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"I am certainly pleased with my membership and urgs you fellows in the driver's seat to keep up the good work which in my estimation puts the National Radio Club at the top of the DX heap. It's that up-to-date "hot" news that gives the NRC the edge of ver the other clubs and removes it from the realm of a strictly social club to a real DXer's "bible."

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K N A L - Victoria, Texas - reports to Douglas E. Smith, C.E.) Write-ups in last K U L E - Ephrata, Wash. - reports to Elwood A. Eby, C.E.) week's issue # Note change in this notification which was given erroneously last week! GFCH.

"I shall be very happy to put on a program for the National Radio Club," writes Mr. MARVIN MOBERLY, Chief Engineer. This should be a clear channel test, and prompt verifications are promised, by means of their fine QSL card. Auto from S. Rosenbaum

"We are pleased to comply with your request for a DX program," say Mr. Bainahy, Engineer-in-Charge. This should also be a clear channel and a pleasant program in envisioned from our friendly Canadian neighbor. Arranged by Sid Rosenbaum.

Dec 23 KDKD 1280 Clinton, Mo. Marv Landon, CE. 5:00-4:00 EST NRC

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Musings of the Members

Stoplors - bradford, Mass.

11/28- WFAA test 5:18 a.m. (820 kc/s.). WERE regular sked 5:30 for report. WBSC in the clear, 6 a.m. WCOJ s/on 6:28. 1.0V s/on 6:29. 11/29 - WPAC on ET to 3:42 a.m. 11/30 - KBRS to 3:00 a.m. WFYC test, 3:45. 12/4 - TAs fair with a Scandinavian language on 1440, spproximately - 5-6. French on 1241 S-3, BBC 1295 S-2 and several others weak. 12/5, WEED ET 1390 at 4:20. WRAD f/c 4:45. WEXL s/on 5 a.m., also new WOOK. WHAV may be on late AMs of 12/15 and 16th, ammual fund-raiser. If the quota is subscribed early they sign off early. If not, then they'll be on till 4 a.m. or later. 12/6 - WRSW ET 2:45. KBRS regular sked on top 3:15. XER? on 1290 to 3:30 a.m. WHJC regular sked 5:15. 12/7, conditions poor. Finally a report to WWIN. KCRG heard at 3:50. WERE thanks letter and nice verie and picture of KPRK. 12/9 - WACB fair on DX test, no sign of KSFO as general conditions were tough here. 11/26 - KOIL on Sunday Night Watch, a new regular feature, all-night Monday AMs. CJOY on MNRC DX 3:00 a.m. WATG at 4:00 a.m. Another unidentified test off and on on 1600. KBRS to 4:00 a.m. this week. Last week to 3:00. 12/3 - KMAO 2:53 a.m. WHHH test on 1440, 3:07. Slight QHM from Scandahoovian. WSOK ET 3:10 a.m. Unidentified tester on 1320 at 3:48. Have been trying to figure out WCDL's all-night sked. Seems to be different each week. Maybe they don't know what it is either. Verie, WATG-DX. The CPC has a nice line-up.

Fred Van Voorhees - Box 132 - Lemoyne, Pennsylvania Verifications have been coming in slowly, due undoubtedly to the fact that reports going out have been just as slow. In recently have been only 3, WOKE WATG & WCPA. However I've been doing a little better with listening, even though most of it has been local in nature. Listening since last report is as follows: 11/26 Nice reception of DX from WATG (1340), Ashland, O. 8-9 4:46-5:00; then s/on of WOKE (1430) Oak Ridge, Tenn. 5:00-5:15; WWSW (970) still is a good S-9; and heard WNOX (990) Knoxville, Tenn. on before 5:30 a.m. 11/30- 12;56-1:52 a.m. logged "Radio Trinidad," VP4RD (1295) with S-5/6 signals through lots of sideband QRM, then WHB (710) Kansas City, Mo. 2 s/off. 12/3 loggel 37 from CHAT (1270) Medicine Hat, Alta, very hard to get, & very noisy, heard 3:10-3:30; WPA: (550) on every Mon/ f/c 3:40; the unknown Mexican on 1340 at 3:55 & KULA (690) with powerful signals to close out the day. 12/1 logged WSOK (1470) on top of freq. a new one in Nashville. In bed 2 days with intestinal flu so on 3rd day, one of recuperation, I really hit the nearby stations which I still needed: 12/6 11:10-11:30 AM, WGCB (1440); 11:17-11:30 WGET (1450)(simultaneous logging) 12:08-12:28 PM WISL (1480); 1:18-1:55 WGAL (1490); 1:32-2:01 WJMJ (1530. 2:01-2:14 WPWA (1590); 2:17-2:30 WCOJ (1420); 2:30-2:43 WPAZ (1370). Wauld have logged others but afraid I'd never get reports out. Then 12/9 very pleased to hear my self as well as the rest of you on WACB (1380) logged here S-9 with a bothering carrier from 4:32 after 5. Also took time out 4:44-5:00 to log KSEO (750)(con'd P.3

__Musings of the Members__
(Fred Van Voorhees, con'd) - Durant, Okla. with their very fine DX at S-6. Finished the morning by logging WACL (570) Wayeross, Ga. on early s/on 5:07-5:17 a.m. Plenty of listening here, and I hope to keep it up. Tried to contact Barney Bopp of WMRF today, but he wasn't home. Will try again, as I well remember the fine specials from WMRF indays when 1490 was occasionally clear.

Ralph M. Johanns - 64 East Hure: Street (side) Buffalo 3, N. Y. KPRK (1340) Edwin L. Wood, CE, box 691, "Voice of the Yellowstone," sends a photo card of station and v/letter, sked: 8:00-1:15 weekly and Sunday 10:00-Mdt., r/c first Mon. 4:30-4:45. WSDC (1590) Radio St. Clair Inc., Geo. E. Carroll CE v/letters, no r/tests, sked Sunday all ys 8 a. . on and Dec. 8-5:00 p.m., Jan. 8:00-5:15. Thanks Bob Brown for letter etc., also Herb Can bell, ditto; I usually ask in my report 1, time/date verie; 2 next f/c and if regular; 3 weekday-Sunday sked; 4, Tower height and station opening day. That gives my all info on hand for later and also better reading, etc. for reply. Usually commemorative st. mps and so have a little future value (in reply envelopes) for my nonproductive () time in later years as the stamp value rises. Thought the 9th was Mondan and so missed 2 specials, realized it the 10th and so after listening to WAWZ C/c and a hour calls, then WACB-special at 5 in front and Dick Cooper playing "Somper Fidelis". Oh well, on 1600 WHLL was pedal. dling Georga da Wash insurance at 4:35 ayhem and on 1340 Kc/s. the United Broadcasting Co. was on at 5. 12/4- WSOK, BNS, 419 4th Avenue North ETed/M 4:15-5:00 amen; they worked in station fast on 1470 kc/s. and on 1440, M/c by WHHH 3:43-3:46. A few others, but more comment, at other times noted. Randy Hunt info: AFB (1400) Nome, alas, at 3:30 am. 11/11 and 6 hours slower than EST time there; KNBC (680) Monday A.M. silent; XEMO (860) silence from Sund y 7 PM to 8:30 AM Monday; f/cs: KIYI (1230) 3:40 first Monday; KPRL second Monday at 4; KRNO (1240) 3:45 second Monday; KSUN second Monday at 4:15; KTKR (1310) second Monday at 3:30; KCNA (ex-1340) now 580 & f/c same with a possible time change; KVOP (1400) third Monday at 5:15; KUNO follows at 5:30; KCEX (1450) second Monday at 4 and KTTM at 4:30, while KYOR is 3:15-4:00. I hope Randy'll report soon again. On 1490 WS is only silenced on Sunday, 4:00-7:30 a.m. Thas sabout all I feel you want to know from me & so Merry Christmas to all.

Harold S. Williams - 30 Third Avenue - Seymour, Conn. I took time off from work last night to hear WACB DX and I am not sorry. here swell. I had a borrowed S-meter hoosed up and they ranged from S-5 to peak at S-8. I got a big kick out of hearing Lefty's voice on the tape recording, as Lefty has been up here at my home so I know how he sounds. After trying for a half hour I finally got through on the phone and talked to Joe and Dick but got through phone call so late I missed KSEO. Guess I should have waited to phone after 5 o'clock but I'm glad I got this super-duper IX. Jos verified for mp last year but am sending along another report anyway. Other DK this week: 12/2 WXGI (950) Richmond, Va. SunDial program 6:55-7:15 strong signal fading after 7:15 as the sun came up. WARL (780) Arlington, Va. fair afternoon reception 3-4. 12/4- CKOC ,1150) Hamilton, Ont. news & election returns 13*55-1:08 fairly clear. 12/5- WCAV (850) Norfolk, Va. heard bet. 1-2 but with WHDH testing with o/c over 1 nour & ann. every 15 min. couldn't get a good readable log. Not in Weyrich's log they are 21 hrs. Anyone know for sure? 12/8-KOSE (860) Osceola, Ark. M/c 6:30-6:45 good readable signal, quite a surprise, just getting home from work, hi! 12/9- WJHP (1320) music news & s/off 12:45-1, 3rd report since 9/28/49. Maybe I'll have luck this time, hi! After WACB-DX took WACL (570) Waycross, Ga. 5:40-6 clear, then CMHI s/on killed 'em. WQXI (790) Atanta, formerly Buck-head s/on in clear 7 AM. WRRZ (880) Clinton, N.C. good 7-7:30 then complete f/out. Veries only 4 this week. 12/4, KWBU (1030) SL card for 11/25 regular sked; WSDC (1590) Marine City, Mich. QSL card for f/c 11/25 with notation letter to follow.Letter came next day. 12/8 - WTAO (740) & CVOC (1150) both by letter for regular sked. On Tuesday I was pleasantly surprised by a nice (out too short) visit from Hovard Kemp of Waterbury. He was in town on business. This time no XYL with him so naturally mine wanted to know where she was. Sorry I can't be home for CBH, WEMB & WSTR but I can't take off 2 nights in a row - still have to bring home the bacon, hi. Sent a report to WSTR on ET but no verie so sent a note to Clarles Palmquist, Sta. Dir. explaining I had to work and could not listen to their DX and asking them to check my report on ET. Maybe I'll get an overdue verie anyway. Got to sign - duty calls. Just got through writing 200 Christmas cards - some job, hi! 73s. BETTER SEND YOUR REPORTS IN EARLY ON ACCOUNT OF THE CHRISTMAS RUSH IN POST OFFICE

Musings of the Hembers

Pat Reilley - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York New veries are KSVC KSIL WMTE KOLT, and need 5 more to make 2200. 11/27 - Noisy & 200 - KTBS, 710, TT at 3:28. 1340, picked this one up with headphone jack up over my head at 3:40 - it was WJOC. WFKY, on 1240 testing at 3:44. 11/28 noisy and 140, XEAO, 910, off at 3:592. KHON, 1380, coming in good at 4:10. VKHM, 1340, test through WEMP at 4:12. 880 and 900 had some recomm of classical music at 4:20 but too weak to catch call. Wonder if down-under stations are coming through here this late in season? KSVC, 690, "Voice of Scenic Utah" has one of nicest letterheads ever seen, f/c third Mondays, 3:00-3:15 for T & T Radio Measurements Co. of Long Beach. 11/29 - 740 had KCBS overriding WGSM on ET at 3:05 to KCBS s/off at 3:16 and WGSM off at 3:23, a new one. 310 had TT on and KLEE on top of WIP at 3:25. KFOX, 1280, and KITO, 1290, very loud at 3:45. 1300 hal CW handonic like last winter when PRE4 was broadcasting. KFAC, 1330, had TT on top 4 to 4:11 but no call. CMBQ was good, so took a pause for a while as they never answered before when on 1150, 300 today here. KSIL, 1340, PO Box 590, 11 30 - 360 and too noisy. XEAO, off about 4:00 on 910. KPOA, 630, quita and but misy. W113, 1080, test at 3:45. KPOF, 910, test at 4:10. Still wondering about the weal one on 880, too weak to copy. 12/1 - WMTE on f/c, 1340, at 3:30. My verie was for second Saturday in October f/c. 1390 had unknown, 3:45 to after 4:00 with no voice, also on 900, 4:08 to 4:17, no voice used. 340 and horrible noises. 12/2 - CHAB, 800, 3:42 to 4:00 s/off through CKLW. Very noisy. 12/3 - CHAT almost impossible to copy as 1260 Mexican slopped over very badly. Who was Mexican on 1340 all AM, XERR or L) W, mostly American tunes, 3:34 to after 4:15 and on top of KCNA on their f/c. Very naisy and a touch of lumbago and to bed early three mornings now.

Lewis L. Carter Jr. - WFMD - Frederick, Md. Hoped to reach total of 300 station last weekend. Went to 336. 12/1- 1580, Patchogue, L.I., N.Y., WPAC ET at 2:20. 1170-KVCO, Tulsa, Okla. identifiable behind WWVA at 5:45 p.m. 12/2 - 940-WINZ Hollywood, Fl. s/off 12:30 Sunday AM. 1150 - 3 in succession, WISN, Milwaukse s/off 1:00; CROC, Hamilton, O. news at 1:00 with s/off at 1:05. Return to air 8:55 Sunday. WJB), Baton Rouge, La. still going at 1:10. 1230- WCDL, Carbondale, Pa. previously reported, has news at 25 past the hour, announced as news around the clock. Believe they are 24 hours - don't know silent period. Long PI's with mailing address given frequently, including call letters. 1490-WGKV, Charleston, W. Va., tough through competition. 1550-KRES, St. Joseph, Mo., all-nighter Saturday night, watts requests. 1540, at 1:47 heard program with commercials from station tentatively identified as KLKC, Parsons, Kans. 1380-KTSM, ElPaso, Tex. on s/off, 2. 1560-KPMC, Bakersfield, Cal/ s/off 2:03, no break at hour. 1490-WARD Johnstown, Pa. nearby but tough. 1420-KSTN, Stockton, Cal. news at 2:55, with IDs each side. 1510-KGA, Spokane, Wash. rugged through noise, s/off 3:01. 1320, KWHN Ft. Smith, Ark. located in Radio City, beautiful place. Nearly went to work there & PD but took this. 900-CJVI, Victoria, B.C. nearly missed this one. Caught s/off 3:33. Heard KWHN s/off 1320 at 4:05, leaving KXYZ clear. 1310-WWMH, Dearborn, Mich. topping CKOY at times. 1090, KING Seattle, ash, to gh through high noise. 810-KCMO, Kansas City, Mo clear as a bear on test at 4:40. 300, CKLW Windsor, Ont. s/off 5. 1290-KUOA, Siloam Springs, Ark. s/on 5, John rown U. 1350-WSAP, Portsmouth, Va. s/on followed by religious program 5:30. 1380-WLOS, Asheville, N.C. s on Sunday 6. Mixed up with WAWZ, Zarephath, N.J. 12/3-850-0A, Denver, Col. 12:15 with PI. Call letters not mentioned in PI mailing address. No WNO. 1430-WVAM, Altoona, Pa. s/off 1280-WTCN Minneapolis, Morn. easy after 12:30. 1450 found WHFC Cicero, Ill s/off 12:58. WPAD, Paducah, Ty. s/off 1:05 followed by WPAR, Parkersburg, W. Va. s/ off same time. WPLH, Huntington, W. Va f/c at 1:15, off in time for KSGM, Ste. Genevieve, Mo f/c with exceelent signal. Announcer spells out call letters then says "Here is the tone." WWPB, Mismi, regular sked. WNAT, Natchez, Miss at 2. WHSC, Harts-> ville, S.C. f/c at 2. KOPO, Tucson, Ariz: ann. 24 hours, heard 3:00. 1320, WEBC, Duluth, Minn. s/off 1 leaving KXYZ strongest. 1330, WJPS, Evansville, Ind. s/off 1:00. 1390, WFMJ s/off cold at 1:07. 1340, WHAP, Hopewell, Va. s/off 1:30. 1490, WSRS regular sked. Head through it were WTMV, E. St. Louis, WFLB Fayetteville, N.C. f/c 1:45. WSSB Durham, N.C., WKLV, Blackstone, Va. asking for letters. 1230-WCLO, Janesville, Wis. #very strong with f/c, TT & anns. 1340, 2 TTs messed this up over an hour. Believe I heard KICK, Springfield, Mo., KMYR Denver, Col. stong on f/c at 2:30 continuing after 2:45. 1270 tried for CHAT but heard only Spanish.

Bill Prater - Grimsley, Tennessee

Our DX from KIWW was very tough - and I didn't know my good friend Jack was at the mike, in fact, the identifications I heard, the announcer had a decidedly Spanish accent. It might have been Jack's Missouri drawl, hi. Too much WCKY over-hap. WBNL was good, but not needed. The same morning KNAL, 1410, Victoria, Tex. was on to 3 with regular program, all on Nov. 25. C. Y was heard on DX on 12/26 on 1450 but not needed here. 11/29 - WJAM, 1310 in Mario , Ala. ET heard through tough CKOY-WKMH QRM. 12/3- KWCB 1300 on f/c 2:11-2:29. 13/4- WSOK 1470 Nashville, Tenn. ETing and asking for reports. 12/5 - WRAD, 1340, Relford, Va. TT-f/c 4:45-4:59. 12/6 - WRSW 1480 Warsaw, Ind. ET to 4 s/off. 12/8 - Plenty of Cubans all over the band. Sent CMK 1190 250 watts a report. They were topping WC.O at 6:58 p.m. 12/9 - WACB perfectly, nice hearding all you DXers. I enjoyed the program very much. Lots of good NRC advertising, hi. KSEO good from 4:25 to 4:42. WJR overlapped the rest of the program. Mr. Parish the CE gave the NRC some nice publicity also. Hope he gets out the veries before putting them in his file, hi. He stated that he filed his letters on his desk and if some one moved them a comple of inches, it was impossible for him to find it, hi. Verifications now total 2,166. New ones are a letter from WHJC to make W. Va. 100%. KIST a nice letter for 11/5 f/c stating from here on out his f/c will consist of music instead of tone. Second Monday 3:00-3:15. WGAF letter. KPRK sent both letter and a picture card showing studies and tower for 10/1 reception. KCNA a letter in longhand for 1340 reception 10,1. WIPC a form letter and WFUL a PP card for 6/27 reception. 73s.

Karl Raymond - 500 Manhattan Ave. de - Manhattan Beach, Calif. As usual having poor luck with the specials. ried for KIWW, WBWL and CFAR on the 25th but none of them showed due to high static. The rescheduled KPST not heard due to the change in time - he had a lot of QHI to buck at that hour. CHAT not heard on the third as I received a lovely harmonic or what have you of KNX and XERB on their channel. Don't see how KSEO can get through to the west coast at that hour with KXL still on - same goes for WELC on the 16th, we will have local KRKD on here. Monday would have been better. Last Monday the 3rd, KPO was actually off - hope they have given up the all night but ah! We have a newcomer, KLAC on 570 now all night and off Mondays. We only have 11 all nighters in this area - through this I should be getting DX? Veries picking up a little with cards from WPFB, WHIO. Letters from WGAF KRAI KMOR KRE KRNR WTOC & KTOH. In the way of new stations heard here were KWWB & KRNR 1490 both on f/cs as per list on 11,32. On 11/25 finally caught KCHJ on ET on 1010. On 11/26 KTOH, 1490, 3:30-4:00 s/off on regular sked and same AM WPFB 910 5:30 a.m. s/on and on until Cuban came on. Sund .* Dec. 2 WACO, one I've been long after on 7:30 s/on with heavy QHN. Monday Dec. 3, nothing new but KYW so copied him for report. Then up Wed. Dec. 5 for KELS 1490 f/c as per list with good signal. Could not bring KOVC in on that channel later but am sure they were on. The Mexican on 1340, XEAA was heard running until 5:00 last Monday, could not hear KPKW through him or any of the Texas f /cs as conditions were not very good. KFWB 980 signs off at 5 Mondays, other nights 7:00. KCNA, 580, heard on first Monday f/c 4:00-4:15. Also on first Monday on 1490 6:00-6:15 TT wit ann. but too mushy to get call. Any help? He continued on with TT for another 13 minutes until 6:27 without another announcement until he signed off. WTOC 129 says sign on now 5:30 until March 22 when they will go back to 5:00. As this will probably be my last before the holidays, best of the Season's Greetings to all Diers everywhere and especially the members of the NRC.

Hank Ward - 404 North 14th, Ponce City, Oklahoma

Despite summerish WX past few days, a few more calls have been garnered in on the heard list. 11/30, KSOX ETING following 8 AM s.on. Officially hit the air 12/1; WCOW logged 12/1 s/on as per DDD. 12/3 the following were heard: KGPH s/off 1:05; WNAT Natchez, Miss. f/c & ETING; KATO 1340 barely audible behind a powerful Spanish station (who?); WSOK Nashville, Tenn. 1470 ac/s. ETING and requesting reports, and lastly, CHAT on DX barely audible at times due to HNL. Despite my earlier reports, XERF appears to be staying on again, but haven't checked this out conclusively, still have them listed as silent during daylight. Veries in from KYOR KENA & WKLX. KENA in theirs said they were on with YEARLY audio distortion tests. KYOA endorsed my rpt & sent it back. WKLX nice letter, seems v. friendly to DXers though verie is rather vague but like Lefty said be satisfied & not incur their wrath by criticizing their efforts.73.

Grant Batson - Westfield, N. Y.

Don't faint, boys, I'm back again after a long absence. No DX from 4/17 until 11/29. Just too much work, etc. Best of all, June 3 a new station "BAWL" opened up here in Westfield in the form of an 8th son - all boy# and lively. Then on 6/18 was trucking & got hold of some poisoned food and nearly finished off yours truly. On 11/21 dur oldest daughter got married so now have aquired a son-in-law. Then on 11/2 had an RCA TV set installed - it has affected DA some. Veries from 4/8 till 11/29 are: KVIN WMEV WHIC WELP WELO WLAU WKOX WRHI WCUE WZOB KILA KFLD WOBS & YVQB. The best yet, on YVQB - was sent air mail and in place of stamps, used the IRC I enclosed and it went through! Quite unique to say the least. Since 11/29 reports to 11/18 WOKE on 1430; 11/19 WHAN on 1340 on TT 3:20-3:36 and same morning KMOR on 1340, Oroville, Cal. 4:16-4:45. On 11/33, WTOD on 15:00 6:00-5:30 a.m. 11/26, KIWW on 15:40 kc/s. on test 3:92-3:52 and tough due to overlap of WCKY. Same AM WBNL on 1540 ran S-92 and WCKY no overlap, 3:55-4:46. Also WACL on 570 Sunday s/on 5:02-5:31. Last DX for the AM was WIVY on 1050 5:45-7:00 but last part badly messed up by WMGM. 11/26, WATG on 1340 on DX 3-4 a.m. good here. I was by their transmitter on Rt. 42 late August. 11/27, WTYC on 1150 on test 4:30-4:45 QH el by LCUE and WKIN on 1320 at s/on 5:00-5:30. 12/1 - KCSJ on 590 on test 2:00-2:15 S-7, Q-4. WPAC on 1880, Patchogue, ET 2:15-2:44 S91. KFJI on 1150 kc/s. 3:29-3:44 with XEJP QRM. WFUR on 1570 kc/s. TT 3:45-4:00 and WJET on 1570 regular program 11:02-11:30 a.m. 12/2 - KASH on 1600 2:56-3:02 s/off with end of a perfect day. Also WFPM on 1150 Sunday s/on 6:12-6:30. 12/3 - KWCB on 1300 kc/s., f/c 2:15-2:30. CHAT on 1270 kc/s. on DX 3:06-4:02 with some fading but a fair report. 12/6 - KATH on 1150 kc/s., Albany, Minn. 3:03-4:01 12/9 - KSEO on 750, 4:15-4:48. No; WJR did t side-lap over but signal only stood S-1 on the meter. No static, though. WACB DX was good 4:50-6:00 - last few minutes carrier of WLOS bothered some. Veries, yes, a few. KMOR WHAN WOKE WIVY WATG WTOD WFUR & KWCB. KMOR tests on third Monday after 4 a.m. with Press Wireless Monitoring Service, at Napa. On 1310 Mondays, who is Spanish that causes so much confusion? Even the Pacific stations seem to back up for this one - otherwise DX on that channel would improve - wish some of the other spots like 1400, 1450, 1230 and 1490 would have one morning a week off - did feel lucky last season on 1490 when the all-nighters were absent.

Bob Sanderson - 2073 Waverley Avenue - South Burnaby, B.C. Veries have been coming in very slowly of late and only a few received since my last report. Veries in from KROD KGCU KWOR CJCA KLIX KYYZ CFAC CHAB KONO. In my verie from KLIX, CE D. K. Cederstrom, W7PFJ says that they are moving to 1310 kc/s. shortly and they would like reports on the new channel. 11/14 - KWFT (620) Wichita Falls Tex. good signal at 7:00 a.m. KCUL (1540) Ft. Worth, and KRES (1550) St. Joseph, Mo. at 7:20 and 7:23 respectively. 11/18 - NOLE (730) Ephrata, Wash. heard here on s/off at 7:30 p.m. 11/19 - TONO (860) all-nighter, heard at 5 a.m. WIL (1430) St. Louis, had a fair signal at 6:55 but only one musical selection was heard. 7:06, CKY (580) Winnipeg, Man. heard, and at 7:20, KSJB (600) Jamestown, N.D. 11/28 - KPUY (1450) Puyallup, Wash. s/off at 5:45 a.m. 9:15 p.m., KINY (1450) Juneau, Alaska, had one of the loudest signals I've heard from there. They covered KDON & KIMA, which is only about 200 miles from here. I have neglected to give the location of South Burnaby in previous reports, so in case anyone would like to know, it is about 6 miles east of Vancouver, B.C. and has a population of about 60,000. 11/29 - KGAL (930) Lebanon, Ore. at 9:52 a.m. I slept through their DX program on 11/13/ 12/2 - KVSM, San Mateo, Cal. and KWSO, Wasco, Cal. bota on 1050 at 7:30 p.m. 12/3 - CHAT (1270) well heard on their NRC DX. WROL (620) Knoxville, Tenn. at 5:30. KXOK (630) St. Louis, Mo. s/on at 6:30. WOW (590) in On ha, Neb. heard at 6:35 a.m. WIBW (580), Topeka, Kans. at 7:00 for my first Kansas station. WOI (640) Ames, Iowa at 7:05. KCOL (1410) Ft. Collins, Col. at 7:45. 8 a.m., KVNU, 610, Logan Utah heard on s/on. CFQC (600) Saskatoon, Sask. s/on 8:04 and WTCN (1230) Minneapolis S 7-8 at 8:15. 73. WHAT THE CALL LETTERS | EAN, by GENE FRANCIS

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Musines of the embers Joe Brauner - 23 Howard venue - Williamsville 21, N. Y. DX improving here despite freak weather, all time new highs and thunderstorms. Have not fared too well on DXes. Spanish speaker on 1540 all morning the past 2 Mondays ruined any chance I had to get KPST; KNOG also missing, but heard him before, and heard him again on 12/3 at 4:00-4:15 with musical f/c. CHAT was weak here, but verifiable. New DX good - WPRS strong on regular f/c, 12/2: 12/3 proved a good date here, KWCB strong on fig, thank to tip in "DX News", KXOC, 1150 fair 2:40-3:00, first time this one ever got over ARSC a a the Mexicanf for me. KORK also heard briefly at 2:55 but lost by 3:00 a.m. s,off. WSOK, strong on 1470 ET, ended the morning, making 4 new ones. 12/6 found 1 40's tone barely audible through WNOX and 1410/16 verie data to try and in using 1/3 from weaker one, 5:35 to 6:45 a.m. on regular f/c. On PM of 12/7 we tuned in WH H on 1 40 for verie data, to try again using v/s from list in hopes of a verie on long unanswered reports. Legft dial at that spot, woke up at 4:15 on 12/9, threw switch, and in a moment heard music on 1440 turning out to be ET from KVON, to 4:30, one we've been after a long time. Soon after that located WNPT, 1280, with powerful ET till long past 5 o'clock. Veries, nice letters from KWCB WSGM WPRS KPWK WRIC CKOK & WSTR. One of those delayed tip cards like Bernie's arrived here too, post arked 3 PM 11/14 at North Girard arriving here on AM of 11/27, some 10 service! 13 days to travel about 100 miles ???? DX poor here on 12/9, strong local buzz most of morning, weak signals, mile and raining. HJCZ, 710, clear as a local to s/off however, thanks to tips in Fred's interesting column. KSEO, 750 would have been fine on a normal December AM, but his S-6 carrier matched by local QHM and readability less than 25% on what sounded like a swell program. WACB also wrecked by noise, bad fading a.i a stronger carrier on much of the time, think WLOS was the one on there after 5:30, DX so poor that although KCIJ, 980, was good, WWSW, 970, was a total loss, and muc weaker than WACB's S-6 early show. Our DX became weaker later and was almost unreadable after 5 o'clock. Nothing else of interest neard except that WLBJ, Bowling Green, Ky. came in nicely on 1410, 7:35 a.m. (Sunday) s/on. WHJC, 1360, is coming in nicely on his 5 a.m. regular s/on. WRIC, 1050, has f/c first Wednesday at 1:50 a.m.

Relfe Luton - Route #1 - Elizabeth City, North Calolina

A few veries trickle in. WBUT, Beautiful letterhead for mid-day report, also nice card. WTOP, letter and card; WHAN card, WATG for DX; WJWL nice letter for very brief report. WPEP for late evening report, said most distant station had been logged. Reports out to KFYR, WPAC, New Y. Ac's newest, This one, like WHLI, is heard very well all day, best around noon. CHAT on DX not too well heard, enough for report. WSOK on test 12/3. On 12/6 latched on to 4ZB, Dunedin, New Zealand (1040) 4:30 to 5:30 a.m. Had 'Musical Memories' 5:00 to 5:30 a.m. This one could have been passed up, for WHO at 5:15 - what a signal! Same morning WAVA testing 5:59 to 6:24 a.m. Slept through KSEO DX and all but last ½ nour of WACB special. Alarm clocks are not enough at times. Sure wanted to hear that one. As I write this at 3:00 P.M. Sunday, WABJ is tearing away at WTOP, nops he gets real ambitious.

Listening to the special two-hour DV program on December 9 from WACB, Kittanning, Pabrought back the happy nemories of the convention over the Labor-Day week-end. I listened almost continually for the two nors, although I'm sorry to say a strong carrier on the 1380 slot caused a heavy interference to WACB's signal. On the same morning, I listened to the KSEO DX-test from Durant, Okla. although not a new one in the DX log. On 22/3 the new WSOK (1470): shville, Tenn. was heard on its ET 3:24-4:00 a.m., well over XESM. Then on 12/6 VOXO (1460) Albany, N.Y. was heard testing their auxiliary transmitter 5:05-5:30 a.m., and the ET from the new WNPT (1280) North ort, Ala. was heard on 12/8 from 5:15-5:30 a.m., in the clear. Five verifications were added to my collection the past weak to make my total count stand at 2011. Letters came from WATG-DX, KDKD KWIK KXOB WENY.

Mel Oliver - Houston, Texas

Not much DX activity here - my SX-42 is in need of annual check-up and particularly a new volume control. Shall have it fixed in a couple of weeks if not sooner. Haven't sent in any reports yet but like most of the others I'm hearing YSEB nightly. Best CA here though is TGN on 1180. TGQX on 1025 doesn't seem to be as good as last winter but still readable at times. These are only 3 foreigners (except Cubans & Mexicans who momopolize most frequencies here) heard regularly. 11/27 some one, probably a Cuban, was really hashing WFAA on 620 kc/s.

"D X N E W S"
Musings of the lembers

SId Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia Only two listening periods the past week and veries continue slow. Dec. 9 - *KRRV (910) Sherman, Tex. on a Charity Auction 2:00-3:00. *KWHN (1320) Ft. Smith, Ark. on regular Saturday "Night Hawk" show 3:00-4:00 and on. KSEO (750) Durant, Okla. on NEC DX was 11 minutes late on s/on, but Curtis Parish the CE really went to town with a swell show and plenty of NRC mention. Members' names were read in state groups and the boys from Ponca City and myself came in for an extra big hand. KSEO and Curtis Parish deserve a big hand for their friendly NRC show. The WACB (1380) Dy in strong with the big show I've been witting for and I wasn't disappointed. Thanks to Joe Pelletier who made this fine show possible and Dick Cooper et al. Sir! The a.m. of Dec. 9th was a great morning for the NRC. Dec. 10 - The steady chatter of the CMCB announcer killed all chance of hearing CBH on DX. Heard short portions of a program I believe was CBH but, nothing I could give as proof of receptaon. A W station on 1370 testing and identification at 4:00 was distorted. Sounded like Jervis (?) was location. KMHL (1400) heard on f/c 2:00-2:30 through QHM. WOOK heard to s/on 5:00, on 1330 with lews. Has this one moved from 1590? WACB on DX with a nice signal. WSMB DX blocked here by WADC. WSTR DX in with fair signal, but distorted at intervals. A very nice program with NEC publicity. Veries in are letters from KMOR and KPRK. The big KMOR letter says in part, "Our normal program hours are 2 AM to 11 PM PST Monday through Saturday. On Sunday, 8 AM till 10 PM PST. We run a regularly shed f/c with Press Wireless, Inc., in Napa, the third Sunday of each month from midnight until 1 PST. If we fail to reach Napa (which has always been the case so far) we throw our translitter on the air on the following Monday a.m. after 3:00 EST." KPRK veries says regular f/c is first Monday of month 4:80-4:45 EST. Glossy photo of transmitter a closed with letter. A letter from WWGS (1340) Tifton, Ga. says their regular f,c is first Weinesday 3:15-3:30.

Pat Reilley - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York New veries back are WHJC WGSM KPRK and need 2 more to make 2200. 12/4 - CMCH, 790, at 3:31 until ??. WJEW, 1230, on top of mess at 3:50. WTCN, 1280, off at 3:58, then KFOX off at 4:00 and an unknown Mexican off after KFOX left air, unknown one to me. 1320 had a tester at 4:04 with CKNW behind but no call heard. WSOK, 1470, 479 4th Avenue, North, on ET at 4:14 with XESM QEA. WHJC, 1360, went on 5 a.m. to sundown on Dec. 2 at 2 p.m., says their CE, S.L.D. vis, in verie. WGSM, 740, World's Greatest Suburban Market, 273 Main Street. 12/5, too noisy, unknowns on 900, 3:00 to 3:30 no voice with carrier; 1560; TT 4:00 to 4:22, no voice yet when I quit, 320 and fog thick enough to slice with knife. KPRK, 1340, PO Box 952, a very nice letterhead & nice picture card, f/c first 10 1 ; s, 4:30-4:45. 12/6 - 460 and raining. 880 had a weak one on at 3:07. Believe 1290 is "Radio La Preste" XEVR, El Cadena California (The California Network) but can't catch the location. 1270 had a f/c at 3:45-4:00 but noisy every time call was given. 1280 has a Mexican on after KFOX s/off at 4:00. WULA, 1240, f/c 4:00 to 4:15. KMMO, 1300, at 4:36. 12/7, no DX. 12/8 - Unknown on 890 or 895 in foreign voice, 3:27 to f/out about 4:03. WCDL, 1230, all night, a new one. WNPT, 1280, ET at 4:23 to ?? for a new one. WVPA, 1340, test at 4:48. 900 had 2 unknowns on at 4:51, one with tones and other with weak voice. 12/9, weak one on 745 at 3 to f/out at 3:17. Dunno what tongue was used, German or Dutch I'd say. Brother, WACB had a DX - what a DX! After my phone call and wife talked also, had to explain to my wife that "El Capitan" that Dick played for us, was "The Captain" and meant that she was "the boss". Stopped at 4:45 to catch KSEO until they signed off, then back to WAC3 until 5:15 and to bei. 12/10 - Unknown s/off ET at 2:57 of 1390, then a TT on 1390 most all AM but no call. The same on 1380 with no voice used at all. WGAU and one with weak TT, 1340, at 3:30. WGY, 810, test at 3:38. Guess announcer was the short wave announcer as he was all fouled up which he announced call. KCLS and Mexican on 1340 at 3:52 and KCJS on f/c. Believe it is XELW. 1330 had a TT on all AM until 4:35, not a call heard at all, Grrr. 1310 had a TT on and off 4:05 to 4:20 when I moved, no voice used. Heard CBH when they came on, 4:34. They were in back of KFACCMOB & tried my 3 antennas. I had KFAC and the third had CMCB but no CBH. Could not keep my eyes open for the later DXes as they were on too late for me. 460 and rain and sleet that made it very noisy. Had a very bad buzzing on and off that over-rode all signals. WHEN SENDING IN YOUR REPORTS TO THIS SECTION, PLEASE BE SURE TO USE DOUBLE-SPACING

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December 15, 1951 Musings of the Members

Charley "Old Smoky" Conley - 358 Market Street - Iomoyne, Panna.
15 reports out, with 4 veries in during to week of December 3rd. Veries, all letters from WHJC 1360, test 11/31, WKLX 1300, f/c 11/26; WRVA 1140, regular; 11/27; and KWCB 1300, test 12/3 with verie here on the 7th, reading in part, "As I usually write, there is no need in telling you to value of your reception reports. Where possible I like to run programs for the Oters but this is impossible with a daytime only station so we just have to do the best we can under the present regulations. Thanks a lot for the fine report, good luck, good listening, and 73s." signed H.M. Morris, C.E. Would that there were many more CEs like him! Still looking for veries on the following November DXes: KIWW WATG WBML WIUX CJBQ, plus 16 other reports since Sept. 1. Reports this week to CJOC 1220 12/2, regular; CHAT 1270, 12/3 DX; WSOK 1470, 12/4 test; KFYR 550, 12/4 regular; WIRL 1290, 12/4 basketball game (still Looking for one from him for report of 12/6/50); WCOM 1230, 12/6 f/c; WGAA 1340, 12/6 f/c (another holdout for me since 10/13/48); WROD 1340 12/6 f/c; WRSW 1480, 12/6 test; WDYK 1230, 12/6 f.c; WBAL 1090, 12/6 regular; KDMA 1450, 12/8 f/c (finally heard one of the two Montivideos!); KSEO, 750, 12/9 DX and our own fine program from WACB. Joe and Dick put on a fine s . v. The best of Holiday Greetings to all

you guys and gals!

Ted Weiser - 19 Fairview Avenue - chuylkill Haven, Pa. Some recent veries in - WACL WCLI CBW WELS KLIS WANT CKFH WJCM WIEL WJAT WCDL KJFJ KRIX WAYS WBEO. On 11/10 heard WVKO (1580) 4:45 to 5:15 p.m. s.off. Couldn't find anything on him. Also gave him a report fro 11/11 & 12, later saw in "DX News" that wVKO was the FM station before as 11/12 logged. 11/12 Logged CKFH (1400) ower WJLB at times, and WGST (920) 5:30-3:00 a.m. on 11/2 and 11/13, on 11/19 logged KSIX (1230) in the clear most of the time 1:30 to 2:00 a.m. - quite a surprise here and also to KSIX down there who sent a very mice long verie letter. WJCM (1340), WIEL (1400) on f/c, WTUX on DX Test. 11/20 - WHJC (1300) TT, carrier, and brief call 2:44 a.m.; KWBB (1410) on test. 11/22, KCJB (910) on f/c, WCDL on 24-hour "Milkman" Matinee" Tuesday through Saturday; KJFJ (1570) on f/c through XERT, nice verie-letter back, Wayne Hatchett new manager. 11/26 - CBW terrific signal 1 to 1:15 s/off. WLCK (1450) on f/c. WAIN ,1270 on f/c. Logged WAYS 5-6 a.m. through WIP on 11/26, much easier on Tuesday 11/27. The anno moer, Alonzo G. Squires is blind, and has been since birth. He is with WAYS for the past 8 years, nice long verie-letter from 11/27 - WBBO (780) carrier and voice at 5:45 a.m., nice v/letter back. 12/2-WJWL (900) logged on their first program of the day 7:15-7:45 a.m., WBBB heard very well 7:25-7:36 a.m. through QRM. 12/3, AWCB (1300) on f/c; KMYR (1340) on f/c, could have been easier but WGNI was S-9 with carrier and tone. KORK hard near s/off, WSCA on ET. 12/4 - togged WPAZ (1370) during the afternoon with WPPA overlap. Kenneth Read, new CE at WELS will be glad to verify all reports; anxious to get same. KLMS sent verie letter by airmail, The logging of KSIX (1230) has been my best catch for a while of a station on regular sked. The G.M. anxious to know if I can pick him up again. Will surely drop him a report if I ever do again.

Bernis Duffy - 94 Lander Avanue - Staten Island 14, N. Y. Additions to my log the past week number but 2 - WSOK 1470 and WOHP 1390. Balancing those off against new veries during that period I got letters from KFYR and new lc. cal WGSM and postals from KTYL and WJHO. 12/9 - WOHP 1390 ETed at 2:53 till 2:58 s/off. Some unknown s/off 1240 at 3:15 through high noise level - I wonder who? WACB's friendly DX at 4:00 loud but mufiled at times. He told of KPAN, 860, scheduling test for 12/10 at 5:45. I was disappointed in being unable to hear KNAL and KSEO. 12/10 - WSTR's DX started at 4:30 for an hour aerleer and longer DX cast, due to mix-up in C.S.T. as against E.S.T. for the scheduled special. WACB's second DX spoiled at its 5:00 a.m. s/on by WAWZ's identity and open carrier test. I was unable to hear oft-heard CBH's DX or anything on 1340. WHLL, 1600, seems to be the

newest one to go on 24 hours a day.

J. W. Waldron Newman - 68 Oak Street - Tiffin, Ohio How's DX? Here just don't get any done. Have been away from home since middle of May & haven't done any DXing since. An only back in Tiffin waskends. Am out of diffice at field engineer on a water plant construction job in the LW corner of Ohio at Wausson about 70 miles from Tiffin. hope to finten up around Christmas. & get back home for a while. Have been rebuilding one of my receivers for use up here and making up a new power supply for it. Maybe I can DX a little here then.

Barry Foote - 273 North Avenus - Weston 93, Massachusetts WACB in here swell all the way. A very nice program, gang, you all sounded swell. DX good this week and log now totals 728 heard. In DX still good and proving very fruitful. 12/3 - WTMA 1250 in easily over WCAE 8:30 p.m. 12/4 - Delighted to hear WKVM on his new frequency of 1070. He has been coming in around 7 PM and is much stronger than CBA at times. 12/5 -FM DX WBCC, 1120, heard at s/off 4:45 with QRM from WWOL and KMOX. WMBI 1110 in strong over WBT at 5:00. 12/6- Hunted for the new WPAC on 1580 and got him after WFGM's s/off at 4:15 p.m. WPAC had a good signal until their s/off 4:30 when WVKO, 1580, care through and dominated the frequency till 4:41. Noticed a stati n in behind CBM and it turned out to be WMAZ, 940, for a new one at 5:30. 12/8 - KALL 910 heard easily at 2:27 a.m. not hew here, though. KJBS 1100 on clear channel, but weak at 2:30. Don't know when he signs off. 1270 had a west coaster which signed off at 3 a.m., but I missed his call because of QRN. KCOK? KFOX 1280 hogged until his s/off at 4:00. KJSk 900 TT with tone 4:47 and having a bit of trouble with another carrier. Hearl WKIN 1320 5:19 and easy to log until 5:30 when WMSC s/on. WMSC was also a new one here that day besides WKIN. WHAZ 1330 signing on at 5:00 and having some QRM to buck. 12/9 - WACB 1380 in 0" here with only slight QEI from a carrier on in the background during the first & hour or so. Later on WLOS put his carrier on giving WACB some trouble, but WACB stayed in there till the end of the show. Had trouble hearing KSEO 750. He was very weak and practically unreadable and lots of QRN there, too. Seem# to have trouble here with local QRN from the neighbors; oil burners. Should call 'em up and tell them they're interfering with our DX shows, shouldn't I, hi. Happen to motice a station on 1590 at 6:25 which was WOOK, but he gave call which sounded like WINX, Rockville, Md. Can some one help me on this one? Wo veries in this week. Reports out to WPAC KFOX KJSK WKIN. Lefty, have you heard that the FCC may open up a chone band 100 kc/s. wide in the 40 meter band for ARRL and 1" clubs? 12/10 - CBH 1330 good all the way here. No luck on WSMB, 1350 - QHM from V. DC. KSIL 1340 on f/c 5:15. s/ons of WHJC 1360 5:05, WHLL and WFRC 1600 6:00. WSTR 1430 OK for 20 mirrates, but QRMed out by WBNS' s/on. This ends a very nice week of DXing. 73s and best of DX.

Pete Leon Jacobson - 5317 South Portland Ave., Minneapolis Minn. More on WWCC. We now have all the audio section and transmitter of 100 watts and also the turntables all ready to go. We had hoped to have the station on the air by 1/15 but it looks like ti will be about 4 days late. So opening date will be Jan. 19. One thing we do not have to worry about is we have most all the sponsors we need which is great. When many radio stations come on the air they do not have even 1/4 the sponsored time so we are really lucky. The station will carry only around 20-25 miles. After all we are only interested in our local area. As I said before we do not need an atnemna as the power is fed right into the power line. Latest veries, KXRA, Alexandria, Minn. 1490-250 11/12, 2:10-3. A. Broadcasting Corp. "Your report this time is of special interest to us as our official monitor, Phelps Labs. in Minneapolis was unable to pick us up or out of all the other signals on the air that night. He also said I was the only one in the orth Central States. What is wrong with my friends & fellow DXers down in Iowa? You about trying for KXRA and send them a report on their f/c, 2nd Monday 2:30-3. KFYR, Bismarck, N.D. 550-5000-NBC for 11/18. Meyer Brdg. Co. KCUL, Ft. Worth, Tex. 1540-5000/1000, 3607 Camp Bowie Road. KATL, 1590-5000. State National Bldg, Public Service Partner of the Houston Press. "KATL operates on 5 kw. day and night, nonDA days, 4-tower box array night, major lobe 1400." Report of 11/18. WKZO, Jamezoo, Mich. 590-5000-CES, 11/14, Burd dick Hotel. WVEX Hotel New Orleans, oh bo, , what a nice letter-Read from WWEZ! This is one I think all of you would like, a very nice picture of some of the downtown district. WQXR, New York, 1550-10000, N.Y. Times, 229 W. 43 St., 11/22. This was their auxiliary transmitter from Maspeth, L.I. WQXR was 1000 watts at the time. WVJS Owansboro, Ky.1420-1000-JES, "On a score on the Air, Inc." f/c is during day by K.C. Hours, 7-1 weekdays ' 8-1 Sundays. KSJO San Jose, Cal. 1590-1000, Santa Clara Brdg. Co, 24 hours except silent 10 PM Sunday to 6 AM Monday PST. 11/17. WOAE Pittsburgh Pa. 1250-5000-ABC, Hotel Wm.Penn, 5:45-1 weekdays, 8:30-Mdt Sun. CKFH Toronto, Ont. 1400-250, Foster Hewitt Brdg. Ltd. Greenville St., 24 hours except Sunday when they s/off 2-8:55. WILL, D, U. of Ill. Urbana. Enclosed a program listing. QSL cards from KFWB, 980-5000 for 11/14, 4 a.m., WS00 1230-250-ABC Saulte Ste. Marie, 11/14, 2:40AM. 5:30-Mdt. regular sked, f/c 2nd Wed. 2:50. I guess I better call it quits or Lefty will have 40 fits. So best of luck and DX from your friend Pete.

until at least December 22, 1951.

"I hope this will give you sufficient time to publicize this. I might add that we will operate at 500 watts. The program will be half-hour programs recorded from the lines of the Mutual Network. The only station identification will be between programs. Very truly yours," (signed) Robert A. Lebsock, Chief Engineer

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INTERESTING EVEN BEFORE THEY ARE OPENED. MANY USE THEM - WHY NOT EVERY ONE?

Steve Walbridge - 196 Lake view Avenue - Pointe Claire, Quebec Actually doing a little DXing, but results iren't amything wonderful. 11/19, WHAW 1340 at 3:26, f/c. WGRW 1340 f/c 3:30. 11,25 - WhoD 3:46, ET, 1470 kc/s. WENL 1540 4:03 on their special. 5:10, 520 kc/s., WhoL, who are they? (Waycross, Ga. -Ed.) I could use Carroll's new log soon/ 12/3 - 2:30, 1295 kc/s., Radio Trinidad, I imagine, with a deep English voice, but couldn't bring that through for a report. CHAT 1270 kc/s. 5:07-3:21 after a real struggle for a brack seport. The log is creeping at a snail's pace - now at 1424, and not a verie received for two months. I enjoy Fred's Foreign DX Digest very much. It's a real asset to the bulletin. I won't make any promises about DXing a lot in future, but permaps cold weather will make the old DX bug bite a little harder.

Additional info from Lew Carter

12/3, WSOK, 4th Avenue North, Washville, Tenn. asking for mail at 3:15. 1450, seems
like WILM can't leave 1450 along. On their night off they tested at 3:33. 1290,

KOIL Omaha, Neb. with "Night Watch." 12/4 - Tried dial at 8:00 before going to WFMD.

690, WVOK, Virmingham, 41a. 5000 witts of laytime power, 750, WBMD, Baltimore, Md.
1,000D. 880, WRFD, Worthington, Daio, 2000 D. 820, WFAA Dallas, Tex. always heard
at night, very strong in AM, 8:05. 970, alcA, Ashtabula, Ohi. under WWSW with PIs
at 8:13. 1130-WCAR, Ponties, Mich. over 1000. 155), WBSC Bennettsville, S.C. 10000
D topping WLOA, Braddock, Pa., 1000d. 356 in 12 days, with so much DX, letters getting out very slowly. You may know this already, but 1090, WBAL, Baltimore, Md.,
50000-DA/N just released information they will begin serving the public 24 hours a
day. They did not name a silent period, and they did not say how long this 24-hour
stuff will last, so I presume it is for an indefinite period. Also, 1340, WINX, Wathington, D.C. moves to WOOK's frequency and becomes daytime while WOOK moves to 1340
and becomes full time. WOOK programs to Fegro audience. This info by hearsay.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, N. Y. Circumstances forced no to do this entire bolletin in one evening, and it is now 12:42 a.m. and have I been cussin' you guys, hi! Seriously speaking, it would help me a lot as Editor if you would try to be slightly more concise, and omit technical information, and to double-space your reports, and to use one sheet of paper on both sides, and also to avoid weird abbreviations. It may take an extra 3 or 4 minutes or so to type your own reports (or write them) but it would certainly save me some scarce time here, and would be appreciated. I don't mean to be brief and omit all color from your reports, of course - you and I want this "DX News" to continue to be the best in the world, but I don't like to be groggy on Thursdays when I sit down to operate the complicated bookkeeping machine, where one error ruins the entire day's work. So, thankk, ,fellows - I know you don't realize the time consumed in Editing "DX News." Well, I was hollering that veries were coming fine last week - this week I'm just hollering! Not one teeny weeny one! As to DX - XEWA (540) San Jais Potosi, is in the clear daily 1:00-1:15 s/off. 12/9 - WOHP (1390) Bellefontaine, Ohid, on first ET to 2:58 s/off, and back next day and off about that same time again. WACE's DX was the one I had been waiting for, and it had to get spoiled by a carrier reported by RCA as being NE of Riverhead, coming to indicate it might have been CFDA in Victoriaville. Erick says he thought it was WKJG, Fort T wne, who tested the AM previous, and some thought it was WLOS. On Monday it was WA Z. 1380 is almost always clear here, and Joe and Dick picked two mornings when testers decided to prowl, as luck will have it. I did hear my own dulcid tones, and the others, hi. I also phoned. KSEO picked up in spurts during musical numbers on WACB or fast and furious dial-twisting. And that does it for this week, and see you all again one week hence, if the mails permit, hi. ARTICLES SET IN BY BERNIE DUFFY

"French-speaking people in the province of Saskatchewan have contributed \$388,000.00 to finance French-language radio stations being built at Gravelbourg, Sask. and Saskatoon. Bpth stations will be owned by the contributors. The Gravelbourg station is expected to be in operation by mid-January (1830 kc/s.) and the Saskatoon station by March." (1340 kc/s.)

"Tom Edw rds, chief announcer for KOSA, was found shot to death in the studios by Mrs. Louise Mims, another employee. She stated that a .32 caliber pistol lay near the body. John Guffpy, continuity director, said he was listening to the outlet, noticed the announcer didn't come on as scheduled." (Gaessa, Texas, 1830 Rc/s.)

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Edited by Fred VanVoorhees, Box 132, Lemoyne, Penna. Deadline Wed. AM. DX continues good with several interesting catches listed, so we will go right into what is being heard:

NORTH MERIC

ALASKA-RL reports that he feels that he is hearing KFRB (1290)

in Fairbanks. Takes a good night and signals are weak.
MEXICO-BF reports XESM (1470) heard evenings behind WRGA with fair signal. XEN (695) is reported by BS at 10 PM with good signal using classical music. HH reports a verie from XEN. DD adds reception of XEQ (940) Mexico City at 0045 with good signal. Hrd by FV on top of frequency all evening. XEOY (1000) logged at 12:40 AM with Latin American music by DD. He also reports XEWA (540) at 12:45 AM with same type of music and Spanish announcements.

COSTA RICA-RA reports the regular split frequency stations well heard as follows TIGPH (605', TIRA (38), TIFC (995), and TIW (762).

EL SALVADOR-HH reports ISABC on same program reported last week

by SM on 1100 Kcs. This was 12/3 1:1:38 AM. BF heard him at 6:25 AM in the clear and thought it might to PRG9 (Late for a Brazilian). HH had a mystery one in El Salvador on 1015 Kcs. 9PM-1AM sign-off on 12/9 & 10. Announced as "El Salvador, Central America". If anyone knows who this is, please let HH know immediately at 6504 Chestnut St., Chevy Chase 15, Maryland. He has a long report waiting to go.

TRINIDAD-RA and HH add to those who logged VP4RD during the crick. et matches 12/4 and 12/5. RA had them at 7:55PM on 12/5 with "The Children's Story Book Program",

BERMUDA-ER HH & RA all report ZBM (1235) Hamilton, is operating here off frequency, caught the morning of 12/7 & 12/8. ZR had them between 6 & 9 PM also.

JAMAICA-Reports still come in, this week from HH & RA of reception of this station (ZQI???) also on the cricket matches and on about 870

Kcs.

PUERTO RICO-The frequency changes reported some time ago have now taken place with WKAQ on 680, WIAC on 740 and WIBS deleted. BF has been logging WKVM (1070) every evening after 7 PM, apparently signing off at 10 PM with National Anthem. Announces in English. HH reports QSL from ACE with 50 watts; but on 11/1 they raised power to 250 watts. Signed by Hubert B. McGill, Mgr. Address is not Fort Buchanan, but

U. S. Naval Station, San Juan, Tuerto Rico. Congratulations, Hank. CUBA-BS and BF both report reception from CMQ (630) during evening hours, so he seems to cover the USA quite well, at least both coasts. BF had him in the morning at 6:10. BS also reports CMCU (660) with a good signal at 12:15AM sign-off time; He says they covered KFAR. (HI)

SOUTH AN ERICA COLOMBIA-RA reports resention from HJCZ (710) continuing Sunday mornings from Bogota. He also reprts HJAT (1072) being heard during

the evening hours.

BRAZIL-This country is back with us in a big way with the advent o summer time. ER HH & RA all report PRE9 (1200) and PRG9 (1100) coming on at 3 AM. ER adds the following freque cies all coming on at 3: 720, 800, 900, 1000, 1080, 1180, 1200 (2 stns), 1260, 1300, 1330, and 1410. Coming on at 3:30 AM were 980 and 1280. And on at 4 AM on 1040. Calls were not identified, but they are all there. ER says the one on 1220 is apparently on all night after locals have signed off until well after 4 AM fadeout.

VENEZUELA-HH reports split frequency reception of station on 1164

and of YVMF (1120),

EL SALVADOR-RA had listed YSEP (1075) as one of his regular split

frequency stations during evening reception.

PERU-HH reports OAK4A (854) signing off at 12:53AM 12/3 and during evening hours earlier. Best after midnight when Canadian goes off.

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_BRITISH GUIANA-ER brings us the scoop of the week with reception of Georgetown on 1234 Kcs. from 4:44-5AM and later. He reports call as ZQI, but we have it as ZFY. Hard to log after ZBM comes on at 5, but well worth trying from 4:45-5.

Reception is all from HH this week, as ER reports that Europeans are poor at the present time in his location. HH's reception is as follows:

ENGLAND: - Heard during the past week were 881, 908, 962, 1088, 1295,

and 1457 Kcs. All loggable.

FRANCE-Heard during the past week were stations on 944, 861, 1376, 1401, and 1586 (Think this shud be 1506) with a report going to NICE at the 1-st named frequency.

GERMANY-1586 heard as usual and also 1106 American Forces Network in English. Much QRM from KFAB and WBT, but enough for a report hrd on 12/4.

AFRICA

FRENCH MOROCCO-HH reports his first TA afternoon reception from Rabat (1043) with a fair signal at 5:15 PM on 12,75.

JAPAN-As usual, our Jaranese reporter this week is BS who has logged the following: JOCK (730) Nagoya; JOCC (880) Obihiro; JOHB (1070) Sendai; and JOBK (670) Osaka. All had fair to good signals between 5:50 & 8 AM on 12/3.

MALAYA-ML sends the following list as correct on 8/20/51 of the stations operating in this country: All are operated by "Radio Malaya" with transmitters as follows: Singapore 620 Kcs 10 KW; 740 Kcs 10 KW.; 1333.3 Kcs 8 KW; Kuala Lumpur 1115 Kcs 250 wapts; Penang, 1110 Kcs 400 watts; 1280 Kcs 2 KW; and Malacca 1079 Kcs . 500 watts

NEW Zealand-RL reports 4ZB (1040) Dunealn on 12/6 from 4:30-5:30 AM peaking at 5:15 with quite good signal. Also 4YA (780) most mornings. ML sends along an accurate list of stations in this country which is correct as of 11/28/51 as follows:

1010 2XG 2 KW Gisbourne 60 KW Wellington 570 2YA 1040 4ZB 10 KW Dunedin 60 KW Wellington 660 2YC 4YZ 5 KW Invercargill
1YA 10 KW Auckland
4YA 10 KW Dunedin 10 KW Auckland 3YA 10 KW 1070 1ZB 690 Christchurch 1100 3ZB 10 KW Christchurch 720 1130 2YD 5 KW Wellington 2 KW Timaru 760 1160 3XC 780 800 1YZ 10 KW Rotorua 860 2YZ 5 KW Napier 1180 2XM 100w Gisbourne 1200 2XA 2 KW Wanganui 900 4YC 10 KW Auckland 920 3YZ 1250 1YD 750w Auckland 1310 1XH 2 KW Hamilton 3YZ 10 KW 2 KW Nelson 1340 2XN 920 Greymouth 2ZA 2 KW Palmerston North 1370 2XP 2 KW New Plymouth 3YC 10 KW Christchurch 1400 2YX 1 KW Wellington 940 3YC 1XN 960 1420 2AP 2 KW 2 KW Whangarei Apia, Samoa. 970 Wellington 1430 4XD 60 w Dunedin 980 2ZB 10 KW

AUSTRALIA-ML has promised us an up-to-date Aussie list just as x soon as he can check some corrections for us. RL reports 3LO (770) Melbourne, NSW, very weak on 12/9. BS adds 4QN (630) Townsville, Qsld. at 5:45 AM and 2NR (700) Frafton, MSW, under WLW at 5:15 AM, both of

these heard on 12/3.

MYSTERY

As usual there are a number of mystery stations reported this weel most of them Spanish speakers. RA reports one on 1285 Kcs with S-8 signal on 12/5 at 7:30 PM with classic music and American pop tunes. He thinks that it is in South America, but not sure. I tried here at Camp Hill last evening, but it wasn't a good SOUTH evening, so no go.

December 15, 1951 DX NEWS FOREIGN PAGE 3 RL reports mystery stations on 1580 and 1590 Kcs., both speaking in English, but believed to be foreigners. BF adds his to the total on 750 Kcs under WSB at 7 PM on 12/6 in Spanish. Also on 1270 and 1280 on 12/8 in the evening, both in Spanish. BS adds a Spanish speaker on 1330 Kcs at 6 AM. (Bob, CMCB is all night here with time checks every minute, could it be him?) and on 660 Kcs. heard after CMCU went off. On 12/2 at 1:42 AM played "All My Love" and 1:48 "I'll Remember April" (Bob, XEBZ is being reported here after CMCU goes off. Is it possibly him?) HH has mystery stations on 1025 and 1028 12/9. Then one on 730 Kcs. 12/9 at 1:15 and 1 ter, very weak, assumed to be in Southern part of South America, as he was much weaker than HJCZ on 710 Kcs. And the same morning a weak one on 890 Kcs. heard between tests by WENR. DD has one on 1440 atomid 0125 with a good signal in Spanish. May be either XEFI or XELZ, but not sure yet. Also one on 780 under WBBM around 0015, even overriding WBBM at times, but did not get an announcement. Finally the Mexican on 1290 Kcs. under KVOA at 0120 with good signal. He suggests XEDA. We think either XER or XEAR here.

GENERAL

You fellows have really taken hold of this section, and we have been getting out a good section with lots of really important DX dope. I know that I have received a great deal of benefit from it, and from

what you have told me, so have me s of you.

Barry Foote agrees that shutting off the TV set is the only solution he has found, but he is willing to see if there is an answer. Says it will probably cost money. We will be looking forward to the results of any research you are able to perform, Barry and it will be printed here just as soon as you tell us.

Evan Roberts asks if any of you have had any experience with a YRS-1 Single Side Band Selector made by General Electric. He would like to know what results have been obtained. Write him direct at

Danvers, Massachusetts.
We have received the first part of the Weyrich log, and we think it an excellent job, quite accurate and much easier to use for quick reference by frequencies. Information is not as complete as the Mann Log, and we think both are needed. No sign of the new World Radio Handbook here as yet.

Before I forget it, Murray Lomont dvises that it costs three pence to send a first class letter from New Zealand to the United

States by surface mail.

Here are the reporters for this week: ML-Murray Lamont, 22 Passmore Crescent, Dunedin, New Zealand. RA-Roger Anderson, 835 South Green rier Street, Arlington 4, Virginia ER-Evan Roberts, Danvers; Massachusetts.
RL-Relfe Luton, Route #1, Elizabeth City; North Carolina. BS-Bob Sanderson, 2073 Waverley Avenue, South Burnaby, British Columbia BF-Barry Foote, 273 North Avenue, Weston 93, Massachusetts.

HH-Hank Holbrook, 6504 Chestnut Street, Chevy Chase 15, Maryland.

DD-David Dary, 121 North Fighth Street, Manhattan, Kansas.

FV-Your editor listening from Camp Hill; Pennsylvania. KDKD 1280 Clinton, Mo. Dec 23rd from 3:00-4:00 EST for the NRC arranged by Cpl: Jack D. Rhea who states that he will be home for Xmas and plans to be on KDKD with Marv Landon, CE. Jack was on KIWW and if you missed him then here is another chance to hear your fellow NRCer. ** * * * *

Fred's foreign stencils were only ones in on Friday, others on Sat. so this issue will be mailed Monday. Sorry to be so slow on Freq. Check list but illness this work held up typing of them. Hope to see them finished for next week # # * * * * *

Grandpop Edge(for Find time) has more s/on and s/off times for next week

"DX NEWS" DX LC IN THE DIAL December 15 1951 Page SEND ALL ITEMS IN E.S.T. 10 NAY E 11-325 SHIHLEY AVE-BUFFALO 15, N.Y. 600 WFEI Boston Mass running tests SUNs after 0100 (Routzahn-York Pa) WPDQ Jacksonville Fla will S/on at 0530 beginning 12/17-Announced. 740 WGSM Huntington N Y; Has no early in F/C. (Jacobson-Minneapolis) 770 WJZ New York N Y now on till 0400-7 days a week-Announced (Edge) 780 WBBO Forest City N C F/C-T1 4th TUES 0530-0545; gives call every 3 mautes; Merton Iverks, E (Weiser-Penna) 840 WKNB New Britain Conn F/C 16th & 25th of Month, No reg time (Willia 1030 WBZA Springfield Mass F/C 1st MoN 0115-0120-H E Randal, CE(Foote) 1070 WKVM San Juan P R in clear over CBA around 7 PM in this area (Foote 1090 WBAL Baltimore MD seems to be a new alniter, hrd on several Ams(Edg 1110 WMBI Chicago In Stoff 5:15 PM daily (Foote-Weston Mass)
1150 WCOPVBoston Mass Ston SCHDAYS is now 0645 (Foote) WCNX Middletown Comn F/C held during 1st week at 0600 but have no regular day. (Williams-Seymour Conn) MARRYVML Cabimas, Venezuela S/on U535 SUN AMs in clear with good signal 1180 on 12/2; Identified by Slogan; - "Radio Cabimas" (Gorsuch-Iowa) 1230 WCDL Carbondale Penn 24 hrd Tues thru Sat; F/C 1st MON 0030-0045 Jacobson-Ming & Routzahn-Penn) 1260 WAVZ New Haven Conn F/C 1st FRI at 0001 (Williams) 1280 KFOX Long Beach Calif S/off daily 0400 (Foote) 1290 KOIL Omaha Neb S/off 0100 but continuous from 0800 SUN to 0100 TUES AM. Jackbson) 1340 KIJV Huron S P F/C 1st & 3rd WPD around 0315 (Jacobson) WMTE Manistee Mich F/C 1st SAT around 0330. (Jacobson) This info appeared in Dec 8th issue but I note I listed 1st SUN, think I made error in copying as I have it 1st SAT in my book(Edge) KMOR Oroville Cal(Ex KDAN) has I/C during reg sked, but Bill Cronan says monitor never heas them so they come on again after 0400 on 3rd MON. Bill Cronan is C.E. nice letter here (Edge 1390 WOHP Bellfontaine Ohio ET on 12/10 to 0300 (Brauner-Wmsville N Y) 1400 WRHC Jacksonville Fla TT-F/C 12/11 0350-0400, maybe 2nd TUES(Bner) WHAN Charleston S C F/C 3rd MON 0320-0330 (Jacobson) 1410 WLBJ Bowling Green Ky S/on in clear SUN 0735 (Brauner) 1430 WLAK Lakeland Fla 3/on at 0530 (Routzahn) 1450 KDMA Montividio Minn F/C hrd 1./10 0300-0330-maybe 2nd MON (B_aune) WPAM Pottsville, Pa F/C 3rd MON 0400-0415 (Jacobson)
WGNS Murfreesboro Tenn F/C 1st WED 0330-0400 (Jacobson)
WCTC New Brunswick N J F/C 2nd MON 0530-0545 (Routzahn)
WLEC Sandusky Obio F/C 1st MON 0200-0215 (Routzahn)
WHSC Hartsville S C F/C 1st 10N 0200-0215 (Routzahn) 1470 WSOK Nashville Tenn ETing/M 6 00-0500 12/4, gave CRA as 419 4th Ave., North. (Johanns-Bf.o) (Ralphie, came too late for last wk, tried to make Hals on fast train but didnt work out (Pop) 1480 WRSW Warsaw Ind ETing on 12/2 from 0001 to 0600 (Brauner) 1490 KXRA Alexandria Minn F/C 2nd MON 0230-0300 and wants rpts- A good friend of mine so would appreciate if the boys would send a report if possible. (Jacobson)
WTOR Torrington Conn F/C 2nd THUR Oll5-0130 (Williams) 1540 KCUL Fort Worth Texas seems to be on till 0230 daily, in clear here at 0215 (Brauner-Williamsville NY) 1580 WAVA Ava Ill and on reg sked 05:0-0545 PM 12/12 (Brauner) WAVA Ava Ill, remember those 3 DXes from 0200-0300 on DEC 15th-Jan 15th and Feb 15th. ChA Lester Emile Bilderback, C.E. Box 18 Ava Ill. "Little Egypt's Farm Station" verified promptly for me (Ed Hill-Toronto Ont) 1590 KSJO San Jose Cal 24 hrd ex MUN Ams-off 0100-0900 (Jacobson) WSDC Marine City Mich; oked Dec 0800-5PM; Jan 0800-5:15PM (Johanns)

1600 WHLL Wheeling W Va ann reg S/on 0.630. (B_auner) Hrd 0400-12/11 Por