH (1400) sent very fine verie with photos of Aztec ruins near Merida. (XEMH was on till 3:00 a.m. Christmas morning.) QRA- XEMH, Manuel Araujo, E (Gerente) "La Voz del Tropic"; Edif. Peon Contreras, Dep. 2, Merida, Yucatan, Mexico. CMCO- Manuel Andreu, Director, Radio Circuito del Caribe, Habana, Cuba!

HERB CAMPBELL-ATHENS, PA. 1/25- Something screwy on 1240- KANE on for 15 minutes - mentioned NNRC once, and gave CE name as L.R. Stagg, and asked for reports. 1490, WECV testing with Van Nostrand, solid over everything, 4:20-4:40. WRLC off on 1450 about 4. On 850, No WXLS.

ATTENTION! ATTENTION! THE BOBSEY TWINS HAVE SEPERATED - FOR LIFE! READ ON!

We forgot, on Page 2, to give credit for the items of "Changes in Station Data" to Mr. Ralph Johannis, Mr. Fred Van Voorhees, and to the Newark News Radio Club. **Still no official lists received from the Federal Communications Commission in Washington, so I had to get this information second-hand this time.**

Ray Edge brings up an interesting point. He proposes that you members answer some questions as to what you would like to see in DX NEWS, and what you would like NOT to see in DX NEWS. So, when you next send in a report to your Editor, would you let him have your opinions on these? You may use this "coupon" if you wish, but I imagine most of you will not want to tear any part of DX News out, so if you just answer the questions by number, I will compile them here, and the MAJORITY WILL RULE.

ON VERIE-SIGNERS

- 1. Do you want them in the Musings of the Members? YES
- 2. Do you want them in "DX Down the Dial"? YES

- 3. Do you want only signers of difficult stations? NO

- 4. Do you like the idea at foot of Page 06 in last issue? NO

ON LONG-WAVE

- 1. Do you want a Long-Wave page once a month? NO
- 2. Do you want Long-Wave articles in with reports? NO

ON "BOOT-LEG" STATIONS

- 1. Do you want them omitted entirely from DX News? NO
- 2. Do you want them mentioned, and underscored? YES

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

- 1. Do you want mention of past DX programs in it? NO
- 2. Do you want any known schedules included? YES
- 3. Or only when they are unusual, like 5:30, etc.? NO
- 4. Do you want complete street addresses of/stations? YES

- 5. Do you want the names of everybody at the station, like managers, chief engineers, program directors, etc., or not? NO

"QUESTION BOX"

1. Do you approve of this column?
Answers to these, and any other opinions you might have will be welcomed, so that your Editor can be certain he is giving you exactly what you want. Your co-operation in this matter will be very much appreciated.

ATTENTION - All through this issue your Editor has been building up the "Bobsey Twins" separation and here is the story. WWSW has been granted a shift in frequency to 970 and 5,000 watts by the F.C.C., along with WEBR, and that will mean the partial liberation of 1490 kilocycles, and it is good news, boys! It's been a long time since 1490 could be worked with any ease at all, and maybe soon we'll be able to do it again!

ATTENTION - (again, hi) Beginning with the February 15 issue of DX News, we will have a separate Editor for the "DX Down the Dial" column. So, for that issue, and all subsequent issues, you will be asked to send your reports for that column to its new Editor, MR. VINCENT C. STASEN, 5347 PRISCILLA STREET, PHILADELPHIA 44, PENNSYLVANIA. I am not certain what his dead-line will be, but I'd suggest you have your items for that Feb. 15 issue in to him by Monday, February 10, 1947. Vince's taking over is very much appreciated by Ye Ed, for I am really busy here on the first 3 nights of the week. Thanks a million. Vince, and lots of luck with your first column, 2 weeks from this one! -Lefty.
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