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COMPLIMENT FROM WINDY CITY

"Enclosed please find a money order for four dollars for another year's enrollment in the National Radio Club. Although my DX activities have been very limited this season, I still enjoy reading DX NEWS, and finding out what the other fellow is doing in the DX line."
-C.B.Gerstner, 9853 Escanaba Avenue, Chicago 17, Ill.

N R C D X C A L E N D A R

Date	Calls	Kc/s	Location	Watts	A.M. E.S.T.	Station Time
Sun.Feb.16	K G B C	1540	Galveston, Texas	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00, CST
16	K B R V	540	Soda Springs, Idaho	500	4:00 - 4:30	2:00, MST*
16	W C N G	540	Canonsburg, Pennsylvania	250	5:00 - 5:30	5:00, EST*
Mon.Feb.17	K T E T	1220	Livingston, Texas	250	2:00 - 3:00	1:00, CST*
17	W S Y D	1300	Mount Airy, North Carolina	5,000	2:00 - 4:00	2:00, EST
17	K V O E	1400	Emporia, Kansas	250	2:45 - 3:45	1:45, CST
17	K B B C	1600	Bountiful, Utah	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	1:00, MST*
17	K V I P	540	Redding, California	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	12:01, PST*
17	W T A W	1150	College Station, Texas	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	2:30, CST*
17	K P I N	12 60	Casa Grande, Arizona	1,000	4:00 - 4:30	2:00, MST*
17	W M L F	1230	Pineville, Kentucky	250	4:00 - 4:30	4:00, EST
17	K V E T	1300	Austin, Texas	1,000	4:30 - 5:30	3:30, CST
Mon.Feb.24	W N A B	1450	Bridgeport, Connecticut	250	12:05 - 5:55	12:05, EST
24	W C Y N	1400	Cynthiana, Kentucky	100	1:20 - 2:00	1:20, EST
24	K B B B	1600	Borger, Texas	500	2:15 - 3:15	1:15, CST*
24	K E C K	920	Odessa, Texas	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	2:00, CST
24	W C W C	1600	Ripon, Wisconsin	5,000	3:15 - 4:15	2:15, CST*
24	C H R D	1340	Drummondville, Quebec	250	3:45 - 4:45	3:45, EST
24	F R C K	1360	Ridgecrest, California	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	1:00, PST*
Mon.Mar. 3	K T E E	1410	Carmel, California	500	3:01 - 4:01	12:01, PST*
3	W H P L	920	Hancock, Michigan	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	4:00, EST*
Mon.Mar.17	W L E O	1170	Ponce, Puerto Rico	250	3:00 - 4:00	4:00, AST

* Denotes Daytime Stations which may test at the times shown.

N N R C

Sun.Feb.16	W L B A	1580	Gainesville, Georgia	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	3:00, EST
Mon.Feb.17	W L A S	910	Jacksonville, North Car.	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	3:00, EST
17	K L G A	1600	Algona, Iowa	5,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30, CST
Sat.Feb.22	W B B A	1580	Pittsfield, Illinois	250	3:30 - 4:00	2:30, CST
Mon.Feb.24	K L U E	1300	Shreveport, Louisiana	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30, CST
Wed. 5	W E B O	1330	Owego, New York	1,000	2:00 - 2:30	2:00, EST
5	W A F C	900	Staunton, Virginia	1,000	4:40 - 4:50	4:40, EST
Mon.Mar.10	K S T R	620	Grand Junction, Colorado	5,000	3:00 - 4:00	1:00, MST
Sat.Mar.15	W J U N	1220	Mexico, Pennsylvania	1,000	12:01 - 5:30	12:01, EST
15	W K L E	1370	Washington, Georgia	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	3:00, EST
15	K B C S	730	Grand Prairie, Texas	500	3:00 - 3:30	2:00, CST
Mon.Mar.17	W B C A	1150	Bay Minette, Alabama	1,000	3:30 - 4:00	2:30, CST
Mon.Mar.31	W B E U	960	Beaufort, South Carolina	1,000	3:00 - 3:30	3:00, EST

DX NEWS
VERIFIERS SIGNERS

540	W C N G	Floyd Bert, CE	E	1280	W M N F	James M. Wallis, CE	B
550	W D B I	Fred Ostwalt Jr., CE	BE		W Q I K	Penny Pennington, GM	D
570	C K E K	R. A. Reagh, MD	E	1310	W S I Z	Stacy Kelly, DJ	B
580	W R K H	Shirley Hooper	E	1320	W Z P K	Jack Wheeler	G
590	K B H S	Forrest Eddy, PD	E	1330	W L O L	D. B. Ekberg, CE	I
650	C K Q R C	Roy T. Maguire, E	I	1340	K V R H	J. J. Reighley, AM	I
640	K F I	H.M. McDonald, ESu	F		K W K C	F. W. Tipton, CE	I
690	K Z E Y	Robert Culbertson, CE	E	1360	K L R S	Emery Caudill, CE	B
730	V P 4 R D	E. M. Watson, PD	H		W I O D	Lonnie Padron, CE	J
790	X E F R C	Joaquin Carranza	F	1370	W C C N	Charles E. Marvin, CE	G
800	K D D D	Granville Murphy, CE	AB	1390	W Q I C	Thomas Moore, PD	E
	K D B I	Burt H. Oliphant, SM	E	1400	W C Y N	Estil R. Anderson, P, CE	E
900	K B I F	Robert Love, CE	F		K V O E	Ed McKernan, P, GM	I
910	K A M D	D. C. Hunter, CE	H	1410	W C M T	Harvey Inman, CE	A
1010	X E D X	Mamel Rojo L., E	F	1420	W E C M B	Max M. Blakemore, O, CE	E
1040	K H V H	E. Lindemann, CE	F		K H F H	John Bonnett, M	E
1070	W K O W	Robert J. Wickhem, CE	F		K P E L	Charles L. Guidry, E	E
1130	C K W X	Laurie Irving, D, SpLEvnts	F	1440	K P O K	Dick Gilbert, P	C
1150	W O R A	Natty Lopez, S	F	1470	W B L O	Byrd Mapoles	G
1220	W S H E	John Carlson, GM	C		W T K O	Gerald F. Cushing, CE	H
1230	W M L F	Cal Smith, GM	E	1480	W T Q R A	B. W. Guidos, CE	E
1250	K C F I	Edward W. West, CE	B		W C F R	Daniel W. Churchill, CE	B
1260	C F R M	E. G. A. Makepeace, CE	F	1510	K O C S	Manuel Barrera, CE	F
	W E Q Z E	George P. Jowdy, GM	H	1570	W Y T I	William M. Farley, CE	B
		<u>C R E D I T S</u>			W B U Z	Boots Bell, CE	C
A - Grant Batson		D - (unsigned)		1600	W I D U	Daniel F. Owen	B
B - Stan Morse		E - Len Kruse			K B B C	Ed McCleery, CE	E
C - Pat Reilly		F - John Boase					
G - Ev Johnson		H - Hal Williams					
		I - Fran Nittler					J - Lefty Cooper

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

NEW STATIONS

980 Rossville, Georgia 500 D-3 1470 Marlboro, Massachusetts 1,000 D-3

FACILITIES

1590 W S B R Warwick - East Greenwich, Rhode Island, addition of a second main studio

NEWLY HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

920	W M N I	Columbus, Ohio	NRC	1350	K L Y D	Bakersfield, California	NRC
1010	K L A S	Ex-1230 kc/s.	NRC	1440	W X L I	Dublin, Georgia	NRC
1330	K F K F	Bealevue, Washington	NRC	1480	K T C N	Berryville, Arkansas	NRC
	W E S R	Tasley, Virginia	NRC		W R E M	Rensen, New York	NRC

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26, New York

How a 250 wattter way down in Puerto Rico will boom in S-9 and a five kilowattter only about 400 miles distant has all sorts of fits making it in here only serves to point up the fact that it is just such things that make this DX hobby so fascinating! WWW-1520 was S-9 at their 5:02 a.m. s/on on 1520 2/3, while WICU-1330's DX was really rugged here, with interference from CMCB/KFH/ and seemingly one other besides the Colombian, but enough for a report anyway. WMOK not needed but swamped here by ET/M from new WMNI-920, Columbus, Ohio, a 500 watt full-timer. Two questions - who signs on 1600 at 4:30 or 4:45 Mondays, ahead of WWRL? MC had a touch of Southern Accent but WWRL's 4:52 carrier s/on and National Anthem at 4:58 killed them. They were on at 4:47 when I tuned to 1500. Second, who was ETing on 1310 at 4:00-4:05 a.m.? Behind them were WGH with some sort of an anniversary program, it seemed, and perennial WCAM. 2/4 - I had to choose between KWEL-1580 and KHFH-1420, as their times were too far apart for me to tune both on a weekday-workday, and I chose KWEL, and happy am I I did, for they made it in here in spite of an S-8 OC on their channel. Sorry not to bag HROW, Jack Hathaway - how about a Tuesday or Wednesday when WHAS' carrier on 840 is off? Only other new catch this week was back on Wednesday, 1/29, when new WXLI-1440, Dublin, Ga. came in at S-9 strength on an ET/M. Another tester on 1460 equally strong, but no ID heard. No room here for a "Ten Years Ago" report, but looking at the 2/7/48 issue I note I got my 1,447th verie then, and now I have about 2,830, or about double that. My veries that week in 1948 were: WLOH WPAQ KIXL WOTW WSAM WLIZ and new loggings here were WMBB WBEX WFWA WPDK KOAT WFAU-dx. It's fun to look back in these old issues, isn't it?

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All Times are EST

STAMP BUREAU NEWS

Leo Shellys advise that his supply of Cuban and Mexican stamps is now completely exhausted. It seems that ~~he~~ ^{he} wants a commission for supplying Leo with however he is now trying the Canadians consuls in these countries and hopesto have better with this method.

600 WMRY New Orleans, La has FC/T 4th Sat 0145-0200 (RN)
740 WKIS Orlando, Fla S/on is 0500 (JWR)
770 KE2XWJ New York, N.Y. Watch for WABC testing with this experimental call (NNRC)
900 WJIV Savannah, Ga has FC/T 3rd Mon 0510-0515 (RN)
910 WSBA York, Pa S/on is 0600 (JWR)
920 WMNI Columbus, Ohio has been AN experimentally since 2/2 (HC)
950 WBVL Barboursville, K~~Z~~ has FC 3rd Mon 0500-0515 (RN)
970 KSYL Alexandria, La has FC 4th Sat 01000-0115 (RN)
1010 WZRO Jacksonville Beach, Fla hrd on FC 1/23 (4th Thur) at 0230/
1110 WVJP Caguas, P.R. has FC ~~LAST~~ Sun 0315-0330 (NNRC) / (JWR)
1230 WENY Elmira, N.Y. has FC 1st Sun 0200-0215 (NNRC)
1250 WCAE Pittsburgh, Pa S/off is 0130 (JWR)
1270 WWCA Gary, Ind S/off is 0200 (JWR)
WCMR Elkhart, Ind S/on is 0530, soon will be using 5 KW (RJ)
1340 WCMI Ashland, Ky has FC 22nd of each month 0200-0215 (NNRC)
WROD Daytona Beach, Fla has ~~KK~~ FC 4th Sat 0100-0115 (NNRC)
1350 WORK York, Pa S/on is 0600 (JWR)
WCMP Pine City, Minn has FC LAST Fri (Or possibly Last day of month) 0130-0145 (RN)
1360 WWBZ Vineland, N.J. has FC 10 day of each month ~~KK~~ 0530-0545 (NNRC)
1420 WCOJ Coatesville, Pa S/on is 0600 (JWR)
1430 WBRB Mount Clemens, Mich S/on is now 0600 (JWR) (Warren, is this wkdays?)
1450 WHAW Weston, W.VA has FC 2nd Tue 0115-0130 (NNRC)
WGET Gettysburg, Pa S/on is 0600 (JWR)
1470 WROL Athens, Ga S/on is 0600 (JWR)
WRGA Rome, Ga S/on is 0625 (JWR)
1480 WLEA Hornell, N.Y. has FC 10th of each month 0515-0530 (NNRC)
1490 WARD Johnstown, Pa has FC 1st Sun 0115-0130 (NNRC)
1550 KRES St, Joseph, Mo was AN Sun 1/26 (JC)
1570 WIKZ Alton, Ill has FC 4th or LAST Fri 0645-0700 (RN)

HEARD AS LISTED/JANUARY

3rd Tue KDBS WTCR

HISTORY OF A CALL

Until recently the letters KLYD were assigned to the 62 foot yacht "Inishowen", home port Baltimore. While this was an OFFICIAL assignment, the call was a silent one used for visual signaling only. Then a few months ago it was reassigned to a BCB station in ~~the~~ Bakersfield, Cal. on 1350 kc. and on Mon AM January 27 KLYD finally made it's appearance on a radio dial via an equipment test. (BCB info from Jim Crittchet)

REPORTERS (FOR LAST MONTH)

BS Bill Stone, RJ Ralph Johanns, T2RHR Robert Reck, BP Bill Prater, HT Hank Tyndall, JC Jim Crittchet, LSN Leon S. Neblock, SS Scooter Seagaves, EJ Ev Johnson, RS Ron Schiller, JWR J. Warren Routzahn, JB Joe Brauner, EC Lefty Cooper, PT Peete Taylor, LK Len Kruse, MR Marv Robbins, RF Ron Fowler, RP Robert Perinne, KR Karl Raymond, WG Walter Goldy, SR Sid Rosenbaum, CC Charlie Conlry, RH Ron Harcourt, RN Dick Northrup, JH Jim Hagan, WF William Flynn, HC Herb Campbell,

A BIG WEEK FOR SPECIAL DX TESTS!

Sun. Feb. 16 3:00-4:00 K G B C - 1540 - Galveston, Texas Louis Jay, P.D.
 Station KGEC is planning to broadcast part or all of this program in "Expanded Sound," using dual audio AM transmission so that the DXers may hear what Expanded Sound sounds like! WPTR is on Sunday mornings, but KXEL is off, and Bill Stone has written WPTR about a possible stand-by for this show, or at least a portion of it. Bill also says if the WPTR stand-by can't be arranged, Bill says the program may be canceled. KGEC isn't heard very often by DXers, and many need them, so be sure to tune for this, another in the series of Texas DXes being arranged for us by Bill Stone.

Sun. Feb. 16 4:00-4:30 K B R V - 540 - Soda Springs, Idaho Paul Haviland, E.
 This station was scheduled back early last month, and they came on, but exactly 24 hours late. Some of us heard that program, but most did not, and Mr. Haviland is very willing and anxious to do it again so that the rest of us can hear their station. The frequency is expected to be completely clear for this program, as then. Their slogan is the "Voice of the Bear River Valley". KBRV is now about four months old, and here is a chance for us all to add this new station to our logs. So be sure to be at "the top of the dial" at 4:00 EST for this fine new station. Len Kruse

Sun. Feb. 16 5:00-5:30 W C N G - 540 - Canonsburg, Pennsylvania Floyd Bert, CE
 This, too, is a re-schedule of a program expected last month. At the time they were to have gone on the air then, a power failure cropped up and prevented their appearing for their DX Test. So, they have been asked to come on on this date for another DX Test, which they are very willing to do. This channel will still be clear, we feel, and that means we all have a good chance for them. WCNG is directional, so some might find them a bit weak, but they would like to know just how they come in in your area. WCNG opened in September of 1957. Let's tune in! Len Kruse

Mon. Feb. 17 2:00-3:00 K T E T - 1220 - Livingston, Texas Will W. Coker, M.
 This is another of our Texas Tests arranged for by Bill Stone. Now 1220 kilocycles should be completely clear at this hour, even though it is not yet midnight on the Pacific Coast, so everybody ought to have a good crack at them. At present, KTET is operating from 7:15 a.m. to 5:45 p.m. Central Time, and all their equipment is RCA. KTET is also a new station, having come on the air this past autumn, when some of us were fortunate enough to happen upon their equipment tests. Let's all tune them in on this special test, and report our reception, and our thanks too. Bill Stone

Mon. Feb. 17 2:00-4:00 W S Y D - 1300 - Mount Airy, N.C. Robert H. Epperson, M. CE
 Here is another station many need, whom some of us heard during the KLUE test a few weeks ago conducting an equipment test. This two-hour test will feature music and information about Mount Airy, and about WSYD. They have a five kilowatt transmitter, and their old 1340 kilocycle 250 watt job, which is now serving as an auxiliary transmitter. Our member "Sweet William" Ashley will appear on this program, eventhough he works at WPAQ in the same city. After 3:00, the West Coast stations should be off, and that means they ought to have clear sailing coast to coast. Bill Ashley

Mon. Feb. 17 2:45-3:45 K V O E - 1400 - Emporia, Kansas Ed McKernan, P. GM.
 KVOE is going all out for this program for us, and will use our official theme march several times, as well as the State of Kansas' official song. Mr. McKernan says KVOE will be most happy to confirm all correct reports, and in fact, are eagerly looking forward to our letters. They are in one of the finest areas in the land for ground conductivity so they may penetrate the other 1400 stations which might be on at this time. Frequent IDs and familiar tunes and information about Emporia will round out a fine hour for all DXers. So tune for Kansas' Voice of Emporia. Len Kruse

Mon. Feb. 17 3:00-4:00 K V I P - 540 - Redding, California Ted Dooley, M.
 Another DX Test on 540 for us! Again we look forward to a clear channel, and we hope everyone will land this new station. Mr. Dooley didn't inform us as to what his test will consist of, but we should imagine there will be station breaks after every number to help everyone identify this program. They are awaiting our DX letters and will be happy to verify every correct report they receive. Most of our members, of course, need this station, and now they have a wonderful opportunity of logging KVIP on this hour-long test period. Be sure to report in! Francis Nittler

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Mon. Feb. 17 3:00-3:30 K B B C - 1600 - Bountiful, Utah Ed McCleery, C.E.

"The Voice of Davis County" has been on regular schedule only since December, and just about every member needs KBBC in his log. Now we expect 1600 to be clear of everybody except KLAQ, which seems to have no silent period ever, but most of us ought to be able to tune them in successfully. Mr. McCleery did not mention what the program content would be, but again, frequent station IDs will be expected. Please note this location - Bountiful, Utah, which is different from our Log listing. We hope their thousand watts pound out all across the country and even beyond. Len Kruse

Mon. Feb. 17 3:30-4:30 W T A W - 1150 - College Station, Texas Art Holt, PM

Here is one of radio's real veteran broadcasters, joining our Texas-on-the-Air series. They were the first station in history to broadcast an athletic event play by play, under the call letters 5YA, on Thanksgiving Day in 1919, when they aired a football game between Texas University and Texas A & M! Mr. Holt has a very interesting hour prepared for us, including the history of WTAW, and of their locality. They hope for a large audience, and in spite of having been on the air so many long years, still many DXers are still missing WTAW from their logs. Everybody tune in! Bill Stone

Mon. Feb. 17 4:00-4:30 K P I N - 1260 - Casa Grande, Arizona John W. Parham, GM

KPIN states they would be very happy to arrange for a special test broadcast for DXers, and so this is that program. They have a very unique letterhead which all will prize in their verification albums. This channel is never completely clear of all-night stations, but still most should still catch KPIN. KGIL and CRRN will probably be on, and the Colombian on 1258 too. KPIN is also a new station, and they have as their slogan "The Music You Like Best." The mailing address is P.O. Box 66. So, our best to Mr. Parham, and we hope everybody catches new KPIN. Dick Northrup

Mon. Feb. 17 4:00-4:30 W M L F - 1230 - Pineville, Kentucky Cal Smith, GM.

This station has been on the air for slightly less than one year now, but scant few DXers have managed to tune in upon their signals as yet. Now, with this special test, many of us will be able to fill that void handily. Only WNOR and KNUZ are expected to be on the air at this time on this frequency. Incidentally, Mr. Smith is an old friend of ours, having had a hand in arranging and airing the DX Test from Station WACL-1580 in Manchester, Ky. last season - remember? Here's hoping, then, we all add this station to our logs as they broadcast this half-hour DX Test for us. Len Kruse

Mon. Feb. 17 - 4:30-5:30 K V E T - 1300 - Austin, Texas W.B. Morter, CE.

And our Texas series rolls along with KVET carrying the ball. Better tune in at the beginning, before the 5 a.m. sign-on-ers and warm-up carriers knock the signal out, at least in the East. KVET goes back a good number of years, but is very seldom heard by the DX fraternity, having no early morning test periods. They did not specify what they would do for their hour, but look for a very fine show, including popular selections and frequent station breaks, and information about their station and Austin, the Capital City of Texas. All be sure to tune KVET in for a fine show! Bill Stone

ON THE STATION'S STATIONERY - K F H - 1330

(In reply to Len Kruse's request for a 15 minute stand-by for the WICU-dx of 2/3/58)
Dear/Mr. Kruse:

"I am in receipt of your recent letter asking KFH to stand by for a 15 minute period on Monday, February 3rd, from 3:30-3:45 a.m. CST.

"This is a very unusual request and one I would certainly like to acknowledge, knowing how much it must mean to you and the other Club members. I'm afraid that with previous commitments in this time period, as well as a definite service to our listeners, we will be unable to go along with you.

"Our Chief Engineer informs me that you should have no appreciable amount of interference from KFH, since we go directional at night, and favor WICU, also it's my thinking that if something big should break news-wise in the area, we would not be able to cover it, being off the air during this time period.

"Maybe sometime in the future something can be worked out."

Sincerely (signed) Don Anderson, P.D. KFH, Wichita, Kansas.

WE HOPE YOU WILL ALL DROP THEM A CARD AND SUGGEST MONDAY IN LIEU OF SUNDAY FOR THEIR SILENT MORNING, WHICH WOULD OPEN UP 1330 PRETTY WELL FOR MOST OF US ON MONDAY MORNINGS.

Pat Reilly - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York.

Veries back are KPOK WTRA WSME WBUZ WMOF WEEP WMMS. Still have 33 new reports out yet. 1/30- KGRN DX OK for new one. KBMO and WINE OK here but both are old ones in long. WSIZ caught for new one. WBAW DX also a new one. Who was Spanish behind it? 1/21- WKIS, 740, chasing escaped prisoner at 2:08. One on 1270 seesawing in and out at 3:10 but didn't hear a call given and quite weak. XEK, ex-XEDF, 960, f/c for Kansas City at 3:40 to 4:00 $\frac{1}{2}$ for a new one. 1/23- WJAK, 1460, f/c at 2:56, very noisy, 380 and raining hard at 2:10 a.m. WWNH, 930, DX was OK here. 1/23- CHAB, 800, 2:05. WTRB at 2:19 atop XERF. WOKO, 1460, test at 2:36. TT atop WSAN on 1470 at 3:20 but no voice used. 740 had a very weak one at 2:10 with a crowd applauding but too weak to catch any call. 1/24- WPIT at 2:30 with test on 730. WTAL, 1270, test at 2:55. WEVD, 1330, off at 3:00. 820 had an unknown 4:05 to 4:20 but no voice and I to bed as it was very noisy today. 1/25- KML, 1580, test at 2:08. Unknown TT on 1590 atop WAKR at 2:30. Unknown testers on 910 1300 and 1440 up to 4:10 but no voice heard on any of them. Nearly 20" of wet snow dumped onto us today, side streets not plowed until after supper. Will catch up in letter writing later, I hope.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The new 5,000 watt daytimer WQIC (1390) Meridian, Miss. was heard with its RS of programs on Sunday 1/19 from 7-7:30 a.m. with some QRM from WTJS. In a letter varie from Tom Moore, PD at WQIC, he stated my report was the farthest received during their RS of programming. Then on Monday, 1/20, the four DXes slated for the NRC on that morning were heard by me at this den, namely KGRN (1410) Grinnell, Iowa; KBMO (1290) Benson, Minn.; WINE (1080) Kenmore, N.Y. and WSIZ (1310) Douglas, Ga. The latter three were all new to my DX Log. I really enjoyed the DX from KGRN with Bob Gorsuch as MC, and it was good to hear the voiced of fellow members over the airwaves, ones like: Ray Edge, Bill Prater, Norm Maguire, Dick Nortrup, etc. Let's hope KGRN gets many many good reports of reception after putting on such a grand DX. The KBMO DX was heard with difficulty, as KRLD decided to go AN, which is a rarity for them being on the air on a Monday morning. The WSIZ DX came in fair, and much of the time they topped AN WRR, at this location. Also on 1/20 I heard the new KZEY (690) Tyler, Texas on ETs from 4:19-4:30 a.m. Latest veries this past week were letters from: WRKH WQIC KLUK-dx WMMS-dx KDBM, and cards from WTRA-dx and WEMB.

"Uncle" John R. Boase - 1426 Marion Way - Santa Ana, California

14 January and the 11 January bulletin received today reminding me to send in another report. November finds 14 reports out with eight veries back. Of the 14, three were foreign with two back, namely WORA 1150, HJKC 840. December finds 25 reports out with 11 veries back, of which six were foreign, with three veries back in the fold. Stations presenting DXes seem quite slow in answering this year with KOMB being the exception. Lefty, how did you get that coverage map from WHOW? I find them quite interesting but very few are ever received here. In December the DXes from KDUZ KPOR KOMB KPOK and KASH were heard here. Foreign veries from December include KEAC 790, XEDX 1010 and KHVH 1040. For several days before Christmas a station was heard on 1520 kc/s, which was ided correctly (I hope) as XEGD Parral, Chih. Still waiting for an answer. XEDX 1010 was heard with a special Christmas broadcast, varie in English says transmitter Gates Hi-Watter 250 watts, so doubt if 1000/250 as in Foreign Section. How could you Fred? Antenna 125' vertical, with frequency checked by a government monitoring station in Hermosillo, no RS but always about 5:00 EST because of KCHJ, also on 1010. Varie from XERC was a form letter in English. They sent two to make sure I got one of them I guess. CKWX went them one better. Report sent with Canadian postage brought back a varie and an American dime. Guess I'll have to send them a few more reports, hi! December reports are out to KDUZ KAAA KPOR KIKI KHVH KOMB KVOY KPOK XEGD KOBY EKWX KALM X RC KHEY WBYE CFERN XEDX KTEE KBIF KUTY KASH CFUN CKY KOCS KEI 5,000 watts. Tes 5,000, not 50,000, varie received verifying specifically 5,000 watts. Every Monday they test their 5,000 watt auxiliary transmitter between 3:10 and 3:30. The auxiliary transmitter is located in downtown Los Angeles using a horizontal antenna while the 50 kw. rig is located in Buena Park 20 miles from L.A. where they have a 750' vertical antenna. One of the nicest veries in many a moon was received from KOCS, Ontario Cal. on 1510. Hope to go to 1,000 watts in four months at which time their signal will be beamed to the Southwest. A Saturday visit with Manuel Barraza the CE of KOCS brought about a gracious invitation to dinner for myself and family (can't P. 7)

(John Boase, con'd from Page 6) plus the translation to Spanish of my letter requesting a verification plus the letter I use for f/ups. For the last two weekends have been busy typing up f/ups in English and Spanish, a couple of more weekends ought to get me all caught up. The New Year has brought three more ANs, KATF 990, KFXM 590, KLIX 1310...

Ed Cope - Rodney 2, Michigan

Hi fellow DXers. It's been many a moon since I contributed to this column, so here goes. Since my accident last October I haven't been able to do much, so with the help of my wife, I've been doing a bit of neglected DXing. I now have all my cast off, but don't get around much yet as my leg is giving me trouble yet. I go back for more Xrays first of February. Since my return from the hospital in December I've logged some 80 stations which I needed, including most of the Specials for our Club. I have 37 reports out as of to date 1/25/58 and 43 veries back. I average two out and two in a day. ~~Some of my latest reports~~ Some of my latest veries in are letters from WCCN WAMO KGHL WMIL WDF KHEY WEEP WTVN WZYX KOPY WMAX WKTX KGAS WPRS WCIC WHFB WTRC WTRU WAMN WNXT WMIL WELD WSTL WGMA WTLB WFBM WTRC WMNS WCUB WTUC KRIB WTRA WBRB WHBI and others. With the WHBI verie, I received a cigarette lighter. A few of my reports still out are KTML 1580 WVNA 1590 KJAY 1440, these were heard on 1/25/58. Some of the others are WRWB 1220, KCJB 910, WJJC 1270, WTAL 1270, WIRJ 740, WSIZ 1310, KGRN 1410, KBMO 1290, WINE 1080, KWEB 1270, KQDY 1320, KBHS 590, WRVK 1460, KBOM 1270, WEBC 560, WKBX 1330, WKIX 1440 WIBC 1250 WAIM 1590, WMGR 930. I want to thank Ores Wilson and all the other NRC gang who sent me cards and letters. Thanks, fellows. Well, "nuff" said for this time, won't promise but will try to report again later. I received my Weyrich Lcg. Sure is tops, and I will say the CPC boys are doing a wonderful job. (Welcome back to DX NEWS, Ed, and we hope you're feeling much better now -Ed.)

Ores Wilson - 226 North 4 Street - Reading, Pennsylvania

Veries: A card from WEZE-1260, and letter from WEAM-1390, "The Washington area's most powerful independent." 1/18- WVPO-dx heard very weakly here, poor reception. 1/22- WWNH-dx was loud and clear with their 5,000 watts, about as good as WPER-950. Also received Bulletin #17 today. I see that there is a CP for a new station in Kingston, Pa. on 1150 kc/s., at the cost of \$44,000. Letter from WWNH-dx came in. Amused at the report of Louis Rewald. Yes, DXing sure does hepp us lose rest, all right. Twenty-five veries per season is enough for me. Some of the other stations of the early days of radio were: PWX, Havana, CYR Mexico City, WTAZ Lambertville, N.J., WKJC Lancaster, Pa., WODA, The O'Dea Temple of Music in Paterson, N.J., WMRJ Jamaica, L.I., WCBA Allentown, Pa. and WIEW Carbondale, Pa. with ten watts power, if I recall all these correctly. And didn't WQBL, St. Albans, Vt. use five watts? "The North Country stations of Vermont" are WIKK Newport, WTVN St. Johnsbury and WNIK, Springfield, at Box 662, St. Johnsbury, Vt. WIKK-1490 sent a fine v/1 from the manager. I see the new S-38-# is on the market now. 73s.

Bill Prater - Grimsley, Tennessee

Reports out this past week to the following stations: 1/18- KEVE 1440 6 p.m. on RS for another try for a verie. 1/20- KGRN- 1400 DX heard with a fair signal, Bob and Jerrell put on a swell DX show. KBMO 1290-dx was real tough under the QRM from KOIL. WINE-1080 DX heard to 5 a.m. with a good signal in spite of KRID QRM. WSIZ 1310-dx heard over QRM from WCAM and WRR. 1/21- At 7:29 a.m. on 1170 kc/s. I heard a LA station that I am almost positive IDed as XERP in Reynosa, Tams. Mexico; a report sent to find out, maybe a change from XERD of Rio Bravo which used to be frequently heard here. On 1/23 I sent a new report to "Radio Centro" 1030 XEQR to signer listed in DX NEWS; reception was from 2:45 to 10:15 p.m. 1/24- KEAV 580 heard to 1:32 a.m. s/off. KWMT 540 logged very good from 6:01 to 6:15 p.m. s/off. 1/25- KBCS 730 ET with OC and tone with infrequent IDs from 2:30 to 3:30 a.m. WTWB 1570 caught briefly at 6 p.m. s/off. WAIP 1270 ditto at 6:15 p.m. New veries in to bring total to 3,258 from: WSIZ-1310-dx, KLUE-1300 dx, WQIC-1390, WMDP-1580, TGTO-810, WEEP-1080-dx, CMHU-720, XELZ-1440, WEZE-1260, WTRA-1480 -dx and WRAM-1330-dx. Guess that's all I have this week. Hope I can hear Raleigh Biss on KDES-dx tomorrow morning but TIRS is a powerhouse here. 73 and best of DX all.

John W. Hoogerheide - 2208 Fairfax Road - Bakersfield, California

Please be advised that effective immediately, change my address from 830 30th Street to 2208 Fairfax Road, Bakersfield, California. Have been DXing promise to report soon but this newly-wed. Business keeps me constantly on the go. 73s. (Business? Hi -Ed.)

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

Only new catch is WDXR 1560, caught at its daily 2 a.m. s/off. Recent veries are letters from: KLUE WMTN WSIZ WRAM WCCN and WEEP.

Buddy Giles - 2844 Guilford Lane - Oklahoma City 20, Oklahoma

DX has been good with improved WX CX. Heard have been: 1/21- ECLP 990 r/c. 1/22- WJJC 1270 r/c and WTAL 1270 test, both at same time. KTCN 1480 new Berryville, Ark. on ET 2:35-2:43 a.m. Had been on 1 1/2 hours. KVLV 1250 r/c. F/ups sent to: "Radio Jamaica" 720 kc/s. and Montego Bay 1180. WLEO letter back, said not they - that no one got their DX - would repeat March 17th 3:00-3:30 a.m. 1/27- WAKE 1340 AM, KDES-920 DX fine, not needed, some QRM. WBHC not on again here. Spanish speaker in background, KLYD 1350 ET (thanks to Raleigh's tip) and WRKH 580 heard. Who signed off 1570 ET at 2:50? Veries: WSYD WCKR WGSV WHHY KURA WIRC KLUE-dx KDDD-dx WEEP-dx, WMTN-dx WCCN-dx and WWBD. 73 to all.

Grant Batson - Sherman Road - R-1 - Westfield, New York

Again another report, reports not too many. 1/24- KGMO f/c on 1220 kc/s. 1:25-1:35 a.m. with CJRL QRM, not too bad. 1/27- WBHC-dx didn't show up here as I was tuned to 1270 kc/s. for an hour. KDES-dx was snowed under a bad carrier on 920 kc/s., some disturbance seemed to indicate they were on, but no report due to QRM, a thanks card sent, also to WBHC, hoping another time will DX. Disappointed in these two DXes. I turned to 630 kc/s. and at 4:12-4:45 a.m. copied solid ZFY for a dandy report. Am using an idea to try and get a QSL there. While fiddling around the dials heard one I want and think everyone else does too. At 2:35 a.m. on 1/24 WHTG Eatontown, N.J. close, signing off (rrrr). What makes me disgusted is this, this city is located right at the West gate to Fort Monmouth Army station where my daughter is stationed in the WAC. She has been there two years now. Was down there last summer on a quick trip. Also on 1/24 WTAL testing on 1270 kc/s. at 2:16 a.m., not needed. 1/25- WCLR ET on 1270 kc/s. at 2:30 a.m. and on later, again not needed here. Another tester I didn't know of till too late, 1480 kc/s., WREM Remsen, N.Y. tested 1:50-2:05 a.m., might be a fourth Saturday f/c, looks place up, and near Utica, N.Y., small town. 1/28- WSES 800 kc/s. net disaster nearby here. CJBC had a carrier on that was bad, topped S-9 plus 55 lbs. over S-9, tried tuning a bit low and did get SDs and NRC plugs and one selection, very tough to land. 1/29- WXLI TT on 1440 kc/s. 1:28-3:00 when I turned set off and back to bed. Covered KIL0 who signed off at 2 and KPRO didn't show too good after that. Five reports against 14 veries last week: WEEP WMMS WMDF WCCN KDDD WSIZ WCMT KENS KLUE WKTF. CKLW-TV QSL, and three QSLs on SW, "Radio Sofia" on 18 meters. Reckon I will admit the boys in Ponca City really did a great job in helping Carroll with that wonderful log, Ben Patch deserves a big cheer too, CPC men also rate a very big helpful thank-you too. These boys are a large part of the backbone of NRC.

Mrs. Elbert (Marie) Tewell - 228 South Lake Street - Carey, Ohio

Greetings from the Buckeye State so early in 1958! Yes, we are looking forward to the Convention in Findlay the last week of August with the HQ in the Phoenix Hotel. They ask that all reservations be made through us, with prices and other information coming to you in a later publication. We are looking for a record attendance this year including the ladies, too. We hope that all will feel free to contribute to the program any suggestions that are in your minds for both ladies and fellas. Let's have your ideas. This is your Convention and if we can make it better that is just what we aim to do. DXing here is going along nicely. My biggest thrill is reading the comments of you fellas that say a program was not on at the time stated when it was. Yes, the proof of the pudding is in the eating (listening in your case) but not all are as lucky as others in that it is better listening in some areas than others. Tough luck, but is all goes in the DX game. The ones we want the most kind are the ones we do not hear. Best of luck to all.

Pfc John A Callaman - US-56262551 - c/o PIO - 1st Bat Gp, 87th Inf., APO 162, NY, NY.

A Musing but not amusing! Reports nil, veries sparse. Only verie is Cairo, 773, with usual QSL card. Finally, the first half of the Weyrich Log and the December 9 issue of Broadcasting Magazine arrived, same mail. The slow boat finally came in. I'd thought it had sunk. Totals stand 55 veries in 31 countries. Really not very good. Representative, though, hi! Two of my last three stamps are air-mailing this to Brooklyn 26. Had planned on purchasing a Telefunken "Dacapo" receiver - which I described to Bernie Duffy - but Army pay says "no." Must begin to save a bit, so I can take my last leave before I go. Have about \$10 worth of postage, to and from, to purchase this month. Pay day's still three days away. For now, 73.

COME ON, NOW - ONLY TWO MORE MONTHS OF REGULAR WEEKLY ISSUES OF "DX NEWS." LET'S SEE REPORTS FROM SOME OF YOU LADS AND LASSES WHO HAVE BEEN SILENT FOR QUITE A TIME! LET'S MAKE THESE LAST TWO MONTHS OF THE SO-CALLED DX SEASON THE GREATEST IN N.R.C. HISTORY!

Gary Bassett - 4402 Church Street - Covington, Kentucky

(forwarded by Hal Wagner) This is my third report: 1/19/58- 550, three - KOY WGR WHLM-790, five - HOXY WOXI KFGO WAEB and later KNEV under XERC and KABC. 1340, five - WOOK KATO KBTK KCHJ, XEAS in asfully poor. 1420, CKOM CMCG for a verie. 1490- KIOG was behind GLOX, WSRS etc. 980 - CFPL was coming in good. I was surprised when KBIS was coming in over KAKC for a minute. The others for this date are: KCHJ-1010, CHVK-980, WJBW-1230, KSMA-1240, CJCS-1240, KTW-1250 and WFVG-1460. I got a letter from John Bryant in Stillwater, Okla. I would appreciate a letter from someone telling about all that these abbreviations are about. 1/25- 850, WHDH, CKVL; 860, XEMO, 1450 WSKP KONE KPAL WCTC WIMA OF DX. 990 - YVLR. 570 - KLAC, 1090 KING for a verie, 680 CHAF s/on with Star-Spangled Banner." 1/26- 1230, WCOL WJOB WITH WEAR KNUZ WJOR, all old. KGEH KRIZ and KDOT. (Where is KDOT?) KLAS, ex-1230 kc/s., 250 watts, 1010, 5,000 watts. 1270 kc/s., WHVR on for a polio drive, WWDC 1260, verie. On 850, four stations were heard: KOA CKVL KILA ? and ?? "Radio La Patico"-1100 for a verie, KBYR-1270 with WKYR QRM, WHGR-1290 cops it off for 1/26. Ed., I got WDTV and WEUC in early morning. 1090, two foreign stations coming in poor, I believe one to be Bratislava I, Europe. 1/27- KOCY s/off, WBHC-dx not heard here in Kentucky. KDES-dx with QRM and QRN over TIRS. Others for this date are: KPRL KVED CMCI KYA WIMC and PRG-9, also TIRS. My veries since last report are: WEAN KMON WCAM KTBC WDOL WRCA CJMS CJIC XERC and CHUM. My total veries is 263.

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

Starting where I left off last week on 1/23, WHKY-1290, Hickory, N.C. was heard at 6 o'clock s/on but immediately covered by many stations so no report available. 1/24, I was most pleasantly surprised to log KAMD-910 Camden, Ark. on the five minute r/c. 1/27- Though not needed, WIMC-1290 Ocala, Fla. noted on MD program at 3:15 and WEZE-1260 Boston, Mass. with TT at 3:18, also not needed but no WBHC was heard but an unmodulated carrier on 1270 until 3:48 and no WBHC heard at all. I wonder if they "forgot" again? At 4:00 WKYR s/on as usual. Tuned 920 at 4:00 for the KDES DX but no luck with ID as only a TT was heard through the Spanish speaker and I hung on until 4:15 when I gave up in disgust. A free Monday AM with but two DXes listed, both needed and neither heard, bah. Now for the DX Mail Bag starting with 1/13- The 1/11 DX NEWS, a special letter from Hal Wagner and a v/1 from WTKO-1470 for 1/6 f/c for verie #119 from New York. 1/15- a swell v/1 from Bill Prater for the WCLC DX for #73 from Tennessee and verie # 1840 of which 36 have been signed by NRC or NNRC members. (Thanks a million, Bill). 1/17- An old WVDA QSL card rubber stamped WEZE-1260 and a v/1 from VP4RD-730 for a new BCB country. 1/18- Nice appreciation letter from KTUT-990 and he advised us to watch for a new DX in February. 1/20- Two v/1s WEAM-1330 for NRC DX and ditto for KPOK-1440 plus a letter of appreciation from Ruth Ruby, Secretary of KSPL-1260 for my thank-you note as I did not hear them. 1/24, a plain card from WEER-1570 and letter from WEEP-1080 for NRC DX. 1/29- Letter, WSIZ-1310 NRC DX and a duplicate from WWIN-930 NNRC DX; this was unsolicited. 1/30, form letter, WYDE-850. I tried over five years to get them to verify WILD on that frequency but no luck and this was back in two weeks. 1/30 to wind up January a form letter from "Radio Jamaica" Montego Bay-1180 and a nice handwritten letter from the CE of KAMD-910 for their short f/c on 1/24. That's quick action all right, hi. Veries now total 1,849 against 2,049 BCB reports in nine years and one month of active DXing. CE of KAMD states in his letter that my report is the first he ever received from a DXer using a tuned loop antenna. He also states that their f/c period is for ten-15 minutes but they usually finish in five to seven minutes. 78 till next week.

C. B. Gerstner - 9853 Escanaba Avenue - Chicago 17, Illinois

Latest veries include, WSIZ WMTN KDDD KBHS WCCN WEMB and CKSL. Veries now total 601 with many reports still out. Some loggings of the past week were: 1/26- 4:28 5:00 1280, WHVR MD not needed here. 5:05-5:08, 1480, WLOK. 5:09-5:11 1490, KTOP atop mess. 5:30 s/on 1280, WQIK. 1/27- Neither WBHC nor KDES heard here, doubt if the former was on. As for the latter, about the only Pacific Coasters I can hear this season are the old stand-bys, KFI KNX and a few more and they are far below par. However that morning I logged and reported KNUZ on 1230 (WJOB has quit ANing and s/off at 3:00* and WIMC, 1290, on MD marathon. 1/28- Station behind CMBL with hillbilly music but doubt if it was WSBS DX. No more DX until this morning 1/30 when KTBC, 590, was logged and reported with s/off time at 2 a.m. Reception here has been far below par all season. I hope some of the other boys are doing better. 73.

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

Only four DX mornings since the last report. Static seems to dominate here in the early mornings. Last Monday, 27th, was a blank here as not a one new to me was heard. Everything seemed to be distorted. TIRS was fair on 920 and a steady hum so no KDES DX. Thank you card was sent to them, also the WBHC DX did not show and doubt very much if on as a Spanish one dominated 1270 kc/s, till 4 when WKYR came on RS. Here is the DX since 1/17- CBJ-1580 RS at 11:30 p.m. KEYS-1440 RS 11:25. 1/19- Two new ones added. They were WNKY-1480 kc/s. from 1450 on ETs and KRGV-1290 Weslaco Tex. on MD. 1/20 was the best DX morning of the season when all the DXes were logged. How about that fine DX from KGRN - wasn't that a real one? I enjoyed hearing the voices of Bill P., Len K. Pop Edge, Norm Maguire and the others, also the tape of Hank Holbrook. In addition to the DXes I also logged KRAK-1140 who was on AN, also WTHE-1440 who is AN Mondays in Spartanburg, S.C. Several veries have come in since the 17th and here they are - PP card from WZOK-1320, XEQR-1030 sent my PP card back and a few days later two v/s were received from them. WTRA-dx sent a very nice QSL card. W/1 from XERC-790 KSPL-dx WEEP-dx WAMB-1580 for March '57 report, KLUE-dx WBLO-1470, WCCN-1370, KBHS-dx PP card from XETU-980, WSIZ-dx WATP-dx KVIN-dx, thanks to Hank Ward, WTHE-1400 and a very nice picture postcard from HJED-920, Cali, Colombia. On the 27th XET-990 was heard AN, WIMC-1290 MD, KPOP-1020 fair with the Spanish station on 1015 kc/s. AN. Hope I can catch enough for a report some morning. HJEW 111- was real good again this Monday morn. Seems like the SAs were coming in better than the USA ones. Guess that's all for this time, best DX and 73s. Hope you all log HROW come Sunday morn.

Stan Morss - R.R. 3 - Bradford, Massachusetts

1/23- YVKQ 1160 3:31-4:00 with Revolution, also YVLN 890, 4:17-4:43 for new ones. WCOP off this AM. 1/24- WEAW WARM WMLT all s/on 1330 at 5 a.m. WERH 970 topping QRM at 5:05. WVIP s/on 5:56. WBRX 1280 s/on 5:58 both new but swamped by others so no report. Veries WIDU WMDF KCFI WEEP WYTI who says now using 1,000 watts. 1/24, p.m., PJC-2 Willenstad, Curacao reported 8:10-8:45 p.m. on 865 kc/s. 1/26- WHVR 1380 AN for MD. WIOD s/on 1360 at 5:50. 6 a.m. report to Montego Bay 1180 to fade out 6:35. WBLA 1440 s/on 7. WSDB 1430 s/on 7:17, QRM by WWGS. WANC 1430 s/on 7:25 a.m. WNAV and WNJR at 7:50. Verie from WMMF. 1/27- Oldenburg 1586 and Nurenburg 1602 fair signals 1:40. WIMC AN Marathon 1:50 a.m. WLDB 1490 to 2:03 1/2 RS, MBS Barry Gray show for a new one. EBC 1214 very good signal 2:10. WIRY to 3 a.m/ s/off. WQSN off this AM. WTIK on top of 1450. No sign of WEHC. WROX 1430 3:19, no KDES but CX were poor to the West, so didn't expect too much. WCFR and KLUE veries. 1/28- VTAL 1270 musical test. WCOP off. WORA s/on RS at 4:41. WCEN 1150 at 5:04 a.m., QRM by CHSJ. WCOP carrier on 5:24 a.m. WSBS 800 DX with QRM by CMBL and CJBC carrier was on also. A batch of EKKO stamps in today and now affixed to the proper verification thanks to Hank Tyndall's article on them in DX NEWS a while back. Verie, KDDD for NNRC DX. 1/29- WANI 920 ET 3:10 a.m., QRM by WOKY, all classical stuff. WQOK 1440 testing 1:49 a.m. WCMR testing on 1270 2:40. Someone on 1460 with Kitty Wells records at 3:05, no ID, heard off 3:12. WCOP off, and KRKD "on top". of 1150 with another weak one.

Francis H. Nittler - 2305 South Lincoln Street - Denver 10, Colorado

Here it is time for another report. I listened only Sunday and Monday mornings the past week so not too much to report. On Sunday 1/26 I added KLYD (1350) Bakersfield on ET and also heard Monday. On 1/27 the swell DX heard from KDES and enjoyed listening to Raleigh and daughter Vicki although KDES already verified. They were on for over an hour and hope everyone managed to log them. Did add three new ones to my log when WEZY (1420) was heard with s/on at 5:00 but followed very closely by s/on of WLOK so not much for a report. Then heard WETU (1250) on RS at 5:31 and WCRT (1260) with s/on at 3:02. Only other new logging for the week was heard just a few minutes ago when I added KSAC (580) at 6:25 p.m. on RS. Veries in during the week came from KVIN-dx thanks to Hank Ward, KVRH (1340) WKYK (1380) WSPD (1370) WLOL (1330) CKRC (630) KWKC (1540). There was a very interesting article in the Denver Post about radio and the consensus of opinion seemed to be that radio has gone to the dogs, at least as far as local stations are concerned with two more locals having switched over this week to the "Top 40" formula. That makes KMYR KIMN KTLN KUDY KOSI locally all with nothing but the so-called "formula." Also note local KMYR has been sold for \$400,000. The present owners purchased KMYR only two years ago for 150 grand so would say they made a neat profit. A total of 22 new stations added during January with about 50 reports sent out. Now if I could only get out of bed and do some listening during the week I would really catch up with Hank Tyndall, hi. The best of DX to everyone. 73s.

Roy H. Millar - Route 2 - Box 3704 - Issaquah, Washington

DX? Yes sir, a bit! Tis: Jan. 12- KFXM-590 AN and cooing any chance at KBHS/CHRS DX es. KVBC-1390 (ex-1240) s/on 8 a.m., just ahead of KGER. Jan. 13- KUPI-980 only DX heard, and that very poorly. Jan. 17- KDBM-800 r/c with good signal topping CKOK. Jan. 19- New CKRM-570 s/on at 9:30 a.m. not better than even with KLUB/KLAC. Jan. 20- Blanked on all DXes including NNRC programs on 740 where KFQD-730 was just too much for the Silvertone; very disappointed to find KRLD/CHED covering 1080 where I had my Navy radio set. Jan. 23- VOA-1180 ID at 10 a.m. with fairly good signal so logged for Foreign Contest. Jan. 25- New KFKF-1330 Bellevue, Wash. testing. Jan. 27- KDES-990 DX barely audible; KLAN-910 really giving them the works here. Hope I got enough for a verie, but doubt it. KLAN-910, KQTY-1230 and KTW-1250 are real Monday AM trouble here. Jan. 29- "Pan American Broadcasting Station" giving frequency as 1020 and time as CST at 11:30 p.m. with announcements in English and Spanish presumed to be TGUX; CHBZ-830 "Radio Salas" with very nice signal at 11:59 p.m. Veries: KVIN-1470-dx, WKLK-1440-dx, KENL-1340, KTRI-1470, KFJM-1370-dx, KAYT-970, CFSL-1340, KVIP-540, KILA-950, WKJB-710, KRNS-1230-dx KNUZ-1230, WCCN-137 -dx, KDDD-800-dx, KDBM-800, WMTN-1300dx and KXLO-1230. The KDBM and KXLO veries give me 30 Montana verified, with only KGHL KCAP KLTz and KVCK unverified. The KRNS KNUZ and KXLO veries on 1230 point up something interesting; of the last 25 stations logged on 1230, 100% have verified! My latest unverified logging on 1230 goes back to 12/19/55 and KGFJ. Total veries on 1230 number 46, with best being WBLA WNOR WEAR WHIR WNIA. Only foreign verified is KIFW, but JOHR and CMCO have been logged, though never answered reports back in '52. Some have recently mentioned a few old calls that bring back memories here; Wonderful Isle of Dreams for many years was my southernmost U.S. verie until the 1500-1600 band opened and WKWF had clear sailing on 1600 for a time; WBRB in Red Bank, N.J. was one of the best East Coasters, I don't recall if AN or ju st an early s/on; W8XO was the most powerful station every verified until "VOA" on 1140 and 1180 came along; WCAX and WNLC were my prized and only New England "graveyarders" while WQDM was my first New England verie. Perhaps these comments will date me, but it's always interesting to me to read about some of the "ancients." It is strange that I never ran into the NRC until '52, but sure glad I did then! 73.

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, New York

DX really took a drop this past week. On 1/27 was on hand for 127--WBHC but heard nothing but a carrier that came on and off but no announcements at all. 1230, TT on here too but no announcement; 560 a TT on here till 3:53 and again no announcement. 1270-WKYR s/on for RS; 920, TT on, weak, but no KDES was heard. 1/28- 850 WSBS tough as CJBC had their unmodulated carrier on and with some queer noises at times. Send what I got and today was rewarded with a verie whdch says despite that I did not get too much, they were pleased to verify what I submitted as it was definitely transmitted from WSBS at the time I listed. Agree with Herb Campbell about the Old Timers writing in. As we old timers know too well the personal correspondence just gets less and less and by a report in DX NEWS it would give a little info on what a fellow is doing. V/ls in from WCCN WSIZ WWHH KBHS KVIN and card from WSBS bringing total up to 2,027. This coming week looks bad for me, DXes on Feb. 3-4-5-6 all weekday mornings and no working days. Wonder if WMOK on 920 in Metropolis, Ill. is the home of Super-Man? Well, that's it and again, loads of good DXing to all.

J. Warren Routzahn - 231 South West Street - York, Pennsylvania

This should turn out to be brief as most activity here was sent to Stan. Jan. 20 the biggest morning here this season with six reports sent out. Best for returns was five verifs in one day last week. Most DX here is the DX Specials and then the f/cs. Very little "fishing." Verifs since last report were received from WEHH WMNS WSTL WGHIA WTLB WHEY WCOY WKLK XERC WAMP WBLT WCLC WTRA WRAM WMCW KPOK KGHM WZYX WMDP WMS WREP WITT WCCN WSIZ KDBS WPL KDBM WEMB KLUE CKRC KBHS WGMT KVIN KIHO WDOL. WTHE topped the 1400 crowd Jan. 20 making the sixth report that AM. 1/21- KDBS f/c through WING, WTCR 1420 f/c like a local. 1/23- Tried KIHO but not readable through KFJZ and others. WOKO-1460 testing at 2:20 and W2RO-1010 f/c and test at 2:30. 1/24- No WDOL-1470 on f/c at early time on list, but got them at 6 a.m. s/on. WPIT-730 ET to 2:40. 1/26- WTCR-1420 strong at 7 a.m. s/pn. WKIT-1520 good at 7:15 s/on even with WKBU's carrier an. 1/27- Tuned for WBHC after 3.30 and didn't seem to be on. KDES couldn't pass TIRS and a TT on their test so finally copied AN WYDE-850. 1/28- WTAL-1270 testing 3:45, WSBS-had plenty of trouble from CMEL and at 6 a.m. CJBC sank both of them. Took the rest of the week off from DX, hoping from HROW tomorrow as my foreign DX is about nil this season. Just can't do evening DXing. 73s to all.

Dick Northu - 507 1/2 Kimball Road - Iowa City, Iowa.

Snow and cold seem to have taken over here, but DX very good though I can't keep at it every night much as I'd like to. Veries coming in surprisingly well, and since last report are in from WJDB WTKO WDXR WCLC-dx (thanks, Bill) WCWC (three days) KSPL-dx WLYC WSYD WPLA WTRA-dx WNIL WBEF-dx KLUE-dx WMMS-dx (one of nicest I have ever received and from poor report), WRUS KBHS-dx WCMT WSIZ dx WTWB (from last spring) KVIN-dx (thanks, Hank) WPRY and WBER from last spring also: 1/13- KLUE c me in very clear on their Special despite some QRM from WSYD, Mt. Airy, N.C. also on 1300, so my score was two new ones at once there. Nothing on KUPI, but KWEB and KQDY were both like locals. Report finally sent to WDBM-550 on their s/on at 5 a.m. Much QRM this time from WVA. WGA, Gainesville, Ga. heard at 5:45 s/on. WPLA heard at 5 s/on also very strong here. Verie enclosed a bulletin which was read on their RS newscast reporting my reception. Very nice and unusual. 1/18- WNIL heard on f/c overriding KOIL. Then WMMS, Bath, Me. heard on NREC DX. Tough going through carrier but enough for report and verie already in. 1/20- All three NRC DXes heard and reported. KBMO had a rough time with KOIL powerhouse, but several announcements and numbers heard. WINE was fair to good but equal or over KRLD most of the time. WSIZ very loud and again verie is already in and a nice one too. WIRJ heard on NREC DX, and KQDY was very strong here. 1/25- WERY, 600 kc/s., heard on f/c at 3:00. Tone for a long time but only one announcement heard. 1/27- WBHC again failed to show on their scheduled DX. KDES DX was very poorly heard here what with TIRS in Costa Rica and strong unID carrier on. Hope I caught enough "scraps" for a verie. Then, thanks to bulletin tip, bagged WWBD, 790, on their s/on at 5:30. Very strong here, with WEAN fairly strong here too in background. 1/28, the much wanted WBSB was heard on their swell DX although CMBL gave them a rough time of it. Plenty for a report, though, at least I hope so. Had my National in the shop for a spell. Four new tubes and a couple of soldering jobs seemed to do the trick. Sure enjoyed the KGIN DX with Bob Gorsuch and enjoyed talking myself and hearing Len, Bill Prater, Ray, Joe, and Norm. 73s.

Karl Raymond - 763 29th Street - Manhattan Beach, California

DXes scheduled for Monday 1/20 here were a bust. Listened for 2 1/2 hours, heard nothing new. Monday 1/27 was little better. Heard Raleigh and Vicki on KDES DX with awful high line noise, verie not needed but taped small portion and sent to Raleigh. Heard KLYD 1350 longhazy ET 3:00 to past 5:00 and still going strong. For nice article on KMAM in Tallahassee, Fla. see write-up in TIME January 13 issue. This may explain why veries are slow in forthcoming not only from this but many other stations, although Buddy Giles reported receiving one. See KPIN is going to DX twice. I heard them in November '56 and second ET, f/up in May '57 and still no verie. Glad to see KVIP is going to DX and that KBRV is going to take another shot at it, sure hope I hear them this time. KOWL 1490 f/c has been chanced to third Monday 3:45-4:00. Manager of KOWL formerly at KUAM on Guam and at KVEN Ventura. KUBI DX on 1/13 as for everybody was very weak here. Finally heard KTOO f/c same morning 1280. The new KTEE 1410 was heard on ET also then finished out the morning hearing ET from KATT 990. Oh yes, also heard KDJI on f/c 4:30-4:45 1270 sent another report as they have never verified. For free world wide plastic time zone conversion dial send your name and address requesting same to Hallicrafters, 4401 West Fifth Avenue, Chicago 24, Ill. Rough weekend coming up with DXes on Monday and Tuesday. Good luck.

Pat Reilley - 226 Crossman Street - Jamestown, New York

Veries are KLUE WSIZ KBHS KVIN 1/26- Took a day away from BX and to bed early. 1/27- WATE ET on 620 at 3:35. TIRS raised heck here with KDES and a low tone all through program and a poor report to this new call for me. TT on 1470 at 2:48 and still on after WSAN signed on. 1320, 1270 also had tone but no voice. 1/28- CKDM, 730, copied hope they verify this report but I'll thank them for the WMMS DX stand-by. WEAL, 1270 on test 3:04. TT on 1150 at 2:56. TT on 1480 with AN WDAS. 1/29- TT with no voice on 1430 1400 1360 1580 690 with KHEY, 960 atop CKWS, too bad us DXers aren't mind-readers. 1/30- WATS, 960, off at 2:00 and a tone here with them and CKWS at 1:55. TT on 1150 again. WCMR, 1270, ET of new 5 kilowatt transmitter at 2:25. KRUX atop 1360 at 3:05. 1/31- KPNW, 900, test at 3:20 and mentioned NRC several times. Unknown on 1570 behind WNET, with Rock 'n' Roll music, plenty of data but no call heard at all. 1270 had tester here at 2:50 to 3:05 and off without any voice used. TT on and off on 1310 atop CKOY at 3:11 but no voice heard. 2/1- WEER, 1570, ET at 3:00 for new call. WJVA, 1580, test at 3:19, for another new call and a very old one in the old log.

Walter I. Goldy - 518 Jackson Avenue - River Forest, Illinois

Since December 1, 1957 I have added quite a few stations to my log here, and many thanks to the CPC for the wonderful array of programs they have lined up. Needed many of them and have obtained reception of a goodly number. Stations added have been WCGC Belmont, N.C. (v), XEOR Reynosa, Mexico (v), KMIN Grants, N.M. (v), KREO, Indio, Cal. (v), KIIYI Shelby, Mont. (v), WATP Marion, S.C. (v), WCLB Camilla, Ga. (v), WFLM, De Funiak Springs, Fla., WFLW Monticello, Ky., WDOB Canton, Miss. (v), KATZ St. Louis, Mo. (v), XEBX Sabinas, Mexico (v), WACL Waycross, Ga. (v), CHNO, Sudbury, Ont. (v), XEAK Tijuana, Mexico (v), WMSN Olean, N.Y. (v), WZYX Cowan, Tenn. (v), WEDR Birmingham, Ala. (v), KJLT, North Platte, Neb. (v), WSAR Fall River, Mass. (v), WGMA Hollywood, Fla. (v), KGMS Sacramento, Cal. (v), WFRX West Frankfort, Ill. (v), WSWO Laurinburg, N.C. (v), KSPI, Stillwater, Okla. (v), WMTN Morristown, Tenn. (v), XERC Mexico City (v), WIOD Sanford, Fla., KDSX Denison, Tex. (v), WDQN DuQuoin, Ill. (v), KBCL Bossier City, La., WQWC Ripon, Wis. (v), KPOK Scottsdale, Ariz. (v), WHEY Millington, Tenn. (v), WBYE Calera, Ala., WAMP Pittsburgh, Pa. (v), WCOP Boston, Mass. (v), WRPB, Warner Robins, Ga., WGHN Grand Haven, Mich. (v), WEEP Pittsburgh, Pa. (v), WGMT Martin, Tenn. (v), WGEE Indianapolis, Ind. (v), WHEP Foley, Ala. (v), WFMH Cullman, Ala., KBHS Hot Springs Ark. (v), KNEB Rochester, Minn., KLUE Shreveport, La. (v), KQBY Minot, N.D., KEMO Benson, Minn., WINE Kermore, N.Y., WBAW Barnwell, S.C., WSIZ Douglas, Ga. (v), WIBG Philadelphia, Pa. (v), WDBL Springfield, Tenn. (v), WJAK Jackson, Tenn. (v), WHPB Belton, S.C., KPOC Pochantas, Ark. and KTGB, Malden, Mo. Now I'll shut down the set for the balance of February, to take a cruise to the West Indies and Panama. See you soon.

Bill Stone - Apt. 112 - 540 Dundas Street East - Toronto 2, Ontario

1 Feb. - WKDM (may not be correct call - heard through cycle tone QRN, Charles City, Ind. on ET, on all AM, only call heard between 3:30-5:30 a.m.; WNO5 1590 S-9 on 5 a.m. s/on; 1570 WBER on ET 3:00-3:15; 2:30 a.m. on, 1150 WFPM and WFNS ET/M. WBER on speech only testing with KDK313; 2:14-2:18 s/off 1290 WHGR f/c-ET. 29 Jan. - WMI ET 3:15-3:45, still going (M), used TT on 30th, likely station who spoiled KDES DX on 27th 1460 3:00-3:10 WPNX ET, ID and OC only, a lot of TT on 960 kc/s., QRming CKWS, never any IDs readable, speech drops way down, when he gives it, any ideas? 1:40-1:50 1270 WCMR ET/M, then KFJZ till 2 s/off. Stations on 1340 and 1430 using TT most of morn, no IDs given; 1:25 on WAMY 1580 ET S-9 solid. 1/25, nil. 1/25, KTML 1580 ET 1:40-2:05 ET/TT, also on 1580 three morns in a row, never an ID, occasional TT, mostly carrier. WMC 1290 Ocala with MD 2:15-2:45 still going, 80 hour marathon announced; this on 27th. Pat, no kick on veries here - 45 received in month of January.

Bernie Duffy - 77 Livermore Avenue - Staten Island 2, New York

Letter veries are in from WDNT, Dayton, Tenn. and KBHS, Hot Springs, Ark. as well as a gloss printed card from WTRA Latrobe, Pa. and a typed postal from WHBG Harrisonburg, Va. 920 kc/s, brought me my two latest catches: WMANU Columbus, O. and WMOK Metropolis Ill. heard "battling it out" equally 2/3 at 4 a.m. WMSJ and WICU's DXcasts came in fairly well that morning, as did TIPG, 625, La Voz de la Victor, San Jose, C.R. as the latter presented presidential ER till s/off @ 3:47. I failed to get HROW and CKWK's DXes, sad to say.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

It was a pleasure to hear the fine DX Special from Station KDES (920) Palm Springs, Cal. on the morning of 1/27 with Raleigh Biss and his daughter, Vicki. Let's hope they received many fine reports of reception from this DX which lasted more than an hour. The other DX scheduled that morning from WBHC (1270) Hampton, S C. failed to show, and certain they were not on the air, or even 24 hours late as I checked at this den. With little time at the dials this week, I missed many of the ETers reported on the air like: WCLI (1440) in Dublin, Ga. or KLYD (1350) Bakersfield, Cal. or WMI (920) Columbus, O. etc. This week a half dozen verifications were added to my collection, coming from WPL KZEY WSIZ-dx KDBM KVIN-dx and KPFL. Total now stands at 3,138. With the DX season in the final two months, we urge all members to listen to the many fine DX Specials arranged by your CPC.

Charles P. Atneron - East Slough Road - Harvard, Massachusetts

Very little DX here this week since last report. Monday 1/27 reports to WHPB-1390 at 5 a.m. s/on over WFBL and WTOB-1380 at 5:30 a.m. s/on, on top of others but knocked out at 5:35 with OC of WAWZ. Enough for report. Sunday 2/2 up early to try for Special from HROW but too much CKVL with WEAT beneath, and much slop from WEEI testing. Not a loss for the morning as cleaned up CHNO-900 and fair report with very weak signal from CKDM-730. Very weak from 5:27-5:40 but signal strengthened from 6:11 to 6:25 as it began to get daylight so, to bed. Only one verie all week but a new country, my 33rd, Antego, Jamaica. 1340.

INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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FOREIGN CONTEST

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EASTERN LEAGUE

1. Kermit Geary, Pennsylvania. Adds 4VA PRC8 ZYX9 CMHS HJBD HJDC
VP4RD, TGD TIRA XEGR XEJJ XEMX XERC XEWB PJC7-2-----81
2. C. M. Stanbury, Ontario. Adds VP4RD HJAD Radio Yaounde XEAK
XERC-----80
3. Hank Holbrook, Maryland. Adds VP4RD ZYX9 ZYB5-----49
4. Roger Anderson, Virginia. Adds YVMF ZYX9-----39
5. Charlie Conley, Pennsylvania & Frank Wheeler, Pennsylvania-----0

CENTRAL LEAGUE

1. Jack Hathaway, Honduras. Adds none-----48
2. Everett Johnson, Illinois. Adds XEOK XEWK XEWA XEDM XEEW XEBG
XEQ-----29
3. Maurice Nittler, Colorado. No additions-----22
4. Harold Schrock, Illinois. No entries-----0

WEST COAST LEAGUE

1. Clarence Freeman, California. No additions-----119
2. Hank Wilkinson, California. Adds XERC-----51
3. Don Reynolds, California. Adds Peking, JOLB JOCK KAIM-----47
4. Roy Millar, Washington. No additions-----46
5. Albert Lehr, California. Adds KGU YVMF-----31

OVER ALL FIRST FIVE DXERS

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| 1. Clarence Freeman, West Coast | 119 | 3. C. M. Stanbury, Eastern | 80 |
| 2. Kermit Geary, Eastern | 81 | 4. Hank Wilkinson, West Cst | 51 |
| | | 5. Hank Holbrook, Eastern | 49 |

and let's get to the DX of the week now after looking at the standings.

NORTH AMERICA

NICARAGUA--Station on 1045 Kcs. seems to carry same baseball game as YNW, YNLU, and "Union Radio". (RA) Also reported by HW announcing as "La Air de la Victor, Managua". He thinks it is YNRL, Granada. He also heard the baseball game.

BRITISH HONDURAS--BHBS operates on 1280 Kcs. from 1300-1350 and 1800-2245. Operating only on SW on 3300 Kcs. (SW)

COSTA RICA--"Radio Sonora" (1035) and "Radio Excelsior" (1065) heard well most evenings. No call heard for "Radio Sonora" and call for "Radio Excelsior" seems to be TIWA instead of listed TIGG (Could be T I Double G in Spanish). The station on 1295 seems to be another "Radio Musical" in X San Jose. (R.) ("Radio Sonora" is supposed to be TIEM, -FV)

CUBA--PP card from CMKP (670) 1 Kw., Holguin, relays CMBC programs, reported 12/25. (EJ) Letter verie in from CMBC (690) Havana, "Radio Progreso", Cadena Nacional, Infanta Num. 105, Apartado No. 132, Havana, Cuba, for 11/1 report. Signer is Domingo Fernandez, Gerente. (EJ) Received a fine verie from CMHU (720) Cienfuegos, on a report of 1/7. They are part of a chain called "Radiotiempo" with stations CMHR (1570) Sagua la Grande, CMHA (1280) Santa Clara, CMHL (1450) Sancti Spiritus, and CMGX (1240) Matanzas. Verie states power of 250 watts. One of the best veries from the Caribbean area from here. Letter sent from Cienfuegos. Signer is Eddy Lopez Gutierrez. (HJW) Here are some changes from the FCC:

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| 820 | CMDT | Bayamo, Oriente | 250 | New call and move from Manzanillo. |
| 870 | CMDY | Holguin, Oriente | 250 | New station on. |
| 1070 | CMKS | Guantanamo, Oriente. | 250 | Move from 1290 Kcs. |
| 1080 | CMHE | Fomento, Las Villas. | 250 | Move from Encrucijada. |
| 1290 | CMKS | Guantanamo, Oriente. | 250 | Moved to 1070 Kcs. |
| | CMDG | Guantanamo, Oriente. | 250 | New station. |
| 1300 | CMAE | Pinar del Rio, P. del R. | 250 | New station. |
| 1550 | CMDV | Santiago de Cuba, Oriente. | 250 | New call and in operation. |

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MEXICO--Changes from the FCC are as follows:

560 XECC Tecate, Baja Calif. 250 Change from XEAK.
 910 XEHO Ciudad Obregon, Sonora. 250(1) Move from 1260 Kcs.
 920 XECQ Culiacan, Sinaloa. 100(5) Move from 1300 Kcs.
 1260 XEHO Ciudad Obregon, Sonora. Moved to 910 Kcs.
 1290 XEAP Ciudad Obregon, Sonora. 100(1) Increase in DAY power.
 1300 XECQ Culiacan, Sinaloa. 500(1) Move to 920 Kcs.
 XEXW Nogales, Sonora. 100(5) Increase in DAY power.
 1320 XERJ Mazatlan, Sinaloa. 500(5) Increase in DAY power.
 1400 XENG Huachinango, Puebla. 250 New station.
 1450 XENA Queretaro, Quo. 500(1) Increase in NIGHT power.
 1510 XESG Saltillo, Coahuila. 1000/DAY New Station.

(Note that the power listings above give the nighttime power first in watts followed in parentheses by the daytime power in kilowatts.)

Prepared card from XEQR (1030) for 1/8 report, Mexico, D. F., then a few days later 2 letter veries arrived. "Radio Centro", Artículo 123 No. 90, Mexico 1, D. F. (EJ) Letter verie in from XERC (790) "Radio Exito" for 10/20 report, same signer as XEQR, Joaquin Carranza. Same QRA as XEQR. (EJ) Prepared card from XETU (980) Tampico, for 1/13 report on FC for Kansas City, Mo. Cant read VS. (EJ)

CANADA--all stations poor except old faithful CBN (640) heard most evenings around 0100 GMT, but with only a fair signal. No others could be logged. (RP)

HAITI--"Radio Haiti" with English program and s/off at 1907 on 1/26. (HW) Logged on 1/23 in English until 2235 s/off. Program called "Music Paradise" scheduled for each Thursday. (BP)

BAHAMAS--ZNS (1540) Nassau, strong at 1900 1/23. (BP)

GUATEMALA--Logged station in English announcing as "Pan American Broadcasting Station, 1020 on your dial". Must be TGUX. (RHM)

SOUTH AMERICA

NETHERLANDS ANTILLES--PJC2 Willemsted, Curacao, heard strong 1/23 and 1/26 1900 till 2230 sign-off on 864 Kcs. (BP) PJL-5 (1435) Radio Oranjestad, Aruba, heard strong on Sunday 1/26 1915-2015 with News, Hill Billy Music, Commercial for Frigidaire Refrigerators, latter in English. (BP)

BRAZIL--PRE3 ("Radio Globo") (1180) Rio de Janeiro, fair at 0130 GMT. (RP) PRE9 (1200) just readable at 0100 GMT. (RP) PR9 (1220) "Radio Mayrink Veiga" heard best of the lot for strength at about 0030 GMT. PRG3 (1280) "Radio Tupi" fair around 0100. PRG9 (1100) Sao Paulo, good on 1/14 at 0100 GMT. (RP) Verie pamphlet received from ZYX9 (1270) back in 19 days, signed by Director Presidente. (R.)

VENEZUELA--QSL pamphlet received from YVMF (1120) "Ondas del Lago" with no signer. (R.)

COLOMBIA--HJEW (1110) "Radio Reloj", heard S-9 each Monday morning. Who is on 1112 Kcs. in Medellin with S-9 Plus signals. (R.) Picture postcard verie from HJED (820) no signature for 12/25, Cali, member of CA RA COL, Primera Cadena Radial Colombiana, S.A. (EJ) A letter verie and pennant received from HJER (1030) "Radio Pacifico", Cali, from a report of 10/28 and 11/4. Signer is Beatriz Gonzalez, address: Calle 12 No. 5-59, Apartado Aereo No. 2180. Verie via air-mail. My 11th Colombian in 2 years. (HJW)

EUROPE

GERMANY--NWDR (1586) heard S-7 on 1/19 at 1835. (R.) Also logged by RD on 1/11 0100-0105, 0135-0145 S-5 signals. (RD)

KARELO FINNISH S. S. R.--WRH says 611 Kcs. frequency is used in Finnish until 1100 s/off, located in Petrozavodsk. (WRH)

FRANCE--Nice (1554) heard 1/11 0105-0125 S-5 to S-9 signals. Lille (1376) heard 1/14 0115-0125 weak and noisy. (RD) Yes, J.C. is right, Marseille does operate on 701 Kcs. at night and on 710 Kcs. in daytime. (RP)

MONACO-*-"Radio Monte Carlo" heard S-9 Plus on 1/19 from 1820-1845. (R.)

PORTUGAL-*"-CSB5 (1588) Porot, logged on 1/19 and 1/20 at 1830. (R.)

ENGLAND-*"-Clevedon (1457) heard on 1.11 from 0130-0135 S-5. (RD) My XYL Peggy has put a note on my control desk about the BBC National Third Network schedule which she thinks would be of interest to NRC DXers. Schedule is as follows: Mondays 1815-1945, Tuesday 1845-1945, Wednesday 1815-1945, Thursday 1830-1945, Friday 1845-1945, and Saturday 1830-1945. Third Program starts at 2000 on the same channel. GMT This is called NETWORK THREE, not Third Network as I stated above. (RP)

LUXEMBOURG-*"-Radio Luxembourg" (1439) station identified tentatively only, weak on 1/11 at 0135. (RD)

AFRICA

TANGIER-*"-Radio Africa" has good signal at 2330 until s/off at 2400, calls in Spanish with popular music. (Times GMT -RP) Pan American Radio (1128) heard around 0000 GMT only just audible. (RP) "Radio Africa" (935) is audible from about 1900 with BC QRM from Berlin and Lvov. (GMT) (RP) WTAN (715) not heard in the evenings, not even in the background. I think it is a mistake, as they do use 7150 on SW, for the Spanish program according to the latest schedule. (RP)

TUNISIA-*"-Since 11/2 "Radio Tunis" is scheduled in Arabic (962) 0000-0200, 0600-0800, 1230-1700. French (629) 0030-0200, 0630-0800, 1230-1715. (WRH)

LIBYA-*"-Radio Benghazi" of the Libyan Broadcasting Service is at present operating from 0015-0100 (Sun and Fri 0130), 1300-1600 on 1484 Kcs, with 2 Kw. address B. O. Box 280, Benghazi. (WRH)

ASIA

BRITISH NORTH BORNEO-*"-Radio Sabah" Jesselton (930) has 250 watts and s/off at 0800. (RAX)

THAILAND-*"-New station on 1010 Kcs., signs off at 1000. Police Radio, Thai only, signs off 900 Kcs. at 1000. (RAX)

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 RHM-Roy H. Millar, Rt. 2, Box 6704, Issaquah, Washington.
 FCC*Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.
 SW-Bulletin of Sweden Calling DXers, Stockholm, Sweden.
 R.X-TUNE IN of New Zealand DX Radio Association, New Plymouth, New Z.

GENERAL

EJ wants verio signers for TGW (640), XEOY (1000), and XEN (695). If you have one, please send it to him directly. EJ also notes that SA's are strong Monday AMs especially HJEW (1110), Cali; HJKN (1260), TIRS (920), and 1020 Kcs. HW notes that there is a Panamanian station on 1124 and TISM San Jose is on 1125. Careful of mixing them. Brand new one on 895 Kcs. still going strong after 2330. Hal, only one WRH received here.

B.P asks what countries do not honor IRCs. I think that they are now pretty well accepted. The postal guide says OK everywhere but Korea. (FV) B.P also notes a station on 1082 Kcs. in Spanish s/off around 2230 daily. One on 1568 Kcs. in Spanish, mixed with XERF, hrd 1/23 at 2200. Any help? Guess that about does it for this week. Let me have your reports as early in the week as possible. For now, 73.

SUPREMACY RATINGS

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	Ctries	Veries	Foreign	Oceania	Best
1. Henry Tyndall, Vermont	118	4907	1147	163	Tarawa
2. Ken Mackey, New Zealand	95	1758	1715	271	WVUV
3. C. H. Stanbury, Ontario	84	1078	331	42	WVTV
4. Roger Anderson, Virginia	75	1345	331	45	5IU
5. Hank Kolbrook, Maryland	74	1926	413	45	2LT
6. Laurie Boyer, New Zealand	69	962	---	222	5AL
7. Robert Botzum, Pennsylvania	64	3677	617	40	7HT
8. Harold Schrock, Illinois	63	2521	370	69	7MT
9. Steve Johnson, Maryland	60	1101	176	20	2DU
10. Keith Robinson, New Zealand	58	1150	---	257	5AL
11. Ted Manning, New Zealand	57	275	---	---	5AL
12. Stan Norss, Massachusetts	51	2667	230	7	HHDC
13. Richard Daneker, Pennsylvania	51	1214	196	6	6WF
14. Carroll Seth, New York	49	191	64	7	2TR
15. Ray Moore, Massachusetts	49	76	75	6	2GT
16. Ernest Cooper, New York	48	2816	212	7	HHDC
17. Roy Patrick, England	47	115	---	---	---
18. Harold Wagner, Pennsylvania	46	271	108	11	2WL
19. Fred VanVoorhees, Pennsylvania	42	1397	144	9	2LL
20. Pete Taylor, Florida	37	665	107	16	7UAM
21. Pat Reilly, New York	36	2909	244	29	---
22. Fred Durligh, Connecticut	36	1513	110	11	2YC
23. Gene Allen, California	35	2030	356	59	7MT
24. Hank Wilkinson, California	35	168	134	27	INTH
25. C.P. Atherton, Massachusetts	32	1735	114	7	2UE
26. Walt Detzendahl, New Jersey	31	2417	160	4	---
27. Eric McIntosh, New Zealand	29	384	---	184	INTH
28. Mike Ferguson, Texas	29	202	50	---	4AT
29. John Callapman, Germany	29	45	34	---	---
30. William Proter, Tennessee	26	3240	151	10	---
31. Gus Magnuson, Rhode Island	21	1926	76	---	---
32. Charles Conley, Pennsylvania	20	1233	133	4	HHOM
33. Harold Williams, Connecticut	19	1785	79	1	---
34. Clarence Freeman, California	19	649	60	20	---
35. Ray Edge, New York	16	1987	59	7	HGEB
36. Frank Wheeler, Pennsylvania	16	1247	61	2	LYA
37. Ores Wilson, Pennsylvania	16	1190	135	---	---
38. Ralph Sperry, Connecticut	16	1163	58	2	HHOM
39. Len Kruse, Iowa	15	3120	203	---	---
40. John Doase, California	14	385	48	15	VTH
41. Everett Johnson, Illinois	13	1549	48	4	LYZ
42. Walter Goldy, Illinois	11	2256	36	3	HHOM
43. John Hathaway, Honduras	11	66	63	0	---
44. Sid Rosenbaum, West Virginia	10	1741	10	4	HTOH
45. Ron Schiller, Delaware	10	1107	---	---	---
46. James Critchett, California	10	959	96	---	---
47. Francis Mittler, Colorado	9	1267	28	10	LYZ
48. Marvin Robbins, Nebraska	9	1226	27	---	---
49. Maurice Mittler, Colorado	8	1257	50	5	HGU
50. Ben Patch, Illinois	6	1258	5	3	LYZ
51. Fred Barene, Washington	6	280	11	8	4QG
52. Wells Perkins, Wisconsin	6	203	9	---	---
53. Ron Fowler, Pennsylvania	6	166	18	---	---

It is gratifying to note that this section has now reached a total of 53 members reporting. Laurie Boyer brought his totals up to date, so is back on the list, while Wells Perkins reports for the first time.

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SUPREMACY RATINGS (page two)

We are always happy to receive any new listings for this section, but it is especially noteworthy this month to list for the first time the names of three veteran DXers of the club-Bill Prater, Len Kruse and Lefty Cooper. Note the totals these fellows have racked up for themselves, while keeping it all a dim dark secret.

There are more of you who should be listed here, so let's have some more reports. Also, some of you need to bring your totals up to date. We don't want any eliminations, so please check your totals.

As promised in the last bulletin, I herewith include standings of members in this section, from a standpoint of numerical count of all verifications. I have had requests for this from several, who do not concentrate on Foreign DX, so the listing below does seem interesting as to how we stand on total veries.

1. Tyndall	4907	28. Robbins	1226
2. Botzum	3677	29. Daneker	1214
3. Prater	3240	30. Wilson	1190
4. Kruse	3120	31. Sperry	1163
5. Reilley	2909	32. Robinson	1150
6. Cooper	2816	33. Schiller	1107
7. Morss	2667	34. S. Johnson	1101
8. Schrock	2521	35. Stanbury	1078
9. Metzendahl	2417	36. Boyer	962
10. Goldy	2256	37. Critchett	959
11. Allen	2030	38. Taylor	665
12. Edge	1987	39. Freeman	649
13. Holbrook	1926	40. Doase	385
14. Magnuson	1926	41. McIntosh	384
15. Williams	1785	42. Barene	280
16. Mackey	1758	43. Manning	275
17. Rosenbaum	1741	44. Wagner	271
18. Atherton	1735	45. Perkins	203
19. E. Johnson	1549	46. Ferguson	202
20. Burleigh	1513	47. Seth	191
21. VanVoorhees	1397	48. Wilkinson	168
22. Anderson	1345	49. Fowler	166
23. F. Mittler	1267	50. Patrick	115
24. Patch	1258	51. Moore	76
25. R. Mittler	1257	52. Hathaway	66
26. Wheeler	1247	53. Callerman	45
27. Conley	1233		

Sort of rough on those of you who verify foreign only, but thought I would make this listing once to please those who concentrate on everything, foreign, or US and Canada. Would like comments from any or all of you.

Samples of the much heralded and long awaited Spanish Report forms are going out with this issue. Those who paid in advance should already have theirs. Due to the extra work entailed in printing the cost is the pre-announced price of 2¢ each. A translation and instruction page is included in each order. On orders under 25 sheets the forms will be folded and sent like the bulletin, larger orders will be mailed flat. Order from Harold Wagner, RD 1, Box 134, Lake City, Pa.

It must be remembered that the Daytime stations listed in the DX calendar expect to TEST at the times listed. Members are urged to cooperate with the station by reporting particularly on those items which the station is announcing as testing, whether coverage, modulation, etc. Do not be disturbed if the stations do not come on at the time given for all such dates and times are tentative.