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WE'RE NEEDED!

"In these days of wholesale call changes a feller sure needs DX NEWS. Heard the "MR" of WQMR on 2/13 and could not figure who that might be. That same PM the 2/13 DX NEWS arrived and there it was - WQMR, formerly WGAY." - Joe Brauner, Valier, Penna.

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DX CALENDAR

Mon. March 7	C J R L	1220 kc/s.	Kenora, Ontario	1,000 watts	3:00 - 4:00 a.m.	EST
Sat. March 5	W P R B	103.5 mc/s.	Princeton, N.J.	20,000 watts	2:00 - 5:00 a.m.	EST
Mon. March 7	T I F C	895 or 1075 kc/s.	San Jose, Costa Rica		3:00 - 4:30 a.m.	EST
Wed. March 23	W C O Y	1580 kc/s.	Columbia, Pa. (Pop)	500 watts	1:00 - 4:00 a.m.	EST
Mon. March 28	K G O N	1520 kc/s.	Portland, Oregon	10,000 watts	3:00 - 5:00 a.m.	EST

(CJRL and WPRB for NRC; TIFC, WCOY and KGON for NNRC).

C J R L.

Throughout the 1959-1960 DX season CJRL has been running frequent DX broadcasts for the National Radio Club. Unfortunately they seem to have struck the poorest Monday mornings for their programs, but let's hope this last one will find it a perfect AM for excellent DX reception, and let's all be certain to be on 1220 at 3 a.m. EST, or 2:00 CST for this fine station. If you cannot hear them, please, please don't forget to thank these kind folks for their efforts in our behalf all winter. Such wonderful cooperation is indeed appreciated, and let us show CJRL that we really do heartily appreciate their efforts to please us DX fans!

W P R B.

"As a member of the NRC I realize that the potentiality of the Club exists for the aid of individual radio stations. WPRB, Princeton University's student-operated radio station has just increased its power 20,000% from 85 watts to 17,000 watts on 103.5 FM, thus becoming the world's strongest and largest student-run commercial FM radio station. Although we realize FM transmission is rather limited, and that NRC usually devotes its interest to AM stations, WPRB, now serving all New Jersey, and parts of Pennsylvania, New York and Maryland has arranged to conduct a DX broadcast on March 5 from 2 to 5 a.m. EST for frequency checks, but primarily to determine the average listening range of the station," writes Hurst K. Groves, Technician, in part. Please, all who have FM receivers, try for WPRB-103.5 on Saturday, and QSL letters are promised to you.

V E R I E S I G N E R S

570	K L A C	E. E. Arnold, Su	C	970	W E B R	Raymond H. Lamy, TSu	E
610	W I F P	Varner Paulson, PD	B	980	W R I P	Jack N. Wallace, CE	E
	W D A F	Margaret Ann Sullivan, S/CE B			C H q E X	William Williamson	E
620	K S Y D	Herbert T. Wiley, CE	B		C F P L	Mary Pascoe, Trfc D	E
630	W I F R C	Elmer Troutman, CE	A		K S r G M	E. Charn, M	E
640	K F I	H. M. McDonand, E	E		C K G M	George C. Davis	E
675	Y N D	Orlando Meza Kira	C	990	K K I S	Paul Mitchel	C
710	H J C Z	Betty Nino Gomez, S	C	1040	T G u X A	Roberto Andreu C., G	F
740	W G S M	William Narramore, AGM	E	1080	K R q L D	B. B. Honeycutt, CE	E
	W M q B L	Walter Niemi	E	1210	W K N X	James Hughes, DX Corr.	B
790	W T F A R	Richard L. Lindell, CE	E	1240	K D G O	Henry M. Long, M	D
	C K r S O	Elton W. J. Woodill, P	E	1250	W L E M	Kenneth W. Coleman, E	A
	W Q X I	Elton B. Chick, CE	E		W E M P	Rolland E. Paske, CE	B
	W S G W	Harold Velz Jr. CE	B	1260	W B U D	R. H. Houston, CE	E
800	W H O S	Edward Buxton, CE	B	1280	K L U E	Richard O. Goodson, CE	B
	C J L X	M. A. Shields CE	B	1290	W N B F	Abdrea Merchant S/Eng.D	B
	I Y Z	M. G. Adams, M	C	1320	W A M P	Peter Gramba, E	E
850	W J q W	F. D. Anderson, Radio Su	E	1380	W L O S	George F. Sprague, CE	E
	W Y q D E	James E. Gray, CE	E	1410	W R M N	Dolores J. Berna, PD	B
900	C K J L	Mike Fields, A	E	1490	K A p F P	Ken Phillips	D
	W F p L N	Frank Chassey, CE	E		W K V T	Edward D. Somes, Gd	E
930	K P H O	Larry Burroughs, PD	D	1510	K T I M	Hugh Turner, GM	D
920	H O K Y	Ralph E. Evans, CE	E	1580	W P A C	Richard Haukin, PD	E
950	K A H I	Wes. evers, PD	D		W L I J	Carl B. Gibbons, CE	C
960	W D B J	J. Robert Crowley, CE	B	1600	W T R U	William J. Merchant, PD	B
	K A B L	Howard Immekus	C				

C R E D I T S

A - Art Fregeau C - Dave Roys E - Glen Kriedler
 B - Jeff Schrank D - Fred Anderson F - Hank Wilkinson G - Lefty Cooper

CHANGES IN STATION DATA - F.C.C.

NEW STATIONS

✓ 900 Bassett, Virginia 250 D-3
 ✓ 1340 Enterprise, Oregon 250 U-1 ✓ 1390 State College, Pennsylvania 500 D-1

NEW CALLS

✓ 790 K U T A Blanding, Utah ✓ 1490 W E M J Laconia, New Hampshire
 ✓ 930 W H A N Haines City, Florida ✓ 1580 K Y N D Tempe, Arizona

CALL CHANGES

✓ 990 K D Y L Tooele, Utah, from KTUT
 ✓ 1050 W Q M R Silver Spring, Md. from WGAY ✓ 1580 K W N T Davenport, Iowa from KFMA

DELETED

✓ 1190 W D T V Columbus Bay, Christiansted, St. Croix Island, Virgin Islands 500 U-1

FACILITIES

✓ 740 K V F C Cortez, Colorado, to 1,000-250 U-2, from 1,000 D-1, same channel, with no change in daytime operation.
 ✓ 1320 W F H R Wisconsin Rapids, Wisconsin, 5,000/500 U-2. Slight changes in directional antenna pattern.
 ✓ 1440 K H O G Fayetteville, Arkansas, to 1,000 D-1, from 1450 kc/s., 250 U-1.
 ✓ 1470 W F A R Farrell, Pennsylvania, 1,000/500 U-2. Slight changes in directional antenna pattern.
 ✓ 1600 K A T Z St. Louis, Missouri. 5,000/1,600 U-2. Cancel increase in nighttime power. Now in operations as here listed.

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

✓ 1050 K L B G Liberty, Texas NRC ✓ 1450 W L P M Ex-1450 kc/s. FCC
 ✓ 1320 W E N N Now Birmingham, 5000D-3 NRC ✓ 1550 W T Y N Tryon, N.C. Ex-1580. FCC
 ✓ 1540 W S E B Sebring, Florida FCC ✓ 1580 K W N T Davenport, ex-KFMA NRC
 ✓ 1490 K B U B Now 1,000 D-1 FCC

With no mail delivery Monday 2/22 (Washington's Birthday) we prepared the v/s above on Monday. All received Tuesday 2/23 will be held over to the next issue, as the expected volume of mail on 2/23 will bring us too many Musings reports to take time with the v/s.

Jeff Schrank - 3344 South S rigfield Avenue - Milwaukee 7, Wisconsin

This is my first report to the NRC since joining a few days ago. In about two years of BCB DXing I've heard 514 stations and verified 280 of them. CX during the first week of February were very good for sundown DX, and as a result I logged the following: 2/1- WHBB-750 for my first New Hampshire; KOBH-580 at 7:30 s/off. 2/2- WCLO-1230 Janesville, Wis. seemed to be off the air, so WHBY, WJEF and WSTR were heard between 7:13 and 7:37 p.m. on 1230. 2/3- WGR-550 heard through KSD at 7:00 a.m.; CKBI-900 heard with s/on at 7:55 for my northernmost station heard; WPDX-750 at 6:00 s/off (7:30 s/on); WGMH-1310 smug in through WIRA in Madison at 10:20 p.m. 2/4- WERC-960 at 6:45 a.m. testing their new FM XR; WKYN-900 at 7:45 a.m. through local WOKX and WLS splatter; WHLO-640 (ex-WHKK) heard regularly during evenings with new format. 2/5- KSJB-600 heard behind WMT at 7:14 a.m. 2/11- WGTL-870 at 7:30 a.m. along with WKAR (7:30 s/on) and WWL. Receiver here is a Hallicrafters S-53A with Q Multiplier. Veries this month in from WIP WWVA WNEF WGPR GBJ WAKR CFOR WLBJ CJIC WRMN WSPT and WKRC. 73 to all. (Welcome to the NRC, Jeff, and thanks for the fine report! -Ed.)

Art Tregear - 66 Locust Street - Bristol, Connecticut

Greetings from the home of automatic static. DX since last issue: 2/8- CX not as bad as expected. In trying for KBOI DX, heavy QRM resulted from KIMN. Finally KIMN went into a fade and got a fairly good log of KBOI. So, in trying for one DX program, I got two new states, bringing my total to 36. Others received 2/8 include WINZ WVET WILS WIRC. 2/10: WWHG, WTOD. 2/13: WWOE WIL CKCW WMBB WORC. 2/14: CHSS, WMBB. 2/15 WISK (630) WDNC WATE WPTF WHBI. By the way, what's the story on WISK, Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn.? Has there been a call change and are they also operating on 1590? In clear here at 4:52 with RS. Reports are out to KIMN KBOI and WTOD. Veries in today from WIRC-630, with WPRO off AN on Mondays. XERF being off doesn't help me here. Instead I get CFOR so I guess it's a losing fight from all over the country, hi. 2/15, also heard what I believe is HJEM, Armenia, Colombia but the '59 WRH lists them as being inactive. Are they now on the air? Must get my hands on the new WRH soon! How can the various Spanish stations be identified? I listen for slogans but don't seem to get them. Other reports out to WJGM WBRY WREB and WORL, to start filling in the gap of veries. These stations were heard two years ago but never reported to. Many of these stations are being reported to so that I can get 100% of the stations veried instead of my present 10%. Now have 304 stations, with reports out to 16 and waiting for replies. Veries to date are 30, v/1 being received from WLEW-dx, thanks to NRC Calendar. How about a "Hints and Kinks" department, giving various suggestions on receiving, receivers and antennas? Such a department could be used when reports are light and there is space left in the issue. That's it. 73s. (WISK-1590 moved to 630 and then changed calls to KDWB-630 - Ed.)

G. Harley DeLeuzere - Box A337 - Seaton Hall - Albion, Michigan

An article in the "Albion Evening Recorder" on Thursday January 14, 1960 concerns the sale of WGRD-1410, Grand Rapids, Mich. and WTRU-1600, Muskegon, Mich. ex-WJNK to Regional Broadcasters of Michigan, Inc. Let the members draw their own conclusions as to whether the above stations will change their call letters or not. By February 6 (Saturday) I had received an additional five verifications. They were from WAIL-1460 Baton Rouge, La.; CKWS-960, Kingston, Ont.; WGAR-1220, Cleveland, Ohio; KGM-980, Montreal, Que.; and WCJU-1450, Columbia, Miss. These are unconfirmed by me as I have not seen them. I'm glad to see that another Harley has joined the NRC. Congratulations, Mr. Tucker, of Honolulu, Hawaii. The only difference is that his first name is Harley, and that's my middle name. Well, I've still 7 =/7 more weeks to go before I can DX for nine days during the Easter holidays. I can hardly wait. 73s from WPE9BBW.

Murray C. Mann - 3702 South 17th Street - Omaha 8, Nebraska

Absolutely no new DX here. I've been getting my sleep. Did manage to stay up Friday night and see Dave Roys at 12:30 Saturday morning 2/13 as he stopped on his way home. It was just five minutes, but we still saw his prized IYZ verie. Everybody seems to get them but mr, or almost everybody, hi. I would like to correct Phil Robbins about Omaha's "beautiful music" situation. He overlooked Wonderful Color Channel 129, KOIL, which Rocks and Rolls 24 hours all week as many DXers know. Just thought I would stick up for them since I am a Rock 'n' Roll fan. Now I have less friends than ever, hi. Good DX to you as I won't be needing it after this spring.
DXING WILL IMPROVE - YOUR LOG BOOK GAINS - IF ALL OF YOU MOVE - SEPT. 3rd to WHITE PLAINS

Fred A. Anderson - 1011 Flora Street - Barstow, California

Well I hope whoever sends the DX NEWS out that they note my change of address, 1011 Flora Street, Barstow. Bought me a new house with the Mojave Dessert for a back yard. So will be able to put up a Rhombic and some good antennas. But with moving and all been sleeping every chance I get. Recent loggings past week: 8/2- KBOI-950 3:00-3:30 EST, S-7 here. 10/2- Brought in KNCO-1050 at 8:48 a.m., and KRBO signed on at 8:59, overriding KNCO. 13/2- KSDO-1130 and KPTEL-1300 for RS. 15/2- KHSJ 3:00 f/c on 1320 kc/s., KCOY-1440 with DX show 10 DBs over S-9, WWSW-970 S-3 @ 4:00. JOKR Radio Tokyo 950 at 4:45 good till s/on of WSPA-950 Spartanburg, S.C. Verifications in are letters from KYOR (report signed and returned) KPHO KDGO for DX program, KTIM and KAHI. Card from KAFP-1490 Petaluma, Calif., and JOKR-950. This has been the third Monday AM that they put in a good signal here on the West Coast. Well, California still leads in veries with 112 verified, 151 logged. Texas still 76, Illinois 51, Wisconsin 44, Washington 40. To Jim Critchett, San Diego - will write - right now on 24 hour standby on this polar missile that's in orbit. We follow all out about one hour of its circle of the pole. So will write and get together one of these days. Lefty sounded good on the KCOY tape, along with whomever had the beer bottles, hi. Must have been a hum-dinger of a Convention! 73s.

Hank Wilkinson - 6520 Beeman Avenue - North Hollywood, California

Very little DX activity as we are working overtime and Saturdays. Sent a f/up to TGXA, 1040 kc/s., Guatemala City on a reception report of November 10, 1959. Verie received in 12 days. Also enclosed was my IRC and an IRC dated last March on another report. I had mailed them last spring. The v/s, Roberto Andreu C., Gerente, sent a full page letter thanking me for all my reports. This is foreign verie #90. "Radio Pyongyang" sent a New Year's greeting card. "Radio Peking" sent a New Year's Calendar. YND sent a letter asking me to send them an occasional report. BED22's CE asked me to look in on several students at U.C.L.A. Nice way to collect stamps! Glad to see those veries coming through from Jamaica on the new frequencies. Forwarded two reports (770 and 550 kc/s.) to Mr. Wong. I hope that I have some of Norm Maguire's luck. Best of DX to everyone. Larry Godwin is doing his best in Texas to get a TA verie. Good luck to you!

David E. Roys @ 5121 Radnor Road - Indianapolis 26, Indiana

'Bout time I got a report in! I could include my comments about the return of XERF, but I won't, as they couldn't be printed anyway. Next time, I'll use more T.N.T. CX-28, "Radio Imparcial" has been heard here Monday AMs in the clear for a new country, Uruguay. Hope they verify. That's the kind of DX that isn't too hard to take. My other recent catches are WCAE-1250 at midnight, KCOY-1440 DX, WRSW-1480 at 3:29 p.m., WDEM-550 at 5:15 a.m., KURV-710 at 7:20 a.m. Veries in from YND-675 letter, permant, and photo of v/s, HJCZ-710 in two weeks, CERY/CHUB-1570, KXLF KKIS KABL KLAC CKDM KJBS.

Glen Kreidler - 314 South 24 Street - Allentown, Pennsylvania

It's been a long time since I last reported. Most of the time was spent catching up on back reports and sleep. I'm having a plaque made up - a certificate concerning the 13 original colonies. The rules are that you must have three stations verified in each of the states with the exception of Delaware, New Hampshire, and Rhode Island which may have only two confirmed. They must not be over 10,000 watts and they must be confirmed before 1/1/59. So send in those lists and to 50¢ to denote cost, and mailing. Now to DX. On 2/15, second Monday, got reports off to WITA which s/on in the clear in English at 3:56, 1140 kc/s. WTND-920 Orangeburg, S.C. s/on at 5:00 with country program, WJIV-900 Savannah s/on at 5:15, WJHL-910 Johnson City, Tenn. s/on at 5:30 on top of the mess. WSUX-1280 Seaford, Del. s/on at 6:00 and followed up with a long farm news program. On 2/16 caught WFYI s/off at 5:30 p.m. with QRM from "KB." That's it from here. May I thank all those who have replied so far. 73s.

John R. Tudenham - 4248 West 12 Street - Amarillo, Texas

Not much time for DXing lately but here is a long overdue report anyway. Very surprised to receive verie today from KXLF-1370 after almost one year. XERF back on with full power but did catch a few new ones while 1570 was quiet. Veries in from CHUB CERY CFOR and KWSK. Also heard KACE WOWO (ex-WLRP) and KOLS. KIXZ is building a new studio at XR site so we hope to be able to put on an AN DX some time soon. Other veries received here are WSPA-950 WYDE-850 WINZ-940 KSTT-1170 WHHY-1440 KOH-630 WILS-1320 and WKOW-1070. Looks like we finally got rid of our snow here in Amarillo as we missed the last one that hit the usually warm Southern part of the state, while we enjoyed 50° weather. 73.

Roy H. Millar - P.O. Box 778 - Bellevue, Washington

Picking up the DX trail since my last report: Feb. 2- KXGO-790 r/c 3:15-3:30 far under KNEW; KWIC-1570 ID and s/off ET at 4:27 a.m.; CFOR-1570 fair, easy copy at 6:30 a.m. s/on. Feb. 6- CJLX-800 Fort William, Ont. perfect at 5:50 a.m. s/on, no CKLW QRM. Feb. 8- Thanks to Musings tip, perhaps season's finest catch, CX-28-1090 Montevideo, Uruguay man and woman announcer in several short breaks between 3:26 and 3:50 a.m., A bit later, 4:15 to 4:30 a.m., more LA on 1090, but don't know if CX28 Or other. Feb. 11- WCNT-1210 s/on 7 a.m. for another report; real clear at s/on, but surprisingly WADE-1210 broke atop at 7:05 for a most welcome new logging. UnID "Radio ---" at 5:45 a.m. to 5:55 on 840; slogan matches nothing I can locate in various logs. Feb. 13- KBUY-1010 Amarillo Texas s/on 7:00 a.m.; KARI-550 Blaine, Wash. 11:10-12:05 daytime log, apparently first day of RS; ID as Birch Bay. Spent evening chasing another "spook" on 1610 kc/s., apparently no relation to my "KOOL Radio" of 11/15/59, but rather something to do with a test from KAYE-1450 Puyallup; phone call to KAYE netted little information other than vague reference to testing with "amateur" XR. Letter off to O/CE, Mr. Perozzo. We shall see what he has to say. Feb. 14- Apparently VRH-3-890, Fiji Islands s/off with GSQ at 5:32 a.m., contrary to WRH skeds for a Sunday. Feb. 15- KCOY's DX on 1440 easy log, and very interesting, particularly the commercial for "Hay's, the Friendly Store"! KOKY-1440 Little Rock, Ark. s/on 6 a.m. through heavy QRM from KMLB/KEYS; WJIV-900 Savannah, Ga. ID at 5:20 a.m., ET I presume, a nice catch for me. Feb. 16- "Radio Jamaica" 720 good at 4:55 a.m. s/on but soon faded. Third Jamaican heard this season. If WGN s/on at 6 a.m. no trace of them here. Veries: KTRN-1290, CHQM-1320, WTOD-1560, KDCG-1240, CFRY-1570. No problem in keeping up BCB enthusiasm with catches like EX-29 WADE VRH WJIV and RJR hitting the dial! If "Radio Monte Carlo" proves out for Amarillo's L.G. "Hats off," OM: 73.

Francis H. Nittler - 2634 South Josephine Street - Denver 10, Colorado

Nothing new logged this week except for Monday 2/15 when a total of seven new ones heard for reports. First, at 3:03 a.m. surprised to find XESB-1400 Santa Barbara, Chih. topping the frequency to 3:13 s/off with some sort of celebration or fund drive! Then CFPL-980 London, Ont. logged for first time with a good signal from 4:13 on easily topping the usually dominant CKMW. Certainly enjoyed hearing Pete Bretz over KCOY on their DX show and this was also a new catch. Even heard Lefty on the show talking about cameras with Pete, hi. Of course Pete explained this was recorded at the Omaha Convention and that Lefty actually wasn't there. Also, glad to log KQV-1410 Pittsburgh for first time with good signal on RS at 4:37. Then WTAR-790 Norfolk added with good signal between 5:00-5:15 on RS. Cubans on all over the place and thought I had better report one of them so taped a report to CMHQ-640 Santa Clara with good signal at 5:28. Also, on tape have a SSer logged at around 4:25, 950 kc/s. Argentina is definitely mentioned so might be LR3 but in ID last two calls seem to be RF and no such station listed. Also, at 3:45 a mystery SSer on 880 good for a couple of minutes and faded out with Santiago mentioned a couple of times but no definite ID. Veries are in from Radio Jamaica-550 WABA-850 WORA-1150 KMCD-1570 KCIM-1330 WGAD-1350 all letters and two different tupe QSL cards from KQV-1410 for total of 1,783. I don't have to work Monday because of George's birthday so hope to DX all Monday AM for a change and sleep all day, hi. 2/19, no new ones logged so sent report to CHAB-800 for points for the Contest. This morning 2/20 listened a little while with following f/cs heard but not needed: KCSJ-590 2:00-2:15 TT, KINT-1590 2:15-2:30 TT, KENN-1390 2:30-2:45, and KURA-1450 2:45-3:00 TT. Best of DX to everyone. 73s.

C. B. "Ki" Gerstner - Chicago, Illinois

Latest veries are KIIS WAAY WJWS WDAK and WELO-dx. Attractive cards from the latter two. Some of the latest loggings are: 2/15- Somehow I overlooked DX from KCOY, but logged WRNL-910 with a fine signal for a report. 2/18- 3:52 KSO on 1430 booming in. 3:56-4:30 logged and sent report to WAKR-1590. 4:34 WIL-1430 with good signal. 3:35-3:58 WWVA with a record album offer on 1170. 3:39 WCOP on 1150. 3:4 -3:55 KABL heard on 960 too weak to copy. 5:00-5:30 KWFT atop on 620 for a report. 2/19- 3:15-3:27 KABL along with an unID one on 960, but was unable to gather enough from either. 3:29-3:31 WILS on 1320. 3:35-4 copied KLOU sandwiched between WAKR and XERF for a report. 4:05 WCOP again on 1150. 4:08-4:15 back to 960 but couldn't untangle KABL and companion. 4L25 WGN image on 840. 4:58 WVOP s/on on 970. 5:00-5:30 WRFC 960 for a report atop several but finally badly QRM'd. The past week I paid our new member Jack G. Allen a visit and talked over DX and receivers. I have been in touch with Dave Hodson who is a prospective member. That's all for now; more later. 73.

Merv Ozirny - 29 Collacott Street East - Yorkton, Saskatchewan

Here is my first report to the Musings Section, and I certainly enjoy being a member of the NRC. I have logged 230 stations since I started DXing on 17/12/59. Most of the stations logged were aided by DX NEWS. As for verifications, I have just started reporting seriously since the beginning of this month. I have received v/cs from CJRL KLO KSL and KRLD. V/ls from KDGO KSTT and KEYZ. They should be coming in fast and furious, as I have sent 36 reports out this week. DX in the last whib: 1/2- 1:19-1:30 KOZE Williston; 1260 TT KFGQ Boone 2:17; KCNO San Antonio 2:26; Radio XE coe? 790, KISM Vancouver, Wash. at 2:30. At 2:39 KBIG ETing on 1400, 3:04 KDBM Dillon 800 with f/c, 9:02 p.m. KWBG Boone 1590 NX and WX. 5/2- 4:09, WCFL Chicago 1000. 6/2- WMAX Grand Rapids TT at 2:28. 2:49, KAYO Seattle 1150, 3:06 CHML Hamilton 900. 7/2- 2:57, WSM Nashville 650; 3:00 KTHE Thermopolis TT with 250 watts. 8/2- 1:45 KDLW Detroit Lakes 1340 f/c. 2:27 WKJG Fort Wayne 1380, 2:38 KEX Portland 1190. 12/2- 12:30 a.m., KWHK - 1260 s/off. 1:08, WSPD Toledo, 1:30 FTRU Muskegon, 1600. 13/ 2- CBU Vancouver 690 with Marine Bulletin at 2:32; 2:39 WVA Richmond Va. on 1140. So much for logging to this date. Keep the DX NEWS good and thick gents, as I certainly enjoy hearing from the other members. That's all for now, as the old Exam Paper Blues are haunting me. 73s and loads of DX to all members old and new! (Welcome to the NRC, Merv, and thanks for the fine report. Are the times listed CST? -Ed.)

Jim Ernst - Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia

Feb. 8 - KWIZ-1480, Santa Ana, Calif. in fairly well, under WHOM's testing at 2:45-3 s/off. Down to 1390 to catch KGER, Long Beach, off at 3:01. Best one of all was KBOI-950, Boise, Idaho from 3:02-3:20 under the powerhouse, KIMN. I got a beautiful ID at 3:18 or thereabouts, and the music was a snap. Feb. 13- WKID-1580, Urbana, Ill. heard well on f/c from 1:15-1:28, but no report as didn't verify last year. Feb. 15- Nice surprise from 2:02-2:15 when the BEC was heard poorly on 1457 for a new country and report off. Another nice surprise was the real powerful f/c of KSCB-1270, Liberal, Kans. from 3:05-3:15, and then, sporadically, for the best of all, Pete from KCOY-1440, Santa Maria, Calif. was heard from 3:32-3:59. An OC was on most of the time, but it went off at 3:58, so that I could get a beautiful ID, and then my ears went into orbit when WGCB decided to come on. It was tough, but worth it, hi, Pete! As you can see, I'm dealing in quality and not quantity this year. Veries in from KWYO KIMN (very cheap card) WPDQ (back P.D.Q. with a real nice QSL) KTSA (form) and KVCL with a typed card. Noted with diggust that KQV was AN on 1410, so that looks like "goombyes" to my wanted KERN and a few others. Sorry to see XERF back on with that nut selling 12 calibre pistols. Hope he takes a few laden hints and shoots himself. Happy to hear from Phil Jacobs, and tapes back to you, Phil, and you, G.K. Murray Mann - like, what's happened to yours? Let me know. Hope you got my latest OK, L.G. Pat Reilley, form back from KBOX and v/s is R. K. Shortwood. Good luck. One other in, from WQMR, ex-WGAY on 1050 and very quick-like. Only reason I wrote him is because 1050 is so hard to hear anything else on but XEG CHUM WJGM. Guess this will close another chapter in the pages of a DXer's notebook. 73s from here, and good DX. Y'all wanting to go on CKBW with tapes, let's hear from you real soon, as the 29th or the next week is the date, pending KOMO's silent period. Most likely in March, though, just to make sure everyone gets a chance. Best to all. (I need at least two weeks' notification for date/time on CKBW-ED)

Hal Williams - 50 Third Avenue - Seymour, Connecticut

DX by dateline: Being at work until 6 a.m. on 2/15 I had to miss Peter Bretz' KCOY DX which was needed and also the WGRO-930 DX for the NNRC. 2/16, Getting home from work at 6:05 a.m. I tuned 1580 and logged WGOR Georgetown, Ky. testing their 10 kw. XR 6:15-6:45, on top all the way and asking for reports. New one here. 2/18, I can't understand this one but several announcements between 1:15-2:35 on 1580 kc/s. stated "KWMY-1580 Davenport, Iowa making an ET, music between announcements. Here is what puzzles me. KWMT Fort Dodge, Iowa has been verified on 540 kc/s. and KFMA-1580 Davenport has been verified. I have seen no call changes noted for either of these stations so a report sent to KWMT-1580 and asked for info. They even had a phone call from Leon Neblock (they stated from Chicago) which I heard. 2/19- WYNS-1360 Olean, N.Y. ET/TT 1:48-1:59 topping the frequency but not needed. Veries? Very few: 2/15, QSL card CHUB-1570 for 2/1 RS s/off thanks to the welcome silence of XERF. Too bad they didn't stay silent, hi. My eighth B.C. verie for eight reports. 2/18 v/l WBOF-1550 after second report for #84 from Virginia and a verie total of 2,146. Thanks to Ken Murphy, Larry Fox and Ron Fowler for tip cards. See you next week when I hope to have better to write about.

Larry Godwin - 2808 Bonham Street - Amarillo, Texas

Hi gang. Greetings from the Squaw Valley of the South Plains! DX to the South has really been good this past week. DX as follows: 2/15 caught KIML-1490 Gillette, Wyo. r/c 2:30-2:45. KFDF-1580 Van Buren, Ark. ET s/off 2:02; KSVN-730 Ogden, U. ET like RS s/off 3:00; KQV-1410 Pittsburgh, AN and heard especially well after 4:00 pattern change; LR3-950 Buenos Aires (Radio Belgrano with 90 kw.) RS in the clear 4:23-4:25 with frequent IDs; WGCB-1440 Red Lion, Pa. ID in the clear 4:45; WSJM-1400 St. Joseph, Mich. s/on 5:02 with SSB. "Radio Pinares" on 887 kc/s. in Tegucigalpa, Honduras s/off 12:59-1:00 with perfect signals on 2/16; HRN-1005 Tegucigalpa, Honduras s/off 1:02-1:03 2/16; TILS (Radion) on 882 kc/s. in San Jose, Costa Rica S 1:15-1:30 with frequent IDs on 2/16; TGUX "Radio Panamericana" on 1020 in Guatemala City s/off in Spanish 2:04-2:06; UnID in Cuba on 795 kc/s. with perfect signals heard 10:55-11:05 p.m. on 2/16; YSEB "La Voz de Latinoamerica" on 1075 kc/s. in San Salvador, E.S. RS heard with perfect signals 11:15-11:17 on 2/16; HRUC "Radio Centro" on 865 kc/s. in Tegucigalpa, Honduras RS ID 11:59-12:01 with fair signals on 2/16. Then on 2/17 the following heard: YND "Union Radio" on 875 kc/s. in Managua, Nicaragua finally reported at 12:02-12:05 with perfect signals; TIFC "Faro del Caribe" on 995 kc/s. in San Jose, Costa Rica reported for second time from 10:45-10:46 p.m. Then on 2/20 heard UnID SS on 694 kc/s. approximately from 1:54-3:00 mentioning Costa Rica a great deal - is this TIHB, Radio Reloj? KINT-1590 El Paso, Texas noted on r/c on 2/20 at 2:13 with KOYE-1150 El Paso r/c 2:21; WBIG-1470 Greensboro, N.C. atop XESM with perfect signals at 3:05 ID; CHRC-1090 Lethbridge, Alta. RS ID 3:35 with perfect signals; WTCB-990 Flomaton, Ala. ET ID 4:40. On 2/21 I discovered WSB-750 Atlanta off and YVKS "Radio Caracas" AN with a fiesta, also unID SS AN on 840 at the same time. The f/c list is ever progressing, and hope to get the stencils cut by March 1. Here's hoping! Thanks very much to Phil Jacobs for the unexpected long distance phone call on 2/17. That's it for this week. 73s and best DX to all till next issue.

Alex Bowab - Box 539 - Atmore, Alabama

Hello again. I have more to report this time. 2/14- WKIX-850 on AN at 4:36 with WYDE off. WJAZ-960 s/on 5:02. Listened to WCPC-1320's Sunday morn Gospel Music show with Robin Mathis. They were offering gifts for people who write in from these categories: Everyone writing from state sending most letters, blind listeners, oldest listeners, most interesting and most distant reports. They mentioned Jim Ernst as most distant listener this winter. With WWL off I got two new ones on 870: WGTL on RS at 7:20 and WFLO RS at 7:45. 2/15: KLAK-1300 thanks to info in DX NEWS at 2:52-3:15 with six commercials in that time for a nice log. KQV-1410 probably AN at 3:17. KGMS-1380 on AN classical music show at 3:20-3:32. KCOY DX in rather weakly here but a nice log anyway. They offered veries for certain phrases alone which they mentioned. Got two phrases plus 20 minute log. WGCB-1440 came on at 4:00 thus ruining the rest of KCOY DX here but WGCB was new for me. WILS-1320 on RS at 4:02. At 4:12 I heard "This is WDXL, Lexington, Tenn. testing" through 1490 noise. WCAR-1130 overpowering WNEW at 4:27. With KDKA off I got KPOP-1020 on RS 4:30-4:50 for Californian #9 and #3 for that morning alone. While concentrating on California I tried for KRLA's Monday AM RS but KFAB was on. WLOS-1380 s/on 5:02. Who is SS on 1090 every Monday AM, heard about 4:45? As you might know, the unsigned verie sender in last time was me! Am I forgetful! Also in last mailing I said I had seven countries. As much as I wish it was seven, it is just six. I goofed again, hi! No veries in this week and I haven't sent many reports lately. My 1300 mystery turned out to be WKDL in Clarksdale, Miss., Aubrey Law's home town. Thanks, Aubrey. It was Bob Gibson and not Bob Wilson, hi. 73 for now as I can't think of anything else I've done wrong.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

My latest half dozen loggings to my DX Log all were the stations' RS. On 2/8 Station WHLO-640 Alton, Ohio, ex-WHKK, heard 7:15-8 p.m. Then on 2/9 WKCW-1420 Warrenton, Va. ex-WKTF, heard 4-4:30 a.m. with good signal. Then on 2/16 Station KSSS-740 Colorado Springs from 1:52-2:30 a.m., with some QRM from KCBS. This was followed the same morning with the RS AN programming of CKPT-1420 Peterborough, Ont. which was heard beneath AN WHK, Cleveland. Then Station WFLO-590 Atlanta, Ga. heard on 2/19 from 5:55-6:15 a.m. topping the frequency, with little trace of semi-local WOW. And then on 2/21 Station KWNT-1580 Davenport, Iowa, ex-KEMA, "Radio Quint" for the five cities comprising their area. This is a local at this location. Latest verifications came from CHQM WLEM-dx WJWS-dx.

Ray H. Kraul - 6423 33rd Street - Berwyn, Illinois

Found out we have two new locals here: CKRC-630 and WSB-750. Both heard from 1:30-2:30 p.m. Sunday 2/14. I was especially surprised to hear CKRC so well at that time of day. No sign of KKOK. Monday the 15th was fortunate enough to hear bits of KCOY DX, but had trouble with CKFH-1430 and WJXN-1450 tending to "box" them in. At 4:00, WGCB really blasted them - end of KCOY DX. Other DX on the 15th: KSCB-1270 r/c 3:05-3:10 (unneeded). Tuned up to 1490 to find WOLF and WCB both with very respectable signals shortly after 4:00. At 5:00 heard WORK and WCHI s/on simultaneously on 1350. Was very pleased to find WGAN 790 atop frequency at 5:06. Tried Tuesday AM the 13th for early AM DX with these results: WDEL-1150 s/on 5:00. They were bothered by OK and finally s/on of WJJD-1160. WJJD is my answer to Lefty's WNEW. Their XR is close by, and although there is no image, their splatter makes 1150 DXless for s/ons. Took a good log on WPRO-630 5:05-5:25 for second report; WRUF-850 atop WKIX from 5:32-5:45. KIA-960 s/on at 6:00; WKIS-740 RS 6:05; WFIN-1330 shortly after s/on at 6:08. Listened next on Friday AM the 19th to hear WHLO-640 ex-WHKK at 6:13, and a new catch, WTNS-1560 s/on at 6:30. Nothing too exciting on Saturday 20th. WMEX giving WLAC trouble on 1510 from 12:00-1:00; and WLIJ-1580 on f/c-TT 1:13-1:25 with phonetic IDs. Spent another hour as Pat Reilly would say "following men chasing dogs." Veries in this week - cards, CKRC WSMI KSTN KCOY. Letters: WSMI KDUZ-NARC DX WHRV NRC DX and WCLG. The latter I feel very fortunate to have received as it was for their PoP test of Feb. 11. They run f/c during day, and with WTAQ on 1300 here, chances of logging them are very slim. 73s and best DX to all.

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX very good here as yet. Some good catches. I am now listening to 1580 and find that KEWA in Davenport has changed calls to KWMP. I heard them on an ET this morning 1-1:30 and sounded like KWMT but I checked 540 kc/s. and they announced as KWMT so must be KWMP, hi. WDLN-960 East Moline has been testing with voice only during the day. Nice v/l in today from KUDY-1510 "Cutie Radio" Denver, hi. Other DX since the 11th Feb. 2/12- WAWK-1570 f/c-TT 1-1:15. KRAD-1590 f/c-TT 1:35-2:00. KKOK has been signing off at 2:00 so maybe got rid of them AN. 2/13 - Found WNEK 1350 Peoria had changed calls to WAAP. WDOK-1260 test 1:15-1:30. WKID-1580 r/c. WLEE-1480 again AN. 2/14 - Found KRJA-1420 s/off 1:00. WKCW-1420 ex-WKTF AN for snowstorm. KOH using 680 kc/s. must have changed frequency and me not know it, hi. KDSH-950 back at it AN. WETR-1570 test 1:30-1:45. WPDX-750 under WSB. Also a few bars of music and temperature from KSEO-750 at 11 a.m. 2/15- KEAR s/off 2:05 620. KRIG-1410 s/off 2:15. KQV now AN Mondays. KCOY-dx very good mentioning Lefty, in fact played "El Capitan" for all New York DXers. Hope you heard them Lefty, and others out there in the East. Pete put on a fine program, heard only half hour as WGCB came on at 4. WCAO-600 AN. WGOR-1580 testing and said card would bring a gift, hi. 2/18- WICC announcin as Fairfield, on 600, only PP card here so will try again. KOFI-930 test with classical music on r/c, and that's that. Veries here to make 1,991, QSL card from KOLT-1320, WMYR-1410, KICN-710 WTCN-960 WVSC-990 and KURL-730. Guess that's it for the time being, best DX. 73s

Fred Schroyer - 19 Bonar Apartments - Waynesburg, Pennsylvania

"All comments on radio stations are opinions of the members and not necessarily of NRC as a whole." Hi Lefty, can't blame you for sticking that in with all the comments on poor ole XEHE in 2/13 issue. They're only 20 over S-9 now so I guess they dropped to a mere 100 kw., sniffle. Monday 2/8 netted KSTN-1420 strong and in clear; KMLP-920 AN with TT QRN; XEHC-790 a bomb; and WCOS-1400. Tuned around for a half hour 2/7 and heard WMST-1150 WETB-790 WQIK-1280 WBLJ-1230 (s/on 7:00 way atop), WALD-1220 WCPN-1220 WJWL-900 WGTI-870 WEEB-990, all new here, but not exciting. WLIJ and WMPF both 1580 are regulars at sunset these days. 2/13 added KAJI-1250 KJEF-1290 KOLT-1320 KHEO-1320. Some of you fellows are complaining about not getting veries; I get plenty of 'em here but geeze! How cheap can some stations get? KERN-1410 KSTN-1420 KVCL-1270-dx all veried with plain post cards. Boy, you can guess where they went. File 13, more commonly known as the waste basket. I'm interested only in QSLs or fancy letterheads. Granted, the poor CEs at these stations don't have time to fool with lengthy DX reports but still --. While I think of it, sorry, Pete Taylor, for recent misprint; that wiseacre at WCAE-1250 has been nicknamed "King Payola", not you. Only recent QSLs are KMJ-580 and WHEO-580 DX, and a pix post card from WPDQ-dx. Anybody happen to hear CW on 1240 on Monday 2/15 3:00-3:30? If so, please drop me a card. 73s.

WE HOPE THAT IS IS EVERYONE'S SINCERE INTENTION TO COME THIS YEAR TO OUR CONVENTION!

Elloh Johanna - 11 East Chippewa - Buffalo 3, New York

1570 KMAR, Pete Bradfield (not Brassfield) OM, so for v/s list be sure you've the name right and do send the signer in when you send your Musing, especially W.I. Goldy, I could use some! Just look at the trip Marv Robbins had to take! Letter by WHNY-1250 P.O. Box 111, Carroll Hines, GM says 2-5 a.m. CST, NNRC-DX. Skw. day and 500 watts nights, directional South, daily s/on is 5:14 a.m. and approximate s/off at 10:59 p.m. CST. They're affiliated with WHSY-1230. V/1 by KJLT-970 Hirschfeld Building, Tri-State Broadcasting Ass'n. Inc., Box 778, John Townsend, P and E (WoYYV his ham call) says XR trouble made 2/10 test and he got stuck there for 12 hours due to blizzard, all year s/on is 6:55 a.m. CST, February off at 6:15 CST, no r/c. They're non commercial and financed by Christian program donations and gifts. Heard 2/19 Cuban stations all over and even topping the biggies. R/c-TT KWVY-1470 had to buck WMBD Peoria as they s/off with a short prayer at 2 a.m. (s/on is 6 a.m. EST), then came WBIG-AN and WSAW AN. 1240 kc/s. had a r/c-TT by WSFC and two others TTing and Reilleying it after, even an SS and what sounded like WCOU Lewiston, Me. on the air for a f/c at 2:26 with WROV AN stronger QRM than WEDC AN. WQOK-1440 AN; 1580 TTer was tongue-tied; WAKR-1590 AN made the company station jump to 1580 and then they in turn done it also; while friendly XEERF-1570 was smiling on the side. Sure glad I don't have to send a daytime report to XEERF. WOAI-1200 on RS at 5:31 a.m. (are they AN?); WRCV-1060 was also RS at 5:50 a.m.; WQXI-790 s/on 6:00 a.m.; WGAR-1220 s/on 5:58 with Pledge of Allegance followed by SSB; WRCA-660 topped by Cuban who mentioned de Londre bambino reporta nacido blanca, then threw "Astringosol" commercial in. 2/18- KWMT Davenport, Ia. (what became of KEMA and the KWMT on 540 kc/s.?) said on air since midnight CST with f/c, to return RS at 7 a.m. CST. They had strong signal till s/off 3:24 a.m. and he said KWMT with a power of 1580 kc/s. on a frequency of 500 watts (si, sanor); KCFI-1250 r/c-TT with WEMP AN QRM; 1430 had WHIL (hello, Massachusetts) on RS at 6:07 a.m. and WENE got the best only at 6:35. 2/17- WFLR (Perm Yan/Dundee, N.Y.) TT/c 5:10-5:30 a.m. (XEERF? si si); that 1550 musicker again (speak, nix) WKBJ-1500 r/c believe used music through WWRL AN as WHRV had a TT/c with 5 kw. to 2:40 a.m. 2/16 on 1580 WPGC in front at 7:16 a.m., then fights WPAC and WANB (hello Waynesburg) at 7:55, WCOY at 8:10 and CBJ 8:50. Prior heard W30 Radio Trinidad 5-5:55, then CKAC s/on, also a TT 5:32 a.m. Heard WGOR with 1,000 watts ET/M 6-7 a.m., r/c-M with ~~Monitor~~ in California by XEK-960 Los DX nombres..

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WGRO WJWS KSJB as the CE and I traded Jamestown Suns (papers) with each other with report and verie. 2/14- WKCW, 1420, AN for snowstorm plus usual weekday TTs, even on Sundays. 2/15, no KCOY DX, only OC and a mumbering behind the OC and WGCB came on at 4:00 for day's programs. KQV, 1410, AN. CJOY, 1450, AN snowstorm news. No WGRO DX yet at 4:36 when I to bed. 12° here and tired out from shoveling snow all day. Was the OC WGRO? 2/16- XEDF, 960, f/c for Kansas City at 3:43. Usual unknown TT across band. 2/17- XEKO, 830, S-S on meter at 4:00. The Mexican with WRCA, 660; snowing hard. 2/18- KWMT, 1580, guess ex-KEMA at 2:32 for new call. WAPG, 1480, ET at 3:36 and snowing hard. 2/19- WBAL, 740, test at 4:01, and still snowing. 2/20- One of worst blizzards I've seen and raging since Friday at daybreak, easy two to three feet in spots at 1:30 a.m. WKBN, 570, test at 3:15. The Mexican raised heck with WRCA on 660 at 3:58. Just shoveled snow, now to bed to recuperate.

Joe Brauner - P.O. Box 22- Valier, Pennsylvania

DX picked up a little here since we worked out our work sked so as to permit a little tuning. 2/12 found WPLO, 590, coming in very well at 5:15 a.m. on RS. Sunday 2/14 WJMK 1220 heard over several others at 7:30 a.m. on RS. As a result of tip in DX NEWS long needed WYOU 1270 was copied on their 5 a.m. s/on, fairly good here. Monday is best time for WXYZ not on until 5:30 and apparently WKYR not on either, usually super strong here, not heard at all up to 6 a.m. WQJR, 1050, heard on 2/15 at 7:15 a.m., copied at times right through WBUT and WLYC to past 9 a.m., in fact WQJR caused more interference than the locals, odd DX. Local WHLO also added. Then on 2/17 noticed some of that unusually good NW DX reported recently by neighbor Schroyer, only this time from Canada, CJOY 1220 and CHEC 1090 both way above normal, also CKPT 1420 heard for first time through WHK, so we gave that 5:55 s/on of CJLX another try. At least a dozen earlier tries drew only CKLW and SS stations. CKLW runs about 30 db over s-9 here - and CJLX just about held their own with CKLW from 5:54 until I quit at 6:15, quite easy to get data. So when unneeded stations from some area are coming in unusually well it pays off to try for needed ones from the same locality. On 2/18 heard tester on 1580 near 2 a.m., said "KWMT, Davenport, Iowa." So it sounded (continued P. 10)

(Joe Brauner, con'd from P. 9) - certainly not KEMA. Only one ID heard, fell asleep before next one - what gives? Only one veri, letter from WBAZ, lots of them out. In these days of wholesale call changes a feller sure needs DX NEWS. Heard the "WR" of WQMR on 2/13 and could not figure who that might be. That same PM the 2/13 DX NEWS arrived and there it was, WQMR, formerly WCAY. Tried for 2/15 DXes but no go, KOOY didn't make it here and WGRO's spot showed only a strong unmodulated carrier. 73.

Glen Kippel - 1195 South Tennyson - Denver 19, Colorado

I noticed the Musing of Bob Kalish in the 2/13 DX NEWS and I would like to point out that any daytimer or SH station testing after midnight is perfectly legal. To quote from "Radio Operator's License Q & A Manual" Q.4.139, "For what purpose may a standard broadcast station which is licensed to operate daytime or specified hours operate during the experimental period without specific authorization?" A. "... testing purposes for proper maintenance..." 4/146, "The experimental period means that time between 12 midnight and local sunrise..." Now since FCC has no control of programming other than Section 326, banning profanity, an ET can legally be a DX, too. Hope this clears up the situation somewhat. Dan Phillips - Thanks for the greeting, would have shot back some traffic but was kind of busy at the time, even forgot to get the guy's call and handle. I've lost touch with the local ham crowd, don't even know who handles TFC any more, perhaps WoWB? Latest DX: 2/12- YSCF?-1135 s/off 10:36 p.m.; HOU-1025, 10:39 s/off 11:34. 2/14- Mystery on 840, had "I'll be Seeing You" by female vocalist, then s/off 3:32:30 a.m. PM* CHCH-795 with very strong signal and wild Afro-Brazilian chants around 11:07. Thought I had Surinam. 2/15- HJKN-1259, 3:29 a.m.; KOOY-1440, 3:37 DX; WGCB-1440 s/on around 4:01 under KOOY; WWSW-970, 4:06; CHEC-1090 4:17 some kind of test; Jamaica on 560 and 620, TT at 4:51; RJR-550, 4:55 s/on; RJR-720 under WGN 4:57; RJR-580 under WKAQ 5:04; Surinam?-800 with lingo by woman announcer, faded out 5:15. Are they supposed to play popular or classical Hindu music? 2/16- SS on 1180, 11:03 p.m.; SS on 570, 11:11; HJCU-738 had fine signal for a few minutes around 11:40. 2/17- SS on 887.5 with QRM from Honduras on 886.5 and WLS. Reports out this week: HJAT-1080 WKAQ-580. Veries received from RJR-770 and Trinidad-730, both by air mail. I think the ANer that Fred Schroyer is hearing on 1170 is KCBQ, and isn't KBOM-1270 AN Mondays? Best of DX, everybody!

Bob Kalish - 2214 Avenue T - Brooklyn 29, New York

Hi guys. DX sure is getting better here in Brooklyn. Found Monday AM 2/22 the best of the year. At 1, found WBBF-1270 on top with the Big K, a R&R station behind. Who dat? KFJZ? Help appreciated. At 1:30 the long wanted WCOS-1400 on top for South Carolina #30. At 1:59, found my most wanted station, KGA-1510 on top of KUDY. Got a good log on Washington #4. At 2:05, caught KYSN-1460 on with test. Really wanted them, as missed their DX. QRM'd by KEMO and a PST station. KIMA maybe? At 2:40, the CJBQ DX caught with a loud 30 db signal. Nice show. WABG-960 on all AL with R&R test. At 2:45, finally IDed KGMS-1380. They had a clear steady 20 db signal. Excellent programming, too. At 2:50, found KCBC and KGER fighting it out on 1390. Kept tuning to 1250 but couldn't get a peep out of WHNY, badly wanted. Noted KSTT-1170 on at 1:20 for r/c. Help-Wanted Dep't.: hi., TT on 1320 at 1:38 below WILS. ID taken out by static. Who signed off on 1480 at 1:59 with SSB? Very weak. Undoubtedly an excellent catch. Anyone know who? At 2:53 an S-2 test tone was on 550 for at least 30 minutes. Again a goodie, but who? I would really appreciate help on the next two - noted S 1/2 test tone on 570 at 3:10. Off at 3:10:30. Probably a West Coaster. Noted TT on 1480 kc/s. at 3:52, S-1. If only they could ID, I would have gotten at least two more K calls. WPRW-1460 noted testing at 3 on. At 3:54, on 1570 TT equal to X-Censored, but no ID. Also TT on 1580 at 4, no ID of course. KWK noted testing at 4:05. Doubt if wanted WADP-960 was on as WABG instead at 4:30. Got WFVG-1430 s/on at 5:02. On 2/21, caught wanted WJAZ-960 at 5:30. On 2/20, KSYL-970 f/c caught from 1:15-1:30. Was UNIL-1290 on? Lefty and I both noted TT at their listed time. Monday 2/15 was a flop, with only new one BBC-1457 in loud at 2. Europeans in well, West miserable. Thanks to Kent Corson re KNOX-1310 f/c. They verified my tentative, Kent. Thanks to Brother Godwin's Musing a few weeks ago, IDed my unknown TT on 1570 at 4:03 est. on 2/1 as KCVR in Lodi, Calif. My best catch and California #15. They verified airmail in five days. Nice friendly letter. Didn't believe it was possible for them to reach East Coast, hi. Loads of veries in, averaging four a day. Best are KVI KDJI KCVR KVCB on tentative, KWJJ who were shocked, and I do mean shocked, KWSK, WCON, WCAT and Radio Monte Carlo, a nice letter in English. When is the f/c list coming out? 73.

Dan Phillips - 445 Eagle Bend Road - Clinton, Tennessee

Very little DXing being done in these hills, just enough to get by I reckon. Veries in from KPAC WKCA (2) WRNL and KLOU for a total of only 322. A few new additions to the heard log include this: RJR 720, best time is Tuesday at 4:55 a.m. s/on as WGN is off then. WHLO 640, WJED finally heard, have tried for them a long time, CLEAN the Radio Reloj on 840 kc/s. I believe. WLOF 950 Orlando, Fla. and WIBG 990 for another good full timer logged. On Feb. 15 signals strong from Mexico, with XELO and XERB both new ones and caught talking in English. XEK on 950 I believe, and on 1370 some station around 2:00, believe it was XELX, as it sounded like announcer said XEXX. Might have said Radio Sonora, but not sure. Who is the unID SS on 1440 kc/s. on Mondays? Sounds like Radio Rodaus. That will catch everybody up on my little DX. Heard log is 846 in 42 states. Static seems to have been worst this year than last, not sure. In another month DX will be gone as the static is rapidly increasing. BCNU. 73.

Bob Foxworth - 69 Elm Street - Summit, New Jersey

Recent DX nothing to brag about. I have noted HIF-1162, JBC-750 4WW-1325 and other unID IAs on 1385 and 1265 recently between 7 and 9 p.m. On the 14th February daytime DX was very good and WHO-1040 was readable at noon, with Canadians on 800, 830 and 900 along with CBE on 1550 putting in good signals, atop the local daytimers. This morning the 21st, I was very pleased to log CKOT-1510 Tillsonburg, Ont. from 9 to 9:30 a.m. atop WMBX, with our local WRAN still not on the air. CHUC and possibly WJBK were fighting it out beneath WTOP. WJR WIBC WJJD all put in fair to good signals in the daytime and sometimes WSM makes it in before 3 p.m. The loop reduces the noise and lets the signal be heard. I am preparing for a big session on the 22nd, with a scheduled (and needed) week vacation from school. I was out of town on this "free" morning last year (when WAMP and KBRU were on) and am really anticipating this one. I have something to say about the comments regarding a Mexican and a Pittsburgh station which appeared in a recent bulletin. While I felt the same way about the programming these stations carry as the writers of these reports do, I don't think there is any occasion for name-calling (not in print, anyway) as this is bound to create a bad impression on anyone seeing a copy of our bulletin for the first time. I too was disappointed to hear XERB back at it again, and I don't think much of the "Top 40" format complete with bells, gongs, etc all I do is ignore them. I believe it poor taste to say such in the Musings column, even though all may feel the same way. One more catch heard, KWNT-1580 s/off 6:32 p.m. Lefty told me this is the new call for KPMA Davenport (unneeded) so looks like another one to verify, hi. Veries still out for WWRJ-dx KNAL and others. Only two more for Contest, but KEDF is a three-pointer, hi.

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

Veries in from WKVT-1490 (two days?), a very nice letter which states their r/c is on the fourth Monday, 12:45-1:00 (TT) but not heard on 2/22 so must be the LAST Monday. Also nice QSL card from WBRX-dx, plus a coverage map, and a hand-written post card from WWRJ-dx of 12/28. Well, the world continues to be an interesting place, in fact, one of the most fascinating places I have ever been. Now we come up with a DXer who throws away veries! I feel that it is the fact that you have written proof you heard the station in question which is paramount, not the prettiness of their card or letterhead! No? And a hearty welcome to our new members, and I do hope you'll send in regular reports to this section. DX line by date: 2/16- Finally enough on WKVT-1490's s/on and first program for a report. WTXL-1490 s/on at 5:45 took over the channel at that hour. Verie back on Friday. I thought I heard a call "WAVES" on 1230 at 6:35 p.m. but there are no WVs on that frequency, so my ears must have been playing tricks on me. 2/18- After first telling Fokie Bdworth I didn't know who KWNT-1580 was, I fell upon them on a long ET/M at 2:05 in the clear here, but with a heavy fade. 2/20- Looking for EQMN's r/c and heard TT in the background, but it continued on after 2:00 so doubtful that it was they. Tentative to WNIL-1290 r/c-TT 2:15-2:30 in back of several on 1290, with suggestion they use code UDs to make ID easier. Third try for a WDXR verie as they were on 1560 in the clear, but with very rough tone quality and sharp fade. A PP card was enclosed this time. 2/22- Attention, neighbor Kalish - WFHR-1320 heard on f/c-TT 1:30-1:45 nicely. XERPM-630 very strong till 2:00 s/on of WKCA for a test. A tester on 1440 at 1:10, unID. WALA-1410 is a new AN, on Mondays, too, but KQV not on. XERP-1150 over AN WCOP at 2:34. KRIG-740 nice signal at 2:49, not needed. WPHW-1460 ET/M at 2:50 and on, and woe is me, I fell asleep at the dials and woke up groggily at 4:09, and decided to haul it into bed for the night. Old age - phooey! See you 3/19!

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FREQ.	CALL.	REMARKS
550	KTSA	San Antonio Tex. A.N Exc. MON. 1:30- 6:30-(A.Bowab-Ala)
	WKRC	Cimcinatti O. S/off 01:00-(Ron Beitman- O.)
690	WVOK	Birmingham Ala. S/on 07:30-(McCurdy-Ill)
740	WNOP	Newport Ky S/on 7:30- S/off 6:15-(Beitman-O.)
850	WYDE	Birmingham Ala. A.N Exc. MON SUN- Off at 3 SUN(Bowab-Ala.)
860	WDMG	Douglas Ga. S/off Wk Dys 11 P.M.(Bowab-Ala)
	WTBL	Philadelphia Will ET Tues Mar.1, from 3-5 A.M. 250 watts V/S Joe Pelletier. C.E.,
900	KHOZ	Harrison Ark. F/C 1st SUN- 7:30- 7:40-(McCurdy-Ill)
910	WRNL	Richmond Va A.N. & Dys.(Bowab-Ala)
970	KSYL	Alexandria La. R/C 3rd SAT 1:15- 1:30(Kraul-Ill)
1030	WBZ	Boston Mass. A.N. Exc. MON 00:07- 5:15-
1050	WACR	Columbus Mo S/off 6:15-(Beitman-O)
	KSTIS	Sedalia Mo. S/on Wk Dys 07:00- S/off 6:15-(Beitman-O)
	KVLC	Little Rock Ark. S/on Wk Dys 7:15- S/off 6:15 P.M. Beitma
	KMCO	Garden City Kans. S/off Wk Dys 6:15-(Beitman-O)
1060	WNOB	New Orleans La A.N. Exc. MON. 01:07-06:00- (Bowab-Ala)
1050	WZIP	Covington Ky. S/on 7:30- S/off 6:15-(Beitman-O)
1150	WDEL	Wilmington Del. S/on 06:00 Wk Dys-(Kraul-Ill)
1260	WJHJ	East Point Ga. S/on 06:00 SUN.- (Kraul-Ill)
1270	KSCB	Liberal Kans. R/C 15yh of month
1320	WFR	Wis Rapids Wisc. F/C TH 2/22 1:40-1:45 ex 1340- Kraul-
1330	WFIN	Findlay O S/on 06:08-(Kraul-Ill)
1350	WCHI	Chillicothe O S/on 05:00-(Kraul-Ill)
	WOKK	York Pa. S/on 05:00-(Kraul-Ill.)
1360	KOTA	Rapid City S.D. S/off 02:00(Kraul-Ill)
1380	WKPTJ	Farmington Me. Will ET MON. Apr. 4- 1:15- 2:30-(Krusc-
1400	WELM	Elmira N.Y. to Change Area. to 1410- 1 Kw.(Beitman-O)
	WCOS	Columbia S.C. A.N. Inc. MON-Bowab- Ala)
1420	WVGS	Griffin Ga. S/on Wk Dys 05:00- Ev)
1440	WGCB	Red Lion Pa S/on 05:00 Ev)
1450	WHSC	Hartsville S.C. F/C TH 4th MON- 2:00-2:15- may of Changed from 3rd MON (Kraul-Ill)
1480	WCIN	Cimcinatti O. S/on 7:30- S/off 8 P.M.(Beitman- O.)
1490	WOLF	Syracuse N.Y. S/on 04:00 Kraul-Ill.
1560	WENS	Cohocton O. S/on 06:30-(Kraul-Ill.)
1570	WYER	Verranton Va. ET's 2/14- 2:25- 2:45-(Kraul-Ill.)Ev)
1580	KLOU	Lake Charles La. A.N. Exc. MON. 1:00- 7:00- Bowab-Ala.)
	WLIJ	Shelbyville Tenn F/C 3rd SAT. 1:15- 1:25-(Kraul-Ill)
1590	WATH	Atmore Ala. F/C 3rd WED. 2/25 S/on Wk Dys- 06:00 Year around. S/on SUN. 6:30-(Bowab- Ala)
1600	KOHI	St. Helens Ore. is due to start R/S Mar.1. watch for ET's. (L.Krusc-Ia)

New Call for Davenport Ia. is KMT- ex KMA- stands for (Quint)
Which is the five Cities comprising that Area. (Krusc-Ia) 73's Ev.

Well its Friday and the time 4:15 PM and nothing as yet received in regard to our Foreign Section. Evidentally one of 2 things are the cause. Fred is sick or Pennsylvania's roads etc are still snow bound. So again this issue of DX News will be mailed Saturday AM even if it has to be taken to the P.O. by Dog Sled, last Saturday account of the snow, it was by Bus. Anyway we made it OK and hope it fared OK from there on. Even if Snow is Snow, DX News must go.

Now to one item. Please lads there are 2 ways of doing things, one is the right way and of course the other is the wrong way. So lets do it the right way, that is in sofar as to any change of QRA, info that pertains to any part of the publishing of DX News, dues etc SHOULD be sent to either P.O. Box 63-Kensington Station, Buffalo 15, N.Y. or to my home QRA 325 Shirley Ave-Buffalo 15, N.Y., and NOT to the Editors because at times I do not get to read DX News until after it has been mailed. -Ray.