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"I have gotten thy hands on a copy of the "DX News ${ }^{-1}$ lately anny I was very impressed with it."

- New member Donala Kankey, of Galva. Iowa.
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This will be an unsual DX report in that it is otarted in Chicago and finished in New York City and delivered in person to Lefty．Befose leaving home，on Sunday，Oct． 1，between $8: 00$ and $9: 00$ a．m．I heard and reported VIVB，Coldwater，Mich．， $1590 \mathrm{kc} / \mathrm{s}$. ． WMMP also on 1590 comes on Sundays at $9: 00$ a．m． 90 as they were testing last summer scme of the boys might have missed them－here＇s a good chance for them to log him on Sundays as they come on at 7：00 EST．Oct．2－4：30－4：40 a．m．，logged and reported WCRK，Morristown，Tenn．， $1450 \mathrm{kc} / \mathrm{s}$ ．on $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{c}$ ．Heard butnot reported to，WMPB，Mismi． Figure I can get＇em later．Can＇t hear this new WPio（1020）at my location．WCFL slops over $20 \mathrm{kc} / \mathrm{s}$ ．each way．Might try some time to $\log$ him without an antema．Am flying to New York and carrying my portable，but to no avail．Motor noise too mach
 ty and Jim $0^{\prime}$ Brien．After a bite to eat at a high class restaurant，where Lefty had two beers，and I had a bottle of pop，we headed for the wilds of Staten Island to vis－ It with Bernie Duffy．On arriving we found Gene Franci f from California already there and we really hashed over DX．This time I drank some beer，too．Lafty had a couple more．Now I know why Lefty takes all those falls！We talked over old time，too． Gene Francis has a very interesting hobby．Besides veries，he collects radio stetion blanik letterwheads．It was almost $20^{\prime}$ clock by the time we got back to the hotel． I turmei my portable on and found out that mid－town is no place for DXing－hothing but the all－nighters heard．Tuesday stayed in midtown Manhattan seeing the sighes， aleo visited one of NIC＇s famous pipe shops and got me some beauties for my pipe col－ lection，incIuding one（ARE YOU LISTENING SULLY \＆PATP）called＂O＇BRIEN＇S PRIDEF．The briar on that one is dyed with vegetable dye，a very bright RELLY GRREN，that should be the right kind of pipe to moke at a Jewish War Veterane convention．Tuesday night under the cover of darkness infiltrated into Brooklyn to visit Lefty＇s DX den and fin－ ish my unusual report which is more of a travel report．Tomorrow if I successful in getting out of Brooklyn，will go up to Asbury Park，N．J．for the JWV National Con－ vention where I will take up uy duties as National Sergeant－at－Arms so little old me has the job to keop order．That＇all for now．Ny next report probably will be in the bulletinf of Oct．21，as I wontt DX till I get back to Chicago．Regarde to all．

The DX newr from here since last report－WELS，$\overline{1010}$ ，on ET $9 / \overline{19}$ ， 1180 WCOG on regu－ lar aked at 5：00 a．m．，very week this way due to directional protecting VJAS．9／20－ WRCO on election returns，9／21－WATA on ET＇B． $9 / 23$－KUTE with f／c from $4: 00$ to 4：16． $9 / 26$－VAKE through TJBK fairly we\＆1，with E＇T，und fitw readable at times through DrNY at $5: 30$ p．m．9／2\％．WEIR signing on at 6：00 a．m．through terrific PIRE－ CHEX interference，and WATs finslly during $2 a s t 15$ minutes giving WJOC a ilttle in－ terference，enough so I could eatch a few of Wats sinal ads of the day，and o／off at 6：15． $9 / 29$－WHW WTAQ on ET＇s on 1300，very good here．10／1－WJIV s－8 with ET on 900 ，and KCIM nith all－morning progesm offaring $\$ 5$ ， 10 for most DX report．Veries by letter from UKBI（no mention of an $f / \mathrm{c}$ ）WCOG KFYN KFNT，cards from PIBPD MMOU End WSDR on follow－ups．DX continues below par here，this AN，10／1，being very poer for the mij－west，FJBR of ten fading almost out，a rare happening，south nomal and coast good．KRKD knocked out the 1150 Mexican for the first time in ages here．I con＇t bear syy interference in daytime on VGAR any more and am woniering if WOPT is closed down a rumored．Mrs．Braner will probably add a note to a report soon telling you how much she enjoyed having you conventioniers here and hoping you will come agdin and bring more along next time．Our oniy regrets are that more of you diditt make it to Buffalo and Willizmeville，Be seeing you all next time，we hope． 73. Barnie Duffy（temporazy＿adizest）Bungalow＿\＃3＝Arkutus Beach，Staton Istand I was delighted to have fellow D⿹勹龴ers Leo Herz，Gene Francig，Jim oibrion and faithful Lefty visit me $10 / 2$ ，though $I$＇ m temperarily inconveniantly located，＂off the beaten path，＂The only disappointment was that local fellow－DXer，Pete Charius was discour－ aged by travel facilities，unlike those out－of－towners and unfortunately didn＇t join us．We had a mest interesting and pleasant minurature convention．As for my DXing， I only adied semi－locals WOND，Pleasantville，New Jersey，and WGNR，New Rochelle，New York，by day．As for verles，I got another of Whis＇s cards，a＂sad one＂from KDAL and ㄹ．Iottor from KJAN：
As we go weekly dgain，may we remind you please，when sending in your reports，to use double spacing，whether written in long－hand or typed，for it is much oasier to type the stencils faster that way．Use both sides of the paper－that＇s perfectly oksy．

I have now heard 1,055 stations, but haven't received that many veries. That's 19 since the last report was sent in. New ones heard were: y/2l-KCHI (1010) s/off at $7 \$ 30$ p. 7. $9 / 23$ - CKWX (980) s/off at 2:07, WGNR (1450) all night test, KWJJ (1080) heard until s/off at 3:05, PNOD (1470) all-night test, KWKN (1300) all-nicht program, CHLO (680) s/on at 5:00, WKAN (1320) s/on 3t 3:00. 9/24-KFTV (1250) test from 2:05 on. 9/25 - KARM (1430) s/off at 3:00, KNOD (1300) 3:06, KEX (1190) s/off at 4:00. 9/2S - TLEX (1340) TT f/c from $3: 30$ to $3: 45$, KFDW (13i0) TI f/c from 4:05 to 4:20. 9/28-WTAQ (1300) ET from 2:00 on, CHUB (1570) regular program from 2:00 to 3:18 s/ off. KLTF (960) Little Fills, Mim. (not sure on letters) ET 3:25-3:39, KMPC (710) s/off at 3:36 after ball game, woKY (920) at 4:02, very faint. Other f/cs heard were $9 / 233^{\circ}$ - KNON (1400) 2:15-3:25; KRLD (1080) 2:00-2:25, KUBC (12409) 2:00-3:30, WHIR (1230) 4:47. 9/24 (- VZOB (1250) 2:31, WTMV (1490) 2:00-2:15, KLMX (1450) 2:20-2:35, WVOK (690) 2:30. 9'785-KOJM (730) 2:00-2:15, KESN (1490) 2:00-2:15, KGIN (1450) $2: 00-2: 15$, KCHS ( 1400 ) $3: 00-3: 15$, KBIX ( 1490 ) $3: 00-3: 15$, VMBD ( 1470 ) $3: 36$, FVOK ( 690 ) 3:30 on, KVRH (1340) 4:00-4475, KXGN (1400) 4:00-4:15. 9/26.-KICD (1240) 2:15-2:30, KWAK ( 1,40 ) 2:45-3:00, KTVN (1230) 3:00-3:15, KAYS (1400) 3:15-3:30, WVOK (590) $3: 30$ on, KGNC (710) 3:50, VBIP ( 1400 ) $3: 30-4: 00$, KTIP (1450) $4: 00-4: 15,9 / 28-\mathrm{KDZA}(1230)$, $3 \% 40-4: 00$, $\mathrm{HBIV}(1340) 4 \times 00-4: 30$. Can andeone tell we who has beon testing on 790 $\mathrm{kc} / \mathrm{s}$. with music lately? I have heari him a maber of times. It sounds like the same music exch time. Heard him last on $9 / 28$ from $3: 30$ to $4: 00$. A few more veries in cards in from KDAL KISD WOC KIOA KNCM KrMo (who sent a picture of the Chat Dumps located at Flat River, Bonne Terre, Desloge, Lediwood, and Elvins, Mo.) WBAP KGNC CJAD CBE WIBR.WBML KBEN, Letters from: CKMO KFJI KVOG KXRX KREO KPRO HENT KGLIT CHAT KSUM KOTA KROS TXXEL KLMS WDAF KSD KUBC KEXO (after 3rd card) KSEO KOB KGFL WWEZ KVET VRR KELP WJZ WCBS WHLD PLOA WIP WKBH WBCM WBEM WWCA WHIO WHIR WDBI WNAH WDXI. WCOG WISM WWIVA KBOK CJIC KMHL WTIC (verie stamp.) I've lived through 2 football gemes, but 5 more to go = 000 H ${ }^{\circ}$ I just picked up two more while writing this - WDZ and WLIP, on 1050 at 7:00 p.m. s/of?.

Ien_Kruse_-817-i1son_A venue = Dubuque, Iowa
The new DX season is at hand; now is our chance to increase our DX logs once again. The past two weeks, I have added several new stations to my log. Stition WMAL (630) in Washington, D.C. was haard with its 5:00 a.r. s/on, on Sept. 19, while Daylight Time was still in effect; with slight QRM from WPRO, also on 630. The same AM, and also with its regular 5:00 a.m. s/on, logged CJAD (800) Montredl, Guebec, in the clear, with CXIV not returning to the air till 5:30 a.m. The morning of Septamber 23rd, added three new catches, namely WATA (1450) Boone, N.C. on an ET, with slight QRM from WhPB. Then the new WGNR (1460)' New Rochelle, N.Y., a new daytimer for Lefty, was heard with an ET, asking for reports of reception. Also on 9/23 logegd KIBL (1490) Beeville, Texis $3: 34-3: 43$ a, m. with a special test, QRMed by WJBK. Stition KVOD (630) Denver, Colorado finally aded to $\log$ with its regular schedule of progrems 1:30-2: 30 a.m. on 9/28. Also on 9/28 logged KLTF (1250) Littie Falls, Minn., on an ET and in the clear. Station WPAQ (1300) La Grange, Illinois, a suburb of Chicago, was logged on en ET on $10 / 1 \mathrm{~A} . \mathrm{M}$. ., with strong signal; also on an ET at the sime time was WJIV (900), Savannah, Georgia, also coming in well. Logged KCIM (1380) Carroll, Iowa, one of the two Iowa stations lacking in my log, on all Sundzy A.M. Ocdober lst, asking for listeners outside the state of Iowa to call long distance and reverse the charges. Station KTRM (990) Beaumont Texas is now off all-nighting, s/off at 3:00 a.m. now. Letter verifications of late were from WSGW KNEA WMAL WMOD KIBIn and a poor postal from VIVA.

## _LETTER EROM BROADCAST ENGINEERING_ NATHAN_WILEIAMS, OSHKOSH, WIS.

 Dear Mr. Cooper:"Thank you for your interest in our frequency masuring service. We regret to inform you that at the present time we have no schedule nighttime frequency measurements. All of the measurements that we make, we are able to perform auring normal operating hours and thus save our clients the inconvenience of having to have their stations on the air during the early morning test period. We do occasionally make a nightime measur ment, but these are all by pre-arrangement on rather short notice, therefore we can not supply you with an list that would hedp you with your "DXing."

- Sincerely, fignedl Harold A. Timmerman, Ass't Engineer. As you see by the above, we have been trying to get $f / c$ information direct. So far thia salsnn- mone has sent us a list save the futton monitor, but one is on promise.

Here's hoping $\bar{y}$ ou are $\overline{\mathrm{O}} \mathrm{K}$ and $\overline{\mathrm{a}} \overline{1}$ in $\overline{1}$ piece. Next time, try running on à sponge rubber track, hi. Now that October has rolled around and the weekly issues of DX News and DX. Down the Dial I wish for all (including myself) a good DX season with lot of new veries. Ten veries in here to bring my total to 527 - shooting for 800 this season, optimist, hi! Here are the veries received: $9 / 18$.. WCBI (1340) Card for $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{c}$. VTOC (1290) letter for harricane special $9 / 5, \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{s}$ Heese Owen, C.E. $9 / 21$ - cJOC (1220) letter for regular sked, v/s R. A. Reagh, C.E. KTRH (740) card for regular sked, v/s Lester A. Mullan, Studio Operations Director. 9/23-WOKY (920) letter for regular sked; v/s Ralph E. Evans. 9/25- WKPT (1400) letter for f/c 9/20 with stations tenth anniversary seal in blue and silver, v/s Thomas Phillips, C.E. I wish they aita verified as promptly as this one. If they did, I would have 745 veries instead of 527. Also a nice letter from Sid Rosenbaum of Wheeling, enclosing post cards of WWVA trinsmitter and aerial viow showing site of WWVA \& WTRF, also three swell snapshots he took of WTRF transmitter in Eellaire, 0 . Studio and transmitter of WHLL in Wheeling, and also one of the new MMOD (1470) transmitter at Moundsville. Sure is nice hearing directly from fellow $k$ members and Sid's letter was a honey! 9/28- Vow (590) card for regular sked. CJOY (1450) nice letter for f/a $9 / 22$. $9 / 30-\mathrm{KLMS}$ (1480) letter for regular sked, v/s. Donnis Svoboda and WNAG (1400) letter for f/c $8 / 14$, v/s Charlie Aldridge, C.E. Those underlined were picked up since my last report, and these not yet verified: $9 / 17$ - WNOD (1470) ET \#4 2:15\$-2:55, also 9/18 ET \#5, 2:30. 9/8-WELS (1010) recorded music ET 3:15-3:45 s/off. They begind regular sked 9/24 at 2:00 p.m. 9/22 WRCO (1450) recorded music f/c 3:05-3:30 as per check list, WATA (1450) new station on ET 3:30-3:45. 9/23 - WGNR (1460) new station ET 2:55-3:15. 9/35 - KBIX (1490 TT-f/c 3:05-3:15 as per chack list. 9/27 - KSYL (1400) TT-f/c 2:49-3:00 in the clear, WBSR (1450) TT-f/c 3:32-3:48 as per check list. 9/28-WTAQ (1300) La Gr.ange, IIL., 2nd ET 2:5033:15. Vill be on regalar sked in 7 or 8 days. I called them long distance (I pay, hi!). I wonder how many NRCers heard the report of my call and the boost for NRC? Al so heard $9 / 29$ and again mentioned my call of $9 / 28,10 / 2-$ WKOZ (1340) TT-f/c 2:00-2:06: s/off, ast申p/c per check list. WODS (1230) f/c 4:12-4:22 as per check list and that's all for this time. I shall be looking for tne next issue with the Convention news. 73s.

Sid_Rosenbaum_-_806Market Street_-Whegling, West Yirginia_
DX picking up at this point and twilight DX very good on severell evenings. Take a tip boys, there is some renariable twilight DX if conditions are favorable on 1560,70 , 80. WPKY WLRP WTOD FOKZ WXID WJVA KLOU WCNB and new KOLS (1570) Pryor, Oklahoma, heard with good signals on these frequencies: Reports out to TPKY (1580) regular r:40-8:00 p.m. s/off on 9/22. A non-verie cari to WJHL (910) for early-evening. frogram. (Very strong here on 9/23). Sept. 28 th, neiw VTAQ (1300) La Gringe, 1ll. on ET 2:00-5:00. They made fequent mention of Hal Williams' phone call and the N.R.C. TBIM (i340) Beffora, Ind. on ET vith TT \& $M, 4: 00-4: 28$, KJFJ (1570) with $f / \mathrm{c}-4: 00$ 4:10. On Sept. 29th, KTYL (1310) Mesa, Ariz., formerly on 1490 was heard with a TT 4:15-4:55. KERN (1410) news and s/off at 3:05. WTAQ still on ET and announced they would be on regular sked in 7 or 8 days and KOLS (1570), Pryor, Okla., with a rer arkable signal from WOKZ s/off at $7: 15$ through KOLS s/off at $7: 30$ p.m. Who was testing over and under KTYL with musical program from $4: 15$ to $5: 00$, on 1310 ? No identification all the way and wire smothered by WDXI s/on at 4:58. (S6 plus signal). Who is French-speeking Canadian on 980? Heard on $9 / 28,4: 30-5: 00$ with accordian and vocal selections followed by news. Veries in are WDBL, WIAU and a swall letter from MOD, whose regular sked started $9 / 29$. My goal this season is 1,000 veries and an Alaskan or two. Best wishes to all the members of the good old N.R.C.

Dear Mr. Cooperi
"This will acknowledge receipt of your letter of September loth, requesting that we forward you a copy of our present monitorine schedule.
"Please be advised that we will do so as soon as possible after the first of october, which will include any changes which have been eecessary due to the change from Daylight Saving Time to Standard Time.
"I would prefer that you contime to withhold the information regarding the source of this list.
"With best wishes for a successful DX winter season."
Yours verv truly, (signed).....................................

New veries receivad are: WWPE WEKR KREW WPKE XXOL WPFB WLRP KWWT WRHC. We are working such serewy hours and plenty of overtime so I don't know when and where to DX. 9/19Heard WRHC, 1400, on test today, 2:50 to after 3:00. KXEO on f/e 3:30-3:45 through mess on 1340, wrote twice before but no verie yet, so will strike out on this third tirre. $9 / 20$ - Home late, too darn noisy toiay to BX. $9 / 21$ - Unknown rr on 940 most all morning, WSIR, 1490, f/c 2:15-2:30, WPKE, 1240, on $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{c} 2: 00-2: 15, \mathrm{KXO}, 1360$, on test, $3: 13$ to $3: 21$ sign off for 3 new ones today. In bulletin of $11 / 26$ this $K$ Rest call was issued as KMRs, a follow-up brought a verie with correct call by Don Manning, C.E. and Louise Barton, Program Director. 9/22-CEM testing most of moming on 940 -WCAW 1400, and WJLB both testing at 2:35 with third uninown bne. WLIZ, 1300, on test at 3:05. $9 / 23$ - KBis on test at $2: 07$ on 1340 - KMON, 1400 , testing at $2: 17$ and off $2: 25$. This nuisance time changes bick to regular time tonight and I'm glad of it as it gets a, guy mixed up. 9/24-WORK, 1350, all night. KFTV, 1350 in Paris, Texas at 4:11, offering money to long distant phone calls for a now one. $9 / 25$. mpNe on f/c at 2:48, WAEL, 1400, f/c at 2:45-3:00 for Riverhead for new one. KCHS on $f / c$ at 3:00, unknown K. call on $f / \mathrm{c} 4: 20$ to $4: 30$ behind KENO on 1400. $9 / 26$ - WAKE, 1490, ET all A.M. WLEX on $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{e} 3: 35$ to $3: 45$, KTIP on $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{c}, \mathrm{i450}, 4: 00$ to $4: 15$, over WWPB for 3 new ones today. $9 / 27$ - WNBD, 1470, on test at 3:00, KPRO and KMED battling on 1440 with KMED of at 3:18. KPOJ =nd KFAC battling on 1330 after 3:30. WTAQ on ET at 3:50 on 1300 for a néw one. KYOU, f/c 4:00 to 4:15 through MNPB, also WNER on $\mathrm{f} / \mathrm{c} 4: 16-4: 30$ through WWPB. $9 / 28$ - Very noisy today for a change - WNAV all night. Haventictod past week that WCPO is on top of mess on 1230. WETB and WEIW on regular checks. KSRV on test 4:18 to $4: 30$ with WMPB silent. $9 / 29$ - Who is Spanish station on 10sountil about 3:30 or sof KHON with Detroit-St. Louis ball game at 3:40. CKMO at 3:48 to sign off at 4:02. Unknown testing behind KENO after 4:11. KTYL on TT on 3:10 at 4:31-4:47. Have they chinged frequency? CKNT, 1320 , at 4:46, TISI, 900 , at $4: 50$ testing. $9 / 30=$ Unknown all trorning on 1480 - WHBI, 1290, at 4:03. Unknown one on 1500, 4:42-4:46, no voice, off with National Anthem. KVRSm 13860, testing 4:16 until after 4:30. KTY today on 1490 with test $4: 31$ to $4: 40$ when I quit. Wonder if my ears are telling tales about KITYL on 2 frequencies? KDWT check frequency on 4 th Wednesd. ys starting at 6:45 for James N. Barciay Frequency Measuring Sarvice of Austin, Texas. $10 / 1$ WBEX off $f / \mathrm{c}, 1490$, at $3: 15$. WIIV, 900 , off at $4: 00$. Unknown Spanish on 1110 sfter 4:00, sounded like those auto races last year in Venezuela. 10/2, no DX, 5:00 asm, before I got hone. (Pat! Shame! -EA.) Patiently waiting for that side-bet contest between Dick Cooper and Hal Wagner. I'll buy the steak dinner for the winner next convention time in Euffalo.
_Ray_B. Edge_-325_Shirigy_Ayenue = Buffilo 15. N. Y.
No DX here as yet, intended to stay up a few mornings but by the time $3: 00$ a.m. EDST comes around $I^{\prime} m$ too darn tired and if I go to bed and then want to get up, well I'm too sleepy. Hoylever did get 3 veries, all 2 ettergir and they are from KIIS WDYK and WREB. Sent out about 8 follow-ups though and so far WDYK come back.

Lefty_Cooper $=438$ East_21 Street_- Brooklyn 26. N. Y.
Veries now total 1,954. I hope this will be the season I over-take Pat Reilley, the Swadish DXer from Janestown. Veries from KMAN* WCBA KCHS (new name for city - Truth or Consequences, N.M.! on letter-head) WPEP KJAN (on KJSK letter-head and even mailed out of Columbus) PFEC WPKE NMOD WATS WBCO WFGM WOKY, all letters. * means on a followwup. I found the source of my Sm9 buzz-it's a fluorescent idtchen light, and the lady uses it at the weirdest hours when anly DXers, thieves and drunks should be up! WON'T SOME ONE TELL ME HOW I CAN FIX THAT LIGHT OR MY SET TO ELIMINATE THE AIFUL BUZZ? She turns it off now for me about 1:00 a.m., but it even interferes with 50 kw \% locals. IX here of late - 9/21 - "PKE on TT-f/c, 2:00-2:15. Tone on 710, no announcements? That evening, WPEP on regular sked, $15 \%$, battling with WBUX. $v / \mathrm{s}$ is Robert A. Brennam, Mgr. WLEA through WATR \& WJAS on last program of the day. $9 / 25$ - KRSN on TT-f/c and KCHS to get verie from Truth or Consequences and ilso replace poor card. 10/1WJIV (900) on ET with jive and hill-billy music. WTAQ (1300) La Grange, Ill. on ET, first heard behind WERE until they went off at 2:30. KCIM, 1380, Carroll, Iowa, with a terrific fade here in early dawn, and WGNR, 1460, New Rocheale, N.Y., as Len Krues says, my ney daytimer, at 11:45 a.m. This completes the DXing here. I have had wonderful $\forall i s i t s$ with Steve Mann, who is returning to the NRC soon; Gene Frincis, in from California, local Jimy $0^{1}$ Brien, whom I met for 1st time, Leo Herz, the Chicago bricttop, ani Bernie Duffy. It's swell meeting the DX gang, the oftener the better, too.

Well, members, our 1950 NRC annual convention is now history: Sorry to report that only 25 members attended because we felt sure this year many more than that number would be on hand. Naybe the reason was the war scare.
However, the first to arrive was Relfe Luton of Elizabehth.City, N.C. who showed up at Pop's Friday afternoon. Receiving no word from Addy or Kruse the Edges and Relfe took in the Falls from both the American and Canadian side. Upon arriving home we found an Alamm Clock in Pop's den, so Pop said he'll bet Addy and Kruse were here. Sure enough they popped in 10 minutes after we had left Friday night for the Fills, so Kay and Bill (Kyy being Pop's youngest daughter) took both Eldon and Len to visit the Carberrys. Eldon became so engrossed in Tom's television that he forgot anyone else was in the house. Anywey at 12:50 a.m. Saturday Pop and Janette met Lefty in from Brooklyn at the Central Terminal. Lefty and Pop DXed till 4:00 a.m. and then hit the hay. Saturday Pat Reilley, Sully Sullivan, Dick Cooper, Fial Wagner, Carroll Seth, Al Bartholomew Don Meyer, Bob Erown, Ken Murphy, Joe and Doris Pelletier, Bob Spencer, Homer Sink, Ralph Johanns, Marty and Hoe Brauner, Tom and Marge Carberry (and of course Terry). Mrs. Edge of course was on hand too. Seth as. usual was the last one to arrive. Most of the members left Sunday afternoon late and evening but Sully, Dick, Pat, Hal, and Lefty stayed on ae did Doris-and Joe Pelletier who left Brauners! home around 8-9 a.m. Monday. Hal, Pat and Seth left around 1:00 p.m. Monday and Sully ani Dick around 1:30 p.in. Then Lefty, Bob Spencer and Pop and Mirs, Edge left town to attend a Firemans' Picnic at Clarence Center; N.Y. and ran into Marty and Joe Brauner with Joe all dolled up in his Firemans' Band uniform. It was kinda cool so all of us didn't linger there long but wound up at the Brauners' home and had supper. Laft there around 9:30 p.m. and Pop took Lefty to the train and Bob left for home, and Kate and Pop Eage then turned in for a much-needed rest. Anyway it is believed that everyone had a wonderful time anj we can say here that all of us here in Buffalo really enjoyed having you members here and are really looking forward for the next time. To those of you who lid not attend, well you just missed a time of your lives and let8s hope that next time you will make plans to be on hand.
-Pop Edge.
Other views on the convention will be presented to you on other pages. They will be reserved for issues when we need one side to prevent a blank side from going out - or as "fillers." You'll get the whole story, in time, that is. So look for "Buffalo Bull" every now and then, hi.

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Gen Frincis, the Califormia kid, popped in during a balmy spell here in New York and found the weather too cold for hin:

Jim O'Brien, a native of Brocklyn, phoned Lefty and the two met on Wall Street, with Lefty standin ${ }_{6}$ in front of Jim's office holding out a copy of "DX News" as identification. Several people thought he was selling magazines, but it attracted Jim and how. Jim and Lefty proceeded to the Hotel liaft, where Leo Herz was to be. Staying at the Taft - with the Roosevelt around, too - must be a Republican!

Leo was jubt in line registering when the Brooklynites arrived, with tears in their eyes. It was the day after the baseball seamon ended, you see.

Leo, Jim and Lefty put on the dog by eating at the famous Brass Rail. An oddity was that Lefty didn't trip over it.

Jim O'Brien really bebngs in the DX game, for he has his moments, too. To prove it, while making change for Lefty, he dropped a quarter in his full cup of coffee!

From there the trio headed for Staten Island - by cab, instead of subway. Seems Leo was afraid to go down into the subway, not being a member of the minors' union.

The ferry crossing made Leo happy. The name of the boat was the "President Roosevelt. We dian't have the heart to tell him it meant Theounore.

Arriving on the island, we boamded the bus to Arbutus Beach. (Neither did we!) We asked the driver to let us off at Arbutus Avenue. He stopped the bus and told us we passed it about 5 minutes ago, but flagged down the returning bus for us.

Then the three DXers started down Arbutus limenue, through a regular fordst. We were the first Aremicans to aross the 38 th parellel, quoth Leo.

We arrived finally at Bernis's bungalow. First vords spoken were by Lefty - "I'n thirsty," he said. So out came a bottle of $R \& H$, Staten Islani brew.

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As the three arrived at Bernie's, insteaj of it becoming a quartet, it was a quintet, for Gene Francis was sitting there, examining Bernie's veries, and vice versa.

Everyone took a welk down to the beach, proper, presently. The ex-GIs flashed out various call letters over the water with a flash-light.

Jim and Gene loft around 11:00 p. m . but Leo and Lefty held on till twelve. Seams the early-birds needed their beauty sleep. And they really ilid, too.

When Leo and Lefty took off, the fog was so think we thought we were in London, But presantly the stage-coash came along, and they were off for the ferry.

Lefity, conducting Leo to the hotel again, proceeded to get lost in the I,R.T. subway at the ferry station.

Next night, Leo came to Brooklyn. He came after dark so as to avoid getting passport papers. He sav the trolley-bus in Brooklyn and commented thay have a bigger one in Chicago with joint in the midde. First time Lefty heard of a bus with the bends! Leo was more interested in Lefty's "stink" tuttles than in his veries. If you see a red-healed DXer with only 9 fingers, that would be Leo Herz,

One serious note. All had a wonderful time visiting Bernfe and his grand mother. Hos. $\therefore$ A-itwe tn wandanfil and thnse twn folks really radiate it, and our thanke.

1460 WGNR New Rochelle, $N Y$ on EF $9 / 23$ (Kruse)
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㒬晞 KJFJ Webster City, Ia F/C TT 0400-0410 on 9/28 (Rosey)
1580 WPKY Princeton, Ky now s/off 0645 PM-Good at twilight (Rosey)
1.590 WTVB Coldwater, Mich can be hrd in clear on SUNDAY AMs when VNMP s/on at 9AM EST. Hrd good 8-9 AM Sundays (Herz)
1.600 WJEL Springfield, Ohio TT on $9 / 27$ from 0310-0320 AMI Johanns. There you have it boys, how about some good DX TIPS next issues and all the following ones. By the way I forgot to mention that Ted Weiser offered a prize of stationery to the winner of last years BCB Contest and he has notified me that he has sent same to Alan Arnold. (Borry Ted-Pop)
Kegaraing the contest, final word will come from your Board Chairman, Pat Reiliey. But I can tel. you that it will. be the same as last years. So if you have the rules on hand, swell, however a new set will be print ed up and mailed to al.l members. $T_{h}$ e contest is, 2 stations eligible from each state and privince in Canada. and all NRC DX Specials willl. count. A foreign contest will also be held the same as last year, our contest manager has not as yet been settled, but all will be in the next couple weeks you can be sure. Remember tho, contests start oct lst so set to verifying those stations.

Ah yes - Buffalo - home of the Bisons-Lake Erie-the National Radio Club, and ICA Irish Convertible Atmosphere! Hic!

First to arrive this year was Relfe Luton, all the way from Elizabeth City, North Carloina, near famous Kitty Hawk, where the Wright Brothers flew the first airplane. So Relfe could be called the DX Hawk near Kitty Hawk!

Figuring no one else would be in until Lefty at 12:45 a.m. Saturday, Pop drove Eelfe to Niagara Falls. As soon as they were out of sight, in blew the Iowa corn huskers, Len Kruse and Eldon Addy with nowhere to go but their hotel room, alas.

A modern miracle occurred when Lefty's train arrived on time for a change.
Among the early arrivals Saturday morning was Ken Murphy from St. Jobnstury, Vernont. Said he of "DX News" - "I like it except for one thing - too much to read!"

Some drove, some came by railroad, but Randolph fint came by air mail, special delivery, while Steve Walbridge and Leo Herz came ty wire!

> We read in the September 23 issue about Pop's new clock. What he forgot to tell you was that the whole thing depends ond one large rabber band, holding it to gether!

Highlight of the first day was Eldon's falling into, then out of, and over, Pop's back yard bird bath! Ellie sure got the bird for that one.

Al Bartholomew, also an early bird on Saturday, told how he passed the summer. He was on strike, so he listened to the Yankee baseball g-mes over his local, WCBA, swinging in a hammock, amoking. A "Lucky Strike" - oh, Al?

Sully Sullivan told us he tied Tom Carberry. It seems Sully got 12 veries in in one day, and Tom got 12 veries in in one year!

Every year around Labot Day, "Open House," all-night beanery at the corner of Shirley Avenue and Bailey Avenue runs out of pork barbeque. This year was no exception.

Pop Edge has the only one of these in captivity - a verie for which there is apparentIy no DXer - from 4 VBM , Haiti, addressed to the NRC, Buffalo 15, N.Y.! Any claimants? Speaking of veries, Pat Feilley showed one from KPDQ on (toned down) "narrow, thin, translucent, perforated paper!" We were going to put it in the player piano, - but--!

Dick Cooper took over Leo's old role of joke-spinner, with a dilly about two wrestlers. atrictly censored, however. Sorry!
Talk about your eyemplis - Joe Brauner supplied one - a tremendous collection of veries, 2,925 strong! Joe's the biggest boy, with the biggest collection yet.
some were disappointed that the bowling match never came off. It was called off - rea son given - Threatening Opposition!

Only athletic event turned out to be a big poker geme at Joe Brauner's Sunday night. Dick Cooper won most of the marbles. Dici's theme song should be "Pennsyivania Poker

That old New Englander, Ken Murphy, got scared when Don Moyer entered. For a mornent he thought it was the British, but it turned out to be Don in his fiery red coat!

Hal Wagner has goften rid of his goats down on the farm. We believe they were stolen, that some one got Fagner's goat! We know what you're thiniking - Bah!

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[^0]:    Pa talked of a drive for new members. Ralph Johanns conducted a drive to get rid of uld members by zipping past a bus on a bridge, on the left side of the road, Juring a treivinominnight rain wifh Dicik's station wason charging furiouslv behind.

