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

		kc/s		Watts	A.M. E.S.T.	
Sat. 11/ 4	K Z I P	1310	Amarillo, Texas	1,000	2:15 - 2:30	f/c-TT-NRC
Mon. 11/13	W Q T E	560	Monroe, Michigan	500	12:01 - 2:00	PoP-ET-NRC
	W N P V	1440	Lansdale, Pennsylvania	500	4:00 - 4:30	N R C
Mon. 11/20	C K C L	600	Truro, Nova Scotia	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	N N R C
	W D L R	1550	Delaware, Ohio	500	4:30 - 5:00	N R C
Mon. 11/27	C J E T	630	Smiths Falls, Ontario	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	N N R C
	C F O X	1470	Pointe Claire, Quebec	1,000	3:30 - 4:30	N N R C
Mon. 12/ 4	C J I B	940	Vernon, British Col.	5,000	4:00 - 5:00	N N R C
Mon. 12/11	W L E O	1170	Ponce, Puerto Rico	250	4:00 - 4:30	N R C
Mon. 1/ 8	C J K L	560	Kirkland Lake, Ontario	5,000	3:30 - 4:30	N N R C
	C K N B	950	Campbellton, New Br.	1,000	4:00 - 5:00	N N R C
Mon. 1/22	C J F X	580	Antigonish, Nova Scotia	1,000	3:00 - 4:00	N N R C
	C F G P	1050	Grande Prairie, Alta.	10,000	4:00 - 5:00	N N R C

### K Z I P

KZIP's bi-monthly frequency check opens the NRC DX season. Many of us visited this station while we were at the NRC Amarillo Convention, their studios and transmitter being only two blocks from the Ramada Inn. The check will be with cycle tone, and may penetrate the 1310 all-nighters for many of us. Perhaps there will be call letter IDs in Morse Code, too, to help identify this 1,000 watt non-directional daytimer, on its regular frequency check period. Reports should be sent to Ernie Thrasher, DeeJay at KZIP, known to his many radio friends as "Uncle Ern."

### LAST CALL FOR F/Cs

The NRC 1961/1962 Frequency Check list is about to go to press. If you have any f/cs which are not now listed, please send them IMMEDIATELY to Larry Godwin, 1506 Broadway, Boulder, Colorado. Larry will very soon compile this new list, so do it NOW!

### CHANGES IN STATION DATA - FCC

(Purchased by the N.R.C. from the Seabrooke Printing Co., Inc., Washington, D.C.)

<u>NEW STATIONS</u>			<u>NEW CALLS</u>		
610	Mount Laurier, Quebec	1,000 U-2	940	W J O R	South Haven, Michigan
940	Aurora, Missouri	500 D-1		K S W M	Aurora, Missouri
1240	Abbotsford, Brit. Columbia	250 U-1	1050	K C A S	Slaton, Texas
1430	Highland Park, Illinois	1,000 D-3	1220	K R L Y	Goldbeach, Oregon
1490	Wilmot Station, Nova Sc.	250 U-1		K A P T	Salem, Oregon
1510	Joliet, Illinois	500 D-1	1240	Cottonwood, Arizona	K V R D
	Three Rivers, Michigan	500 D-1	1260	W N R K	Newark, Delaware
1520	Hollister, California	500 D-1	1390	K J P W	Waynesville, Missouri
	Loves Park, Illinois	500 D-1	1450	K R B N	Red Lodge, Montana
1530	Quantico, Virginia	250 D-1		W S M G	Greeneville, Tennessee
1600	Sag Harbor, L.I., New York	500 D-1	1480	W S H P	Shippensburg, Penna.
			1490	W Z O E	Princeton, Illinois
1560	K I Q S	Willows, California	1550	K I W A	Sheldon, Iowa
1570	K U X L	Golden Valley, Minnesota (cond P11)		W M O E	Jackson, Mississippi /11/2

NOTICE Sat Nov 11th P.O. Holiday-See bottom Page 11. Mailing DX News

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

540	W DqM V	Paul M. Llewellyn, CE	B	1320	W E E W	Walter J. Stiles, PD	K
	K V I P	Don Hoffman, PD	F	1330	K A H R	Tim Kelly, ACE	CF
580	C K Y	A. Malowanchuk, CE	F		K M O P	Kenneth Ferguson, CE	C
	WqE LuO	LeRoy Green, CE	E		K PpO J	H. C. Davidson, CE	F
590	K U G N	George L. Hathaway, CE	CF	1340	K Q T E	R. G. Sift, CE	J
	K H Q	Dee Waymire, CE	F	1350	K C O R	Marvin L. Fiedler, CE	C
	K IqD	Carroll R. Secrist, CE	F		W I N Y	Winnie Beetle	K
	K FfX M	Lyle E. Kilgore, CE	J		W C M P	Mitchell Dupre, CE	J
690	W SfJ S	C. Leon Lasley, DRadioEg	C	1360	W SqA I	J. Bortz, CE	J
	K OqG O	LeRoy A. Bellwood, CE	F		K R Y S	Leo S. Burch, CE	C
610	W CqK R	Gene Rider, CE	E		K W R V	Ken Nelson, PD	G
630	W M A L	Harold Green, PD	H	1370	K P O R	Mrs. Ann Nelson, TM	J
	C KqR C	Roy T. Maguire, E	CF	1380	W BpN X	Harry H. Haslett	I
640	K F I	C. W. Mason, CE	D	1390	K SqL M	Clyde Carleton	F
720	W G N	G. William Lang, CE	F	1400	C K D H	William F. Wall, M	D
770	K X A	Roman W. Wassenberg, E	F		W J Q S	Len Heilbronner, VP, GM	G
790	K U T A	Don Boston, NxEd	C		W Rtl G	Duke Wright, CE	G
	K GfH L	Donald M. Grey, PD	C	1410	W KpB H	Leonard Anderson, Prod M	C
800	C JqA D	(Ernest Mott, CE	G		C F U N	S. W. Davis, CE	F
		(Mrs. Grace Tsadilas	I	1420	K T R E	Richman Lewin, VP, GM	F
	W JpA T	John All, CE	I		K T O E	Shirley Warneke	J
	K IfN Y	J. W. McKinley, P, M	J		W E M B	Don E. Garland, CE	CE H
825	YfN OcL	John W. Tieszen, PD	G		W A L Y	Robert Vincent Leskovar	H
850	C KqR D	Kent Martin	J	1430	W D Y L	Daniel Mizell, CE	K
860	K W R F	Paul Demaree	I	1440	K D N T	Harwell V. Shepard, O, M	E
870	W H C U	Robert L. Stevenson, E	G		W B U Y	Greeley N. Hilton, M, Co-0	C
880	W C B S	L. W. Clardy	D		K E Y S	Mark Parma, E	CJ
910	W A K O	Carl Shannon, CE(notKAKO)	G	1450	K S A N	John R. Skelton, E	C
	K R I O	Francis A. Manuel, CE	C	1460	W AfC O	Jack Vinson, CE	C
	W FfD F	G. C. Wolpert, CE	J		W H E C	Howard B. Bouatt, CE	J
930	C JfC A	Frank Hollingsworth	C	1470	X EeA U	William Wood Jr., PD	F
940	C BqM	E. D. Mitchell	G	1480	W WpQ K	Anthony Ostopold, CE	I
960	K N E Z	Ralph B. Hamilton, CE	C		K LpE O	Earl Russell, CE	C
	W B O C	Davey Crockett, E	I		W A R I	Mrs. James T. Reeder	X
970	K O I N	Willard A. Mears, PM	F	1490	W E M J	Don Lefebvre, CE	K
990	C B T	J. Maloney, Tchn.	D	1540	K G B C	Luke M. Stripling, CE	C
1010	W M R T	Herbert T. Graham, O	A	1560	K G U L	Dale Land, A, E	A
1070	C HqE K	Karl E. Monk, SM	E		C F R S	Robert R. Watnough, CE	AI
	W FqL I	Robert R. Wolfe, CE	K		K Pcm C	Leo P. Jarvis, CE	H
	W K O W	Robert Wickhem, CE	H	1570	W E A D	Ben F. Williams, OpE	A
1100	K Y W	S. V. Stadig, CE	D		W M E S	Don H. Winzate, GM	B
1140	K LfP R	Charles Davis, CE	J		W H L P	Oscar I. Eubank Jr. AudE	BK
1150	C KfX	E. H. Davies, CE	J		K M A R	Si Willing, GM	CFI
	K J A X	John K. Withers, P	F		W A P L	Robert Falkner, CE	E
	K RqK D	B. C. Brown	F		W B U Z	Charles Smith, CE	GI
1190	W O W O	Harold L. Brokaw, CE	D	1580	K D O M	R. D. Thompson, GM	G
1220	K I B E	Donald G. Wirtz, PD	C	1590	K C C R	Daniel Birin	G
1230	K W G	James Roddy, PD	F	1580	W KcK D	Russell Salter, M	A
1240	K M B Y	Galyn Hammond, GM	C	1590	K I N T	John R. Stewart II CoO, A	C
	C J R W	Angus H. Mackie, CE	D		W Y N G	Les Brown, Nx	E
1250	C KqO M	Maynard Green, CE	J		W G E E	Warren Fooks, CE	F
1260	K P O W	J. S. Kilness, CE	EJ	1600	K AqS H	Ralph Cook, CE	CF
1270	K A H R	Tim Kelly, E	CGJ		W C G O	A. V. Santucci, GM	C
	K A J O	Charles Field, CE	G		K O G T	William Tate, CE	C
	C H A T	Sid Gaffney, TD	J				
1280	K E R G	William H. Green, CE	J		A - Len Kruse (More still held over!)		
	K T O O	Fred Kidd, CE	C		B - Pat Reilley	G - Fran Nittler	
1300	K OqL	Lloyd C. Hannah, CE	F		C - Larry Schwartz	H - Ralph Johanss	
1310	W DqK D	C. Jackson, A	G		D - unsigned	I - Ev Johnson	
	W B F D	R. S. Harrison Jr., SM	H		E - Dallas John	J - B/K Wilson	
					F - Pete Taylor	K - Ernie Cooper	

Larry Godwin - 1506 Broadway - Boulder, Colorado

Hi Gang! Greetings from the land of f/c list compiling! Things are progressing rapidly. THIS IS YOUR LAST CHANCE to send in f/cs to me. Please list call, location, frequency, and of course, date and time (EST) of the check. I am interested only in checks after 1/1/61, so please cooperate. DX has been poor here, but note Jeff Stewart got KWIN-1400 Ashland, Ore. f/c for his first graveyarder in that state. XERF is back! By the way, a Convention Summary is forth-coming. I'll be home over Thanksgiving, and Jeff and I will compile the Summary then. Will close by saying 73s and best DX to all, and that unbeaten University of Colorado will play in the Orange Bowl this year, having defeated Kansas and Miami. I'll be in Indianapolis - will you?

Jeff Stewart - 3018 Washington Street - Amarillo, Texas

Hi everyone! DX has really picked up here, with some new additions to my logs. On 9/18, KFQD-730, Anchorage, Alaska was coming in with strong signal at 4 a.m. WGR-550 Buffalo, N.Y. heard on RS and CKLG-730 North Vancouver, B.C. KFQD was unnn but welcome anyway. On 9/21, CJDR-1350, Dawson Creek, B.C. was heard on s/off at 3:07. KTLU-1580 Rusk, Tex. testing, and KOL-1300, Seattle, RS. On 10/7, WHLP-1570, Centerville, Tenn. testing, and WMES (?) in Ashburn, Ga. also 1570, testing. On 10/9, KWIN-1400, Ashland Ore. f/c 3-3:30. 10/16 was a great AM with the following heard: WGAR-1220, Cleveland, O. s/on at 4:30; WJW-850, Cleveland, s/on at 4:45; WABA-850, Aguadilla, P.R. s/on at 4:55; WSJS-600, Winston-Salem, N.C. s/on 5:01; WEAN-790, Providence, R.I. s/on at 3:57 for a new state (thanks, Bob Easterly); and KICY-850 Nome, Alaska, with S-7 signal from 4-4:30 for very welcome catch. Veries in from WFUL, Fulton, Ky.; KWIN, Ashland, Ore., WNAX Yankton, S.D and WORK York, Pa. Apologies for the condition of the Sept. 18 DX NEWS, but we ran into all kinds of troubles with the mimeo machine etc. which we couldn't correct. Well, Friday the 13th was very unlucky! XERF was on the air that night, so they aren't gone for good after all. Well, I hope everyone got to clean up 1570 during that two month period they were off the air. I landed several new ones, so I can't complain. Best of DX to everyone, and 73s.

George Greene - 1527 Sunset Avenue - Akron 19, Ohio

Hi to all members! Indianapolis for '62 and Denver for '63! I am almost positive that I will be at next year's Convention. New stations for this report are: 10/14-CKCY-920 and 10/17 WJLS-560. No new veries or reports sent out. While listening to WMNI-920, I could hear a station in the background. Later on, they were in real \$/ strong. And I thought I had WIND-560 on last night, but when they IDed, it turned out to be WJLS. At that time I tuned over to 620 just in time to hear the 620 station in Beckley ID also. I had the latter before. Thanks to all those requesting and sending surveys. Also to those who wrote letters asking for pictures and answering my New Orleans question, I have unlimited surveys for anyone who might want some. To those who're getting WAKR pictures, they will be in the mail this Saturday or Sunday. The members getting them are Frank Johnson, Sid Rosenbaum and Mike King. Question: Does anyone know which was WLCY-130 is directional at night? Local news: WCMW-1060 in Canton, O. has just changed their call from WCMW to WHOF. Their programming is basically the same as before, all rr. They now use the slogan "Hall of Fame Radio." On Saturday night, October 14, Western CX were very good. As soon as local WHLO-640 left the air at 9:15 p.m., I could hear KFI-640 real well. Usually I don't hear them until late at night. Also on 1070, KNX was real clear and well over WIBC. On 1160 at about the same time I heard KNX, I heard KSL in Salt Lake City perfectly well without any interference at all from Radio Swan. See you next week. 73s.

Wayne Pierce - 400 Winans Avenue - Vestal, New York

WTOP, for a large station, has a nice QSL service. I got the card plus a nice description of the XR. They have a nice set-up there. WLS still has the best one, color-wise that I've gotten. Have noticed some of the more distant calls rolling in, so the season is on its way. WCMW, Canton, O. over WRCV at 7 p.m. Has WEEP-1080, Pittsburgh, changed calls again? Recently I've heard what sounded like WIRE or WYRE. Glad to see so many made it to the Convention. Didn't make it myself, but you know what they used to say in Brooklyn. Will someone please fill me in on what did or didn't happen concerning WRUL's offer to the NRC? For some reason I'm not in the area that they cover at the time of some broadcasts. Piece in TIME very interesting (XERF). I have heard WCAW-680, W. Va. strong as usual. They rule 680 when on. Also noticed WHWB is in strong on most sunsets. Anyone around here might try for this Rutland, Vt. station then. Till next issue, 73s.

Jim Ernst - Mahone Bay, Nova Scotia

I have been absent in these pages in quite a few weeks. I was very disappointed that I could not make the Amarillo caper, but just was not able to get the time off from the station - Labor Day plus my other weekend shifts just couldn't be covered this year. Next year, I hope. Sorry to say, I will not be returning to college this year, but am taking the year off to work and build up my financial reserves, and then next year say the heck with the part-time jobs, and fully concentrate on my college work. I will be returning to New Jersey in about six weeks to work at Federated Electronics. Since I have been living out of the U.S. more than two and a half years, I have to go through all the red tape of passport photos, visa, finger printing, etc. etc. and U.S. Consulate in Halifax says at least six weeks' wait. So, will be with CKBW until end of November. DX? Yes! Don't have the dates but have been able to log and report the following this season: Spain-836 (Huelva) for new country; Algeria-890, ditto; Czechoslovakia-638 ditto; Roma-845 ditto; also XEFR-1180, WMNB-1240, HJAK-1310 latter two on Northern Lights, bless 'em; BBC-1214, and KCBQ-1170 really, and I mean, really, booming in this past weekend, Oct. 9. Veries: W.I.B.S.-1044; WKVA-920, some TV stuff. Have noted PRG2-1040 and CX28 really rolling in during the last few weeks. CSB9-782 has been coming in as early at 6 p.m. here, still broad daylight, and 4:00 EST! Looks like a good season, so say the least. Say, how about a v/s for KUPD-1060, someone? Doug Murray wants to see what their verie looks like, and I'm just a-dying to show him! Bought a '23 Dodge for \$30 and have been fixing it up. Lots of work, but fun and extremely interesting. Also got a '24 for \$8 for parts. Cheers and an egg in your Seven-Up, since I don't drink beer, hi. Have a ball. (On Seven Up? -ed.)

Doug Murray - 277 Portland Street - Dartmouth, Nova Scotia

Hi. I'm back after an absence of a month or so in the Musings. DX is looking up here with about 30 new ones in the last 30 days. Most of these are daytimers due to sunset and early morning DX on mh new rig. I picked up an old RCA cabinet radio, nine tubes, with accurate dial, good selectivity and sensitivity, geared dial, 12" speaker - price only \$10. A real steal, hi! Reception has increased about 50%, especially in the day time. DX: 26/8- CHEC-1090 2:00 a.m. EST, WKVA-920 1:50 a.m., XEFR-1180 2:05. 14/9- WORL/WAGM/WIBX, all 950 and all between 5:15 and 6:00 a.m. 16/9- WKTJ-1380 4:00 EST. 17/9- WOKW-1410 4:51 a.m., WLKW-990 5:00, WCME-900 5:05. 22/9- WRUM-790 8:00 a.m. 24/9- WCCM-800 5:05 a.m. 12/10- WKMF-1470 5:55 a.m. 17/10- WBNF-1290 5:00 s/on. 13/10- WHEC-1460 4:55 a.m., WEMJ-1390 5:30. 16/10- WKOP-1360 5:15 a.m., WOTT-1410 5:00. Also on 23/9 three new TAs were heard, logged and two were written - Roma-II-845, Vatican City-1529, and Algeria-890. All were heard around 6:30 p.m. EST. Veries here, WMHI-1370 QSL, WIRY-1240 PP, WSIP-1490, CHEC-1090, WLPM-1460, KIMN-950, WORL-950, WIBX-950, WKTJ-1380, WOKW-1410, WRUM-790, WKVA-920, WCCM-800, WNCA-1570. Station total now 455, veries are 225. 73s.

Joseph Fela Jr. - 102 Hawthorne Avenue - Newark 12, New Jersey

Hi out there! CX have been pretty fair here so some DX to report. With 31 reports out, veries seem hard to come by with the only ones WEAN (returned postage) WBCB and WPTS, all letters. Loggings - 10/13- (note appropriate date) heard XERF-1570 back at 10:30 p.m. 10/14- WDMV-540 and WBMD-750 pulled through during daylight hours for reports. Also WHWB-1000 s/off at 5:15 p.m., WEER s/off (with Dixie) at 5:29, WLOA-1550 s/off at 5:45, WHCU-870 at 5:54, 10:00 CBJ-1580 with English NX and French ID, 11:21 WFIL-1580 heard briefly with roundup of a football game (just over) and part of after-game program. 10/15- Excellent twilight CX DX again with WNAK-730 rather strong between 5-5:30 p.m s/off (heard weekly during daylight hours), WKIX-850 on top at 5:38, WMBL-740 s/off at 5:45, CJAD-800 in the clear at 6 without a trace of CKLW, and WLIJ-1580 s/off 6:16. The only trouble with this twilight business is a lot is heard and almost nothing reported - nothing will stay on top long enough for a report. 10/16- 12:35 a.m. WDYL-1430 ET asking for calls/reports, WVJS-1420 s/off 12:56, WBNS-1460 s/off at 12:59, WOW-590 ID at 1:02 through QRM, KX-1070 briefly at 1:05 with local NX/WX - WFLI wasn't blasting too much for about five minutes but then resumed it and knocked out KNX. 1:29 KRIG-1410 with WX and ID, 2:03 CJNE-1460 with BX and s/off a little later, 3:00 WTJH-1260 ET. 10/19- CBM-940 noted in rather early at 3:50 p.m., still daylight, two hours before sunset). 10/20- WFBG-1290 in the clear at 5:20. Also, possible reception of CSB9-782. Split frequency on or about 782 a little above WBBM-780. WIAB made it almost totally unreadable with its splatter - WBBM was no problem with the loop. Station was broadcasting in Spanish or Portuguese (I can't (( P. :

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(Joe Fela) tell the difference, frankly). S/off at 8:31 p.m. with an anthem of some sort. Can anyone tell me if this is the s/off time of CSB9? 10/21- Initial ET of WPSE-1580 in Easton, Ga. (?). Can't find a listing of it. Ended test at 2:15 a.m. Power given as 500 watts. Enough for this report so 73s. (WFFE-1580, Eastman, Ga.-ed)

Martin Siegel - 2251 Knapp Street - Brooklyn 29, New York

Hi! This is my first entry in the Musings. I have a rather interesting device to describe which can be used as a good substitute for a loop antenna. I've heard the following stations using it; WANN Annapolis, Md. through local WLIB; WBFD Bedford, Pa. through semi-local WJLK; WRRF-930 Washington, N.C. through local WPAT; WCMS Norfolk Va. and WQMR Silver Springs, Md. through 50 kw. local WMGM. On the average it cuts the signal of an unwanted station by about six S unites. It uses two non-parallel wires of 50' or more. They needn't be equal in size or height. The device is actually an elaborate antenna tuner which adds equal and opposite signals from the undesired station while having little or no effect on the desired station. It has one important weakness which is the need for frequent readjustment to maintain a deep null. It is not too complicated to build, and with the addition of a few switches can be made to peak as well as null signals. If I find that there is an interest in this device I'll try in one of the next few copies of the DX NEWS to describe how to build and use it. (Welcome to DX NEWS, Marty, and that sounds fascinating to me! -ed.)

Pete Taylor - 2340 Pacific Avenue - San Francisco 15, California

10/19. This is not an editorial, but thought this excerpt from my KFAR-630 verie would be of interest. "It is a real pleasure to hear from someone who understands DX and can identify the station definitely. I receive several letters a week from people who may or may not have heard KFAR, and are after QSL cards at any cost." CE Don Porter also added, "You may some time hear a KFAR announcer say "Even in San Francisco they listen to KFAR" using your name and address." Why not? Meanwhile, kilocycle kapers are like so, all RS: 10/13- KCVR-1570. 10/15- KIT-1280. 10/16- JOHB-1090, CFQC-600 WFDF-910 JOGB-1350 KDWB-630 KHOE-1400 KENN-1390 KWCO-1560 KWOA-730 KEST-790 KLAN-1320 KVFC-740 KGIL/KWIQ-1260, through KYA carrier. 10/17- KCPX-1320 JOOR-1210 JONF-1480. 10/18- CJOB-680. KVFC-740 Cortez, Colo. says they are now full time. All right, West Coast DXers, let's do it; the TPs are on the scene, and loudly so. All the Japanese stations logged above were carrying American music or programming in English (language lessons, etc.). VOA Okinawa has dropped down to 1179. HLJX in Inchon heard with ID 6:30 a.m. S-2, and Pyongyang-785 has been fairly strong. So there are a few to be had KKHI-1550 didn't go on the air this past Monday due to union difficulties. And saving the very best for last, XERF is back on. 73s.

David E. Roys - 5121 Radnor Road - Convention City '62.

Hello out there. Plans are being made for a real swingin' Convention in '62. Will you be there? Right now you can send reports to Church Breece at WFEM-1260. They are having special QSL cards made up to commemorate the '62 Convention. I will soon contact some of the other stations for that reason. I will let you know the results. Now to some long awaited DX. On 10/16, I had the best AM so far of the coming season. First, the long awaited KCOK-1270, logged through XEAZ with difficulty at 3 a.m. Then between 3:00 and 3:30, the 920 spot became interesting. Oriental music and announcements were heard, probably KAHU on RS, so a tentative off to that one. Then KRAM broke through on its AN show for Nevada #3. Then at 4:20 a.m. 1000 kc/s. became the point of interest, with CKEW leading the way and something behind, possibly 1ZD. PRI3-880 was also noticed. Then at 4:57 it was back to 1000 to hear WHWB's s/on, to complete the 48 conterminous states in my log. One state continues to evade me, Alaska, but I already have a possibility on that as several Monday AMs ago I heard something on 730 way under CKLG between 4:30 and 4:39, but unidentifiable due to CKLG QRM. Will definitely keep trying for that one. That being all the pertinent data at hand, I will s/off with that new LP, for stations with wide side bands, "Music for Clatter, Plunk and Tink", by that famous singing group, the Splatters.

Stan Alexander - 207 North 10 Street - Atchison, Kansas

Since my last report I have received the following new stations: WMIN-1400, 250 w., St Paul; WBNX-1380, 5 kw., New York; KLAK-1600, 1 kw. Lakewood, Colo.; WCEM-1240, 250 w., Cambridge, Md.; KBRX-1350 1 kw. McNeil, Nebr.; KWCO-1560, 250 w., Chickasha, Okla.; CJOC-1220 5 kw., Lethbridge, Alta.; KING-1090 50 kw., Seattle; CHEC-1090 5 kw., Lethbridge, Alta.; WQUA-1230 250w., Moline, Ill.; KMBY-1240 250w. Billings, Mont.; KOUR-1220 250w., Independence, Iowa; KPIK-1580, 5 kw., Colorado Springs, Cal.; (Page 6)

(Stan Alexander) KFYO-790, 1 kw., Lubbock, Tex.; KDON-1460, 5 kw., Salinas, Cal.; CKCK-820 5 kw., Regina, Sask.; WJOB-1230, 250w. Hammond, Ind. and WEMP-1250, 5 kw., Milwaukee, Wis.

Bob Karchevski, - 188 Marlborough - Boston 16, Massachusetts

As a new member amongst you, I give you greetings from Downtown Boston. As you might suspect, I dislike WBZ WHDH WNAC WORL WMEX WHIL WCOP and WEEI. These are the local jamming XRs. Because of them I must develop and install an RF Amp in my DX receiver, an RCA U-125 (1938). I don't DX as much as most of you other Musers, but the U-125 here in Boston has got me so far (\* verified): CFNB\*-550 New Brunswick, WATE\*-620 Knoxville, WTMJ\*-620 Milwaukee, WWRN-620 W. Va., KNBC-680 San Francisco, WDAK\*-540 Ga., WHO\*-1040, Des Moines, WDNC-620 N.C. among others. I have a 50' horizontal wire 20' above a five-story apartment house. I have developed a "Quality Point System" that tells me the relative difficulty of receiving different stations. I would appreciate hearing any comments, suggestions and criticisms you might have. Based on formula: Distance in Statute Miles divided by the square root of the Power in Watts ( $D/\sqrt{P}$ ), a station with little power or great distance will have a very high quality point rating. For instance: 50 kw., KNBC is 11.876; WMAQ 3/7455, WMGM .75723, 5 kw., WGAN (Maine) is 1.5912, CFRA (Ottawa) is 4.4200, WTMJ (Milwaukee) 11.733. 500 watts, WDAK (Ga.) 46.908 (my best). From W. Va.; WWRN (500 w.) 27.443, WCAW 250 w. 38.309. As of 9/18/61, WHDH and WCOP only Boston XRs on AN on Monday mornings. The rest are off approximately four hours. Also, WHDH is carrying all Boston Bruin Hockey games, home and away. In the 8/19/61 Musings Dave Gleason made a reference to PP cards. Would someone please publish an explanation of a PP card? It's not mentioned in the abbreviation list, and some other members may be confused also. Thanks, 73s. (Welcome to Musings and NRC, Bob- PP card is a prepared card verie. We hope for more from you! -ed.)

Frank Wheeler - Box 176 - R. D. 5 - Erie, Pennsylvania

Remember me, hi! Here is my first report for the '61 and '62 season. I started DXing again Sept. 20 when I got my first new one for this season: WBRO-1310 12:30 a.m. (all time EST and all stations new for me). Oct. 2 gave me two more new ones as follows: WIKC-1490 f/c 1:39 a.m. and KWCB-1300 f/c 1:47 a.m. Oct. 9 gave me two more new ones: WLLI-1450 XR test 1:20 a.m. and WBCH, Hastings, Mich. 1220 1:21 a.m. f/c. These new ones brought my total received to 2,244. I receive a nice v/1 from WBRN-1220 received on XR test Oct. 7 2:18 a.m., another new one for me. I received a station prepared verie card from WBCH, which brought my verie totals up to 1,362. I'm looking forward to the new contests for this year. That's it for now. 73s.

Len Kruse - 816 Euclid Street - Dubuque, Iowa

The latest loggings at this den included the ET of the brand new KATQ-940 Texarkana, Texas on 10/9 from 3:15-3:30 a.m. in the clear. Incidentally, further ETs were heard one week later almost at the same hour on 10/16. AN station KMON-560 Great Falls, Mont. was heard for the first time on 10/9 from 4-5 a.m., with slight QRM from AN WQAM. Then Station CFGM-1310 Richmond Hill, Ont., the new calls of CJRH was heard with its AN programming on 10/15, with cw music. It was just two days earlier that CJRH had calls changed to CFGM, and increased power from 250 to 2,500 watts at night; and is now using 10 kw. power daytime. Also on 10/15 Ia a's new station KIWA-1550 Sheldon, Iowa, was heard on ETs from 2:10-3 a.m. with slight QRM from AN KKJO. On 10/18 Station KSYX-1420 Santa Rosa, N.M. was heard on f/c-TT from 2:05-2:20 a.m., with interference noted from AN WHK. The same morning of 10/18 I heard the new WAWA-1590 West Allis, Wisc. on ETs from 3:32-4:10 a.m., well on top of AN WAKR. Latest verifications were letters from KATQ WEIS CFGM and a PP card from WPGA.

Dallas John - 337 South Street - Lombard, Illinois

Hi. Veries: WCKR large QSL, KDNT picture post card, WJAX and WMBR letters, WAKR QSL, WKWF QSL, and YNOL form and personal letter, plus post card. This one came back in about two weeks. DX is: 10/14- Around midnight I heard CFGM on 1310 overriding all, with cw music and 10,000 watts. Didn't catch location, but I believe it was Toronto. (Richmond, Hill, Ont. -ed.) Also heard WHIO-1290 for report. 10/16, at 2:55 I heard KGA s/off on clear channel, and a little later KPMC-1560 s/off. Continuous music on 940 over KIOA (AN?) turned out to be the new KATQ, Texarkana, Tex. with 1,000 watts. Also KIWA-1550 in Iowa was heard on ETs from 2:00 to 3:05. KATQ ID was at 2:00 and they were off around 3:33. The opera between CFRE/WINS and WIBG turned out to be KOMO whose signal came up for ID and s/off at 3:56-4:00. At 4, WORL-950 s/on very (Engng?) WJAR 920 was also heard from 4:30-5, griping about the WX, hi. WPRW-1460 s/on (P. 7)

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(Dal John) s/on at 4:32, over WRVK, who had s/on at 4:30. In all, I got 14 reports off during the weekend. Oh, I forgot. I heard WATS-960 on r/c, 10/14. That is about it. I am reasonably sure of having 200 veries by next report. 73s.

Ev Johnson - 504 16th Street - Mendota, Illinois

DX has picked up some, with a few locals heard. The Great DJ on 1570 is back again, but managed to log a few on 1570 before he came back. DX since last report is: 10/7- WKEI-1450 on r/c. WDOV-1440 r/c. WJUD-1580 on r/c 3:30-3:45, not as listed in f/c list. WGHM-1370 and WKEI not needed. 10/8, Saturday, WGSB-1480 on test with OC and ID every half hour. WZOE-1490 Princeton, Ill. local on ETs with music. Veri back to-day saying be on air for RS Wednesday 10/25. KSWM-940 on with OC ID every half hour, but no voice here so no report. 10/9- WATC-900 r/c. KATQ-940 ETs in Texarkana Tex., veri back on RS October 22. WBBQ-1340 on f/c-TT. KIMA-1460 in good at 2. KRAI-550 on test 2:15-2:30 so may be regular. KXLY-920 great on RS 2:30. 10/10- WYTI-1570 with r/c. S/on 6:30. 10/14- WIRJ AN 740. CFAC-960 AN. KABL-960 AN. WGH-1310 AN and the new call for CJRH heard well here, CFGM, on 1310 AN. Must have 10 kw. now. WGSB-1480 again ETs. Sunday 10/15 KUTT-1550 test 1-1:45. WSBA-910 AN Sunday. WKLO-1080 AN. 10/16- The new station in Sheldon, Ia. on 1550 kc/s. on ETs, KIWA. WBNX-1380 AN. KATQ-940 again, ETs. KEDD-1550 Dodge City Kans. heard on test 10/15 2:50 a.m. Veries here for October are from WSJS-600 KWHK-1260 third report, PP card back, WDOV-1440 KATQ-940 nice letter, WRYT-1250 letter after two months, WYTI-1570 and finally #2,200 veri was from WZOE Princeton, Ill., 1490. 18 new veries since 9/1/61, 18 reports not answered since then. Be sure to listen to all DX's and report regardless if needed or not as they are doing us this favor. Thanks to all for your Tips and help! them coming. ~~I'll use all space - Hope all have a fine DX season. --Thanks.~~ I'll use all space permitting. Hope all have a fine DX season. Thanks, and 73s.

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

CX have been good so far this month. If it continues to improve through the winter, it should be a banner DX year. Here is DX for the week. 10/15: WTAC-600 RS 5:30-5:45 and heard at 4:10 on Oct. 21st for easy logging. 10/16: KATQ-940 Texarkana, Tex. ETs 1:45-2:00 and on; KIWA-1550 Sheldon, Ia. ETs 2:20-2:35 and on; WJAB-1440 RS 4:13-4:22, and I thought Maine on RS virtually impossible here. 10/19: Heard brief bit of sports NX and ID from CFAC-1440 for third new B.C. in two weeks, but awful lot of QRM from KPIG and WIL putting on the squeeze. Time was 2:10. Oct. 21: KIZZ-1150 TT/r/c., KENN 1390 r/c, organ music; KLFD f/c-TT-1410 2:50-3:10 and on, ID at half hour; finally, KMRS-1570 ET 3:20-3:35, heard before, but not enough for decent report. This time they were way over XERF who sounded very respectable in Spanish. Veries for the week, WCBG, out two years, CKCY WTAC and KZOT, Mariana, Ark., and I'm thrilled to say, mine was their first DX report they received. Their major lobe is North, so it's easy for Mid-Westerners, hi!

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

V/ls in from WDYL-1430 with CM; KWRP-860, after a tentative of reception on 10/3 r/c; and v/f from WPAP-1570. Not too active a week productive-wise in DX, so a few other things first. First, to Sam Simmons, please tell me what you fellows mean by litter-boxes from stations. I'm stumped! Secondly, I would like to have all the local boys (and any others who would like to make a trip) here on Saturday, November 25, from 12 noon to 6 p.m. It's the Saturday of Thanksgiving weekend, so I'm hoping Bob Foxworth is reading and can make it. Also, I'd like to meet the newer members in this vicinity - how about it? I finally heard WERA-1590, but it was on U.S. Route 22 in New Jersey. When we got to Somerville, about 12 miles past South Plainfield, they had all but dropped out of the picture, so I can see they are exceedingly directional! Still no signal from them here, not even at midday, when it's still WEEZ and WERY, weakly. WBCB-1490 heard during daytime through most of NE New Jersey with their 1 kw. power. Two new ones in this week. 10/18- CFGM-1310, new Richmond Hill, Ont. AN, in like 16 Tons over all the other 1310 ANs and almost in the clear with their cw music, and selling a bus trip to WWVA's big Saturday night Jamboree for \$29.50. 10/19- A whirl around the band; only thing odd was unnn WVOT-1420 ET/M 2:30. 10/20- TT on 1550 at 1:17, unk. ET/M on 690, IDed at 1:47, but missed with weak volume, then endless records. Who? 10/21- Oh happy day; WBNX is silent apparently daily 4-5 a.m. when they come back in Spanish. Accordingly, WQXQ-1380 logged at 3:58-4:00 s/on. Unnn WDEA 1350 even with WAVY/WADC at 4:20 a.m., just before a big fishing trip on a horrible rainy cold day, hi. 10/23, Monday, nothing new or odd heard, reception noisy.

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

10/2, PM- A "Radio Rumbos" on 1110 - is this a new frequency for YVLL? 7:14 p.m. HJED-820 Cali copied for a report on loudest needed LA heard. Colombian on 1530 over WCKY HJBA? 10/3- WRDW-1480 noted AN with cw music. XERCN-1110 AN this AM- regular? PM, WEZY, Cocoa, Fla. 1350 in clear 6:30 p.m. YVNN-1110 Punto Fijo using "Rumbos" and "Radio Punto Fijo" slogan, copied 6:36-7:15 p.m. over WBT most of time. 10/4- WORC-1310 Worcester still on ER 1:35. WNJH-1580 Hammonton N.J. test 1:46 a.m. WONA-1570 Winona Miss. 1:49 a.m., mentioning DX reports/received on original ETs and hoping for more. WPOR-1490 Portland, Me. running AN with NX at 1:55, maybe another special they run fairly often. 10/5- Flensburg-1570 at 1:00. WZYX-1440 Cowan, Tenn. f/c 1:19. WARI-1480 Abbeville, Ala. test 1:42 a.m., new here. WEEZ-1590 Chester, Pa. test at 1:56. WIRL/WGLI/CKSL about equal on 1290. 10/7- WHLP-1570 Centerville Tenn. f/c 1:14-1:26 a.m. WNEE-1570 Ashburn, Ga. ET, OC and occasional announcements 1:05-1:43 s/off. WDOW-1440 Dowagiac, Mich. f/c-TT 1:45. WKIZ-1480 on ET 2:28 till after 3 - who is this? No ID could be made out through WRDW/WLEE but was 1,000 w. and EST, asking for reports - maybe Hazelhurst, Ga. 10/9- KBOX-1480 Dallas AN on top 1:08. WPOP-D410 Hartford test, 1:10. WAMY-1580 Amory Miss. test 1:24. KTFI-1270 Twin Falls RS 1:39. CKRC-630 Winnipeg AN snow 1:44. KWNT-1580 Davenport Ia. ET/M 1:49 a.m. for a report, still on 3:29. WISM-1480 Madison, Wis. s/off 2:05. KCBQ-1170 San Diego easy at 2:36 for a needed one. KATQ-940 Texarkana Tex. ET over WINZ @ 3:05. TT under both at same time. VOUS-1480 Argentia, Nfld. s/on 3:30 so evidently no longer AN. 10/10- Did penance - by listening to cl - copied XEN Mexico City on 695 from 1:09-2 for a report. WNJH-1580 on ET 2:05. WDYL-1430 Ashland Va. caught on tail end of ET 2:45-2:49 a.m. with good music - cw. 10/11- CJGX-940 Yorkton Sask. topping frequency 2-3, TT also but couldn't catch ID if any. V/c from WARI. 10/13- TT/OC on 1550 1:38-2 and later but no ID. WLIQ-1360 Mobile topped frequency 2:17, TT and announcements. WUIL-1580 2:40. WPFE-1580 Eastman Ga. also 2:40 on initial ET. Very friendly letter from WEEW who have been on since 9/6. Their PD lived in Mass. 1941-48 so quite interested in hearing from here. 10/14- It's a black day for DXers, XERF back and they seem to have one sponsor, Stan's Record Shop. WKXV-900 Knoxville ET 1:30. WMCR-1600 Oneida N.Y. Conelrad on 1240 2:18-2:30. WYLD? on 940 but too much from other two there to be sure.

Ken Murphy - 60 Plymouth Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut

CX seem to be improving somewhat of late and I have added 16 new stations to my heard log since the past report. Four of my last five additions have been K calls - KUTT-1550 KCHA-1580 KXYZ-1320 and KATQ-940. KXYZ now is heard here regularly with a good signal, have they increased power? WEMJ-1490 now also heard here almost every evening and often dominant. Another station I was glad to copy was WSNO-1450 as they topped the frequency on their 5 a.m. s/on. A very prompt and friendly v/l came in three days. I have now heard all Vermont stations but WBTN-1370 and they just can't seem to get through WFEA. Other verifications since last report are: WSHH-1570 thanks to Dick Cooper, WMHI-1370 WBRT-1320 KDTH-1370 WUSJ-1340 WKBO-810 WSOQ-1220 WORL-950 WFTL-1400 WDEC-1290 CJGX-940 and KUTT-1550. Have heard two or three my records don't show as having appeared in DX NEWS (yet). 1550 Sheldon, Iowa was copied as KIWA and 1480 Windermere, Fla. as W?IV. A new Canadian AN on 1310 is CFGM with a very strong signal, what is their power? Guess that is it for this time but looks like it is going to be a good DX season ahead. 73s.

Carroll Seth - 154 Parkridge - Buffalo 15, New York

Editor Cooper sent a card asking details on my KINY catch. On it he adds TGUX should be a snap for me Monday AMs. In Fred's International DX Digest of 10/7 I reported KINY and also TGUX. In the same issue Fred asked opinions on his new format. It goes against the grain to criticize our editors. I've seen Fred pounding out his column at 7 a.m. in a motel. He's put a lot of time in it over the years and the members have got a lot of tips through his efforts. It was no surprise though to find Ernie C. overlooking my items in Fred's column of 10/7. It would be easier reading if he returned to his former method of listing catches by continent and country. Including EEU and WRH NX of 50 watters in far countries only gives readers an inferiority complex. I think Fred might save this stuff for his reference library. It's a shame that when we like something we keep quiet. How often down the years have we complimented Fred Van Voorhees on his column? Not enough, so Fred shakes things up and winds up shaking up this reader. I can't help Ernie out of LA calls but if he differs with Stan Morss on reading calls suggest he accept Stan's version. After 5 days' tuning with him on the highways I feel he has the sharpest ears of any DXer I've ever met. (He was right!-ed



J. B. "Pat" Reilley - 628 Spring Street - Jamestown, New York

No new veries since last DX NEWS. 30 reports out. 10/15- KIWA-1550, Sheldon, Iowa on AN ET at 1:24. KUTT-1550, ET at 1:48 for two new ones. WGUY-1250 came on air for day's programs at 3:02. 10/16- KIWA-1550 ET at 1:10. WGGO-1590 f/c at 1:15 off air. KWYO-1410 f/c at 2:10. SS on 750 at 2:47 to 3:10 but no ID heard or no slogan used. 10/17- No DX, worked last night. 10/18- WCCN-1370 f/c at 2:35, then to bed as I worked last night. 10/19- SS on 735 again at 2:45. Some day I'll get a call or slogan. 10/20- Mess on 1550 at 1:16. Unk one said "The friendly voice of Kentucky?? KUTT on test at 1:35 with KKJO and Cuban raising heck. Mess also on 1580 at 2:00, one with 500 watts to 2:04 and off, a KT call. KFDF test at 2:07, then WPYB with ET at 2:12 a-top KFDF for new call. 10/21- WLIJ-1580, test at 1:20. WPFJ-1580 on test at 1:30. WQMN-1320 f/c at 1:46 to 2:00 for new call. Unk SS here at 2:25 on 1110 but no ID or slogan caught.

Ralph M. Johanns - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo 3, New York

Received the new 1961-62 Broadcasting Yearbook. To newer members, this 562 page book has the complete info for addresses and personnel corrected to 9/1/61 for all U.S. and Canadian AM/FM/TV stations, also radio stations in Mexico and the Carribean area. This later Mexican makes the one issued by NRC in April obsolete. Price, \$4, address to: Broadcasting, Subscription Dep't., 1735 Desales St., Washington 6, D.C. Locally, WYSL is keeping call letters for 1400 kc/s., will go 24 hours, studios atop Statler-Hilton, a McLendon station. WBNY's manager will join WMCA in New York. The 1080 kc/s. calls formerly WYSL most likely'll be changed. Joseph Bassett will be manager for WAMO's Dynamic Broadcasting, Inc. The EDT becomes EST at 2 a.m. 10/29 and means sked changes again, also day stations'll in November. Len's new CP list is a welcome feature and appreciated. Former WGR-550 manager William P. Dix Jr. is now GM at WGBI-910 in Scranton, Pa. Received the glossy red/white v/c from AN WSAI-1360, a Consolidated Sun Ray station. V/1 and folders from WSUI-910, State University of Iowa, Iowa City, Mrs. Linda Kellar, OM said 225' XR tower is 7° West of North directional, sked (no Sundays) is 8 a.m. - 10 p.m. CST and has r/c periods. She gave no sked, but as Carl Menzer is Director it may be worth while for NRC CPC to contact him for a special DX. KPNC-1560, P.O. Box 1709, Bakersfield, Cal. sent a CM and v/1 giving weekday s/on 6 a.m., Sunday 7, s/off Monday-Thursday is 11:30 p.m., Friday/Saturday 12:30 a.m., Sunday midnight, all PST. They operated in 1931 on 1550 kc/s., 1 kw, now a 400' and two 200' towers radiate maximum 15° West of North, minimum 72.5° East of North and limited in WQXR's direction at 54° East of True North. (Can you hear 'em Ernie?) (Occasionally -ed.) November ERs may bring some stations in, but there is still some doings on the BCB, only the replies do not materialize as good as they used to. I've now 1,851 verified, but will never send a PP card; Dave Gleason, Cleveland, forgive my echo. Dick Cooper, see if you can persuade WFRA-1430 Franklin Pa. to verify, as they'll have the AN Hunter Special again December 4. And so, 1570 minus 1497 until next week.

John D. Hathaway - 4701 South Milan Street - Amarillo, Texas

10/15- Quite a bit of activity here. Reports between last report and today to the following: KREB KRKD KSOO WLDS WBYS KLO KSVN KXOK KTKT. KSVN-730 noted in the clear 2:53 WLCY-1380 4:37; KSWO-1380 7:37 p.m. The Rx is an HQ-180 by Hammarlund with a Hy-Gain Model 14-AV Vertical antenna against the side of the house with the base 3' off the ground. 10/16- WOKJ-1590 Jackson, Miss. heard 6:04. WOI-640, Ames, Ia. heard 7:18. 10/17- KSWI-1560 Council Bluffs, Ia. heard 7:00. Veries received from KRKD-1150 Los Angeles and KSOO-1140 Sioux Falls, S.D. 10/18- KDAL-610 Duluth, Minn. heard 6:32 with QRM from WDAF. 10/20- KSVN-730 verie received, Ogden, Utah. Glad to see the Club growing with all the new members. I was surely glad to see the long list of v/s in the last issue. They really help in getting veries. Best 73 and DX. (Thanks, Jack -ed.)

Sid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

No DX here since April, but expect to get on the beam for the new season. Pre-sunset and twilight DX will get my attention with the ending of DST. Twilight DX brings in some very remarkable catches and is a key to CX that may be expected the next AM. For those who collect station photos, I have six each of WHLL-1600 WOMP-1290 and WWVA-1170 First requests get them. The only information I have a CP WJBT-1470 Wheeling is that the location of XR will be on Mount Wood. The XR of WMOA-1490 Marietta O. is located across the Ohio River in Williamstown, W. Va. Cheers for Seth's poem.  
LET'S KEEP DX NEWS BIG AND FAT EVERY WEEK. SEND THOSE MUSINGS REPORTS IN BY TUESDAY OF EACH WEEK. THIRTY LINES ONLY TO A MEMBER, AND KINDLY REMEMBER TO DOUBLE SPACE!

Leo Fox - Box 68 - Star City, Saskatchewan

9/20- XERCN-1110 11:34 p.m. 9/23: KNDY-1570 r/c-TT, KSSS-740 RS 1:35. WJBW-1230 AN RS 3:34. KSD-550 TT for AXR 4:55; WKTY-580 RS 5:29 a.m. 9/24: KFXD-580 Univ. of Idaho football 12:34 a.m. 9/27: XEL-1260 12:20. XEUN-860 was received (ID) 9/18 @ 1 a.m. Forgot this in last report. 10/6- KORT-1230 1:10-1:16. 10/8- KBTR-710 1:00. KAIM-870 2:15, woman announcer and Oriental Mx; WHBC-1480 5:35 a.m., WJAN-970 6:25, KWNT-1580 6:40, CJOR-600 10:23 p.m. with CFQC off. 10/9- CHWK-1270 RS 1:15, KFQD-730 3:35, Seattle Conelrad on 640/1240 4:09-4:30, WGAR-1220 RS 4:20, WJPS-1330 s/on 5:00, CKFH-1430 RS 5:40, WFDF-910 5:26, CBM-940 RS 5:33, CKVL-850 5:35, WPRE-980 5:42, WIKB-1230 s/on 6:03 SSB, WHSM-910 s/on 7:00, WATW-1400 RS @ 7:06, WPEP-1450 ID RS 7:00 a.m. 10/11- KVNI-1240 NX 1:00. 10/13- Iowa TT on 1310, tentative to KDLS. 10/14- WAAP-1350 r/c-TT. 10/15- TIU-675 1:55. WCAR-1130 2:00, KONE-1450 ID @ 10:30 p.m. 10/17- TISS-875 10:20-10:30 p.m. 10/18- KRTR-1490 NX 8 p.m., TGRF-750 10:02, much shouting and singing ID "Radio Fasio Aviateca". SSBs on many clear channels. Terrific DX is promised this season. If anyone cares to dispute my foreign claims they can check my veries on April 15, 1962, or come to Star City and DX - now. 1280 is CFSL satellite, call CJSL, sorry. All this DX on the transistor radio. No outside aerial and about 700 hours on batteries. CKRD appears AN, may be off Sundays.?? KOOK-970 says KGA to go CBS. Glad to hear XEMO is back on, had given up all hope of a verie. October exams here - Star City on MDT till plebicate on 11/19. Uranium City, Sask. is to get CBC station on 1490 kc/s. Domestic DX begins to pall here. Reports are expensive and returns few. CFGR sent a ball-point with a vague verie, I'll send it to you, Ev. KNDY mentions your report in verie, Lefty. Just heard CKBI-900 (at last). Welcome to Dave Bennett. Where is Joe Plonka? Merv? Bruce McDonald?

Steve Chudoff - 9220 Burbank Road - Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

Off to the finest DX start I can remember in a long time. Hope it's an indication of things to come. Last year at this time had only three new logs - total now for this month is 18. Logs are: 8/28 WNLK, Norwalk, Conn. 9/12- WHIS, Bluefield, W. Va. 9/17- WABB Mobile, Ala. 9/22- WORC Worcester, Mass under WCAM, WBLF Bellefonte, Pa., WKPA New Kensington, Pa. 10/12- WDLA Walton, N.Y., WPHB Phillipsburg, Pa. 10/13- WPEP Taunton, Mass. 10/14- WGTO Cypress Gardens, Fla., WKBA Vinton, Va. 10/15- WOAY Oak Hill, W. Va. 10/17- WARD Johnstown, Pa. 10/18- WSYR Syracuse, N.Y. under WMCA, and 10/19 WIBX Utica, N.Y. (under weak WPEN, 5:03 p.m.). Is WFNC-940 Fayetteville, N.C. on the air? Copied these calls 10/15 at 6:30 p.m. (Yes -ed.) Understand WERA Plainfield, N.J. is now on. Have yet to copy. Apparently they must protect WEEZ. Log total now stands at 925 - shooting for a thousand before end of year. That's it now-73.

Larry Schwartz - 4819 Atlanta Drive - San Diego 15, California

Winter has returned! The WX is a nice cool 65°, about 45° cooler than last week. Not too much DX to report except KFBB-1310 heard on a f/c last Monday from 2-2:10 with TT and WKYR-1270 in Keyser W. Va. and Cumberland, Md. They s/on at 4:00 EST (5:00 EDT) with SSB. Their signal was S9 at one time, absolutely perfect! Veries up to 224. Latest: KYSS-910 f/up, a crazy v/l by an SWL; KID-590 three-month-old report, KIFN-860 v/l, WABR-1440 very nice v/l, KRKC-1570 v/l, KBLA-1490 for three-month old report. They say they began construction of their 10 kw. XR on 1500 but don't expect tests till March 1962. WPCC-1410 f/up for my 42nd state, it's a form letter, KIKO-1340, who said they have KATO-1230 in Safford, Ariz. but it isn't listed in Jones. It's only three months old. KRNY v/l, KBIM-910 v/l from ham CE, a real friend of the DXer, KSTP 1500 and KWCO-1560 nice v/l. Letter from WNCA says I didn't hear them, but it was WLSC in Loris, S.C. I got the names "Tabor City" and "Siler City" mixed up. Tabor City is just ten miles or so from Loris. Well, I'm sure this year is going to be a great DX year! Hope everyone has the best of luck. Oh yes, last night, 10/20, noted LAs on 830 840 850 860 870 875 880. The latter two frequencies were especially prominent! TGJ-880 was heard. They use "Radio Nuevo Mundo" as their slogan! They verified for me with a crummy Spanish form. Who is the Spanish on 875 or so? The announcer mentioned Nicaragua and San Salvador, slogan "Radio ????ional (maybe Radio Nacional) Time is CST. I see there is a TNWL in Leon, Nicaragua on 875 but only with 1 kw. I doubt if this was they as they were in very good. This one used American fine music on piano and had an ad for Pepsi (ID at 9:30 p.m. EST). Does anyone know who this may be? Is it YNWL? It was not an image from a TJ station! That's all for now. Best of everything to everyone. 73s.

MAKE THOSE LONG RANGE PLANS NOW TO BE IN INDIANAPOLIS IN '62! A GREAT TIME IS COMING!

" DK DOWN THE DIAL".

FREQ.	CALL.	REMARKS"
560	WQTE	Monroe, Mich. will test for Approx. 2 hrs. on MON.10/13 12:01- 02:00- EST- " Known as the Golden Voice of South eastern Michigan" All reports to Mr.Irving Laing C.E. 1260 Library Place, Detroit, 26, Mich. Len.Kruse-Ia:
560	KMON	Great Falls Mont. Now A.N. Best MON.(Kraul-Kruse-Ill:
710	KBTR	Denver Col. S/off 02:00- FOX-Sask:
730	CKLG	N.Vancouver, B.C.- S/off 03:13 (FOX-Sask.
	KSVN	Ogden Utah. S/on 08:45- Off 7:45 P.M. Schwartz-Cal:
770	WEW	St Louis Mo.- S/on 06:51- (Schwartz-Cal.:
850	KIPN	Phoenix Ariz.- S/on 08:00- Off 8 P.M. Schwartz-Cal:
	CKRD	Red Deer Alta. S/off 03:05- FOX*Sask:
910	WHSM	Haywood Wisc.- S/on 07:00 - FOX-Sask:
940	KTON	Belton, Texas Now on ET's. Initial test- 10/24- 1.Kw-Ev.
960	KOVO	Provo, Utah- S/off 03:10- Schwartz-Cal.
1140	WRVA	Richmond Va.- S/on 3:55 MON Off S.n. 00:00-F Wheeler-Pa.:
1150	CKX	Brandon Man.- S/on 06:00- FOX-
1170	KLOK	San Jose Cal.- S/on 07:30- M.Nittler-Col:
1190	KZON	Tolleson, Ariz S/off MON. 01:00 in Clear- Ev:
1230	KTRF	Thief River Falls, Minn- S/off 01:00- FOX
	WIKB	Iron River Mich.- S/on 06:03- FOX
1270	WKYR	Keyser. W.Va. S/on 04:00- Schwartz-Cal.
1280	CJSL	Estevan. SASK- S/off 1:06- not CFSL- FOX.
1310	KFBB	Great Falls, Mont.- had F/C 3rd MON.- 2-2:15- Schwartz-
	WNAE	Warren Pa. S/on 04:43- Johans- N.Y.:
	CFGM	Richmond Hill, Ont. now 10 Kws Days 2500 w. Nites. per Ve
1330	WRRR	Rockford, Ill.- S/on 5:15- WJPS- Evansville Ind. S/on 5.
1350	CJDC	Dawson Creek, B.C.- S/off 03:09- FOX
	KOSE	Lewiston Ida.- S/off 02:L2- FOX
1360	WBAY	Green Bay, Wisc. S/on 06:00- S/off 01:00 Ev.
1380	WMLP	Milton Pa. S/on 04:00. M.Nittler, Col.
1410	WPCC	Clinton, S.C. S/on 05:00 - Schwartz.
1450	WHSC	Hartsville S.C had F/CTT 4th MON. 2-2:13- Ev.
1460	WRVK	Mt Vernon- Renfro Valley Ky S/on 04:30- Ev.
1470	WTRR	Westminster Id. S/on 04:00 Johans-N.Y.
1480	WGSE	Geneva, Ill to begin R/S Nov.4th- per veri- Ev:
1490	WJTM	Cordele Ga. had F/C 10/24- Member Ron Reed at Mike-Ev:
	WZOE	Princeton, Ill to begin R/S 10/25- Per Veri Ev.
	KBLA	Burbank Cal to go to 10 Kws on 1500 in March. now A.N.-
1540	WBNL	Booneville, Ind S/on 05:00 M.Nittler- Col:
1550	KIWA	SSEldon, Ia. now on air V/S is Mr. Ed De La Hunt.C.E -FOX.
1550	KREB	Shreveport La S/on 06:30 Schwartz-Cal.
1560	KWCO	Chicasha, Iklia S/on 07:00- Schwartz.
	KMPC	Bakersfield Cal. S/off 02:32- Johans- N.Y.
1570	WYTI	Rocky Mount, Va R/C is TT 2nd Tues 2-2:15- per veri- Ev.
	CHUB	Naniamo, B.C S/off 03:05- FOX-
	KLRS	Morris Minn S/on 07:00- FOX
	WNCA	Siler City N.C S/on 06:30- in OCT Schwartz.
1580	WPHY	Benson, N.C hrd on ET's 10/20- 500 watts Days.- Ev.
1590	WAWA	West Allis, Wisc on ET's week of Oct 16th- Ev.;
	KWBG	Boone Ia.,.- S/on 07:00 FOX.
1570	KLRS	Morris Minn had ET's 10/21- 3:20-3:30- Kraul, Ill.
1410	KLFD	Litchfield, Minn had TT 3rd SAT. 2:50-3:10- Kraul-Ill.
1440	WJAB	Westbrook Me. hrd at 4:13- a.m. so must S/on at 4- Kraul.
920	WJAR	Providence R.I. S/on 04:00 MON. D.John-Ill.
950	WORL	Boston, Mass S/on 04:00- D.John-Ill.
1460	WPRW	Manassas, Va S/on 04:32 D John-Ill.
	F/CS	Per List- 3rd SAT- KIZZ-1150- KENN-1390- 4th WED, KWSK-1570.
		Keep the TIPS Coming, Will use all the ones most important. 73's.

CALL CHANGES

1060 W H O F Canton, Ohio, from WCMW  
 1080 W Y R E Pittsburgh, Pa. fr WEEP  
 1230 K R S Y Roswell, N.M. from KSWB  
 1310 C F G M Richmond Hill Ont. CJRH  
 1430 K E E S Gladewater, Tex. fr KSIJ

MOVE TRANSMITTER LOCALLY

680 W R V M Rochester, New York  
 930 K K I N Aitkin, Minnesota  
 1230 W T O L Toledo, Ohio  
 1290 K P E R Gilroy, California  
 1550 W C G R Canandaigua, New York

FACILITIES

860 C B H Halifax, Nova Scotia, to 10,000 U-2, from 1330 kc/s., 100 U-1, cancel CP for 790 kc/s., 10,000 U-4.  
 920 C F R Y Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, to 1,000 U-3, from 1570 kc/s., 250 U-1.  
 940 K A H U Waipahu, Hawaii, to 10,000 U-1, from 920 kc/s., 1,000 U-1.  
 1280 W T C N Minneapolis, Minnesota, to 5,000 U-2, from 5,000/1,000 U-1, same chanl.  
 1290 K P E R Gilroy, California, to 5,000 D-3, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.  
 1320 W K A P Allentown, Pennsylvania, to 5,000/1,000 U-4, from 1,000 U-2, no change in nighttime operation; same channel.  
 1350 W F L S Fredericksburg, Virginia, 500 D-1. New antenna and ground system.  
 1370 W K O S Ocala, Florida, to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.  
 1410 K T C S Fort Smith, Arkansas, to 1,000 D-1, from 1/500 D-1, same channel.  
 1460 K T Y M Inglewood, California, to 5,000 D-3, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.  
 1520 W H O W Clinton, Illinois, to 5,000 D-1, from 1,000 D-1, same channel.

THESE GRAVEYARDERS GO TO 1,000/250 U-1:

1230 W B I A W F A I W I S P W T O L W N O K W O L S  
 1340 W B B T W T I F W S J M W D U Z W R J N  
 1400 W W I N N W O N D W E S T W H G B W I C K W R A K W E L L W J L B W S A M

HEARD SINCE LAST ISSUE

930 K A G I	Now 5,000/1,000 U-2	FCC	1330 W E A W	Now 5,000 D-3	NRC
950 W X G I	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC	1360 W G F A	Watseka, Illinois	NRC
980 W I T Y	New antenna pattern	FCC	1370 W K O S	Now 5,000 D-1	FCC
1060 W H O F	Ex-WCMW	NRC	1410 K T C S	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC
1220 W P L K	Now 500 D-1	FCC	1460 K Z O T	Marianna, Arkansas	NRC
1250 K F A Y	Now 1,000 D-1	FCC	1480 W X I V	Windermere, Florida	NRC
	K A N N Ogden, Utah	FCC	1500 K X R X	Now 5,000/1,000 U-4	FCC
1270 W K R W	Cartersville, Georgia	FCC	1510 W A U X	Now 10,000 D-3	FCC
1280 C J S L	Estevan, Sashatchewan	NRC	1550 K I W A	Sheldon, Iowa	NRC
	K Y R O New XR location	FCC	1580 W P Y B	Benson, North Caro.	NRC
1320 C K E C	Now 5,000 U-2	FCC	1590 W A W A	West Allis, Wisc	NRC

AND THESE GRAVEYARDERS NOW USING 1,000/250 U-1

1230-WERI 1240-KCLV 1340-WBBQ-WLBC-KDLM-KATY 1400-WIEL 1450-WLAY 1490-WARD

AN SITUATION

940 W Y L D	<u>ON</u> (except monday)	1380 W B N X	<u>OFF</u> (silent 4-5 a.m. daily)
1300 W A V Z		1480 V O U S	(s/on daily 3:30 a.m.)
		1500 W T O P	(silent Monday inst. Tues)

ABBREVIATIONS

Add: rx - receiver mx - music  
 We have a request to explain one or two abbreviations. PP- This a self-prepared verie card, sent to a station by the DXer for their signature. f- Some are misinter- preting this one, in the v/s list. "f" means a form letter - that is, a printed form letter or sheet, or a carbon copy letter. It has nothing to do with the letterhead. A typed or handwritten verie letter gets no code letter at all. r/c means regular frequency check as per list. The simpler "r/c" eliminates this long-winded phrase.

E.S.T.

Let us all convert times, whether in your own zone or describing the sked of a station to E.S.T. to avoid any chance of confusion. Then it will not be necessary to list a sked and take up space with "EST" or "CST" or what have you. It will be thus known to all members that the time specified is EST, as throughout DX NEWS.

LET'S ALLREPORT!

We're weekly now through to mid-April, so we want to present a full, newsy, DX NEWS to you each and every week. DEADLINE FOR 11/11 ISSUE WILL BE MOVED UP ONE DAY TO MONDAY! (11/11 is a P.O. Holiday in Buffalo so that issue will be mailed out one day sooner.)

## INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST

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My apologies for failure to go to press last week. I was working every evening as well as every day. Things should be better from now on, as I'm over the busy period at work. And there is plenty to report, so here goes.

## THE DIGEST

- 539 .... Kossuth, Hungary, On RS at 1255 with local version of "Show Boat". (KR)
- 548 .... Vladivostok, Siberian S. S. R. hetrodyne noted 0630 10/16, but not readable. (PT) /FCC
- 550 ✓XEZG Zihuatanejo, Guerrero, Mexico, new station 150(1) Unlim.
- 580 ✓XEHP Ciudad Victoria, Tams., Mexico, 150(1) now unlimited. (FCC)
- 584 .... Wien, Austria, in German at 1314. (KR)
- 590 JOAK Tokyo, ontop of heap 0500 10/16. (PT)
- 600 ✓XENX Mazatlan, Sinaloa, Mexico, from 1270 Kc. 100(1). (FCC)
- .... Peking, China, sent taped report for this freq. (KR)
- 615 YNM Managua, Nicaragua, is a regular each evening. At ID has 3 chimes and "Radiodifusora Nacional de Managua". (GK)
- 625 TIRICA San Jose, Costa Rica, heard nightly 30 db over S-9 around 2300. (GK) "Radio Internacional, La Voz de la Victor", strong after 2400 on 10/6. (BD)
- 630 ✓XETK Mazatlan, Sinaloa, now in operation with 250(1). (FCC)
- 4QN Townsville, Australia, on top S-1 Max, logged 0430-0440 10/4, only Aussie signal. (PT)
- 638 .... Cyprus, with BBC relay Arabic at 1255. (KR)
- 640 .... Peking, China., S-1 at 0715 on 10/16. (PT)
- 644 .... Antigua, Leeward Islands, heard sometimes in the early evening, weakly. 9/28 s/off was 1906. (BD)
- 650 KORL Hawaii, in solid at 0630, 9/30. (HW)
- YVQ0 Puerto la Cruz, Venezuela, 2200-2210, news BC in Spanish 10/4; 1013 Pepsi-Cola ad, S-3-7, 1958-2100. (SB)
- TIBAS San Jose, Costa Rica, 10/3 2230-2239, ID 2208, news at 2230. (SB)
- 655 YSS San Salvador, El Salvador, fair with fade 2123-2127 on 9/30. (AR)
- 660 KFAR Fairbanks, Alaska, S-3 max 0208-0218 10/9. VS is Don Porter, CE. (PT)
- 665 .... Lisbon I, Portugal, in like a local at 0200 s/off 10/16; completely in the clear. Again at 1820, 10/20 but buried. (BD)
- 670 ✓XEQK Tapachula, Chiapas. Delete assignment. Now on 680. (FCC)
- YVQB Cumana, Venezuela, 10/4, 2205 ID, S-3 to 4. (SB)
- 675 YNDS Managua, Nicaragua, 10/2, in good at 2200-2237. (SB) 10/15 0142-0146 Music and PAA ad. (AR) Mention of NMC station weak at 0535 .0/18. (PT) This is your station, Pete. (FV)
- 680 ✓XEKQ Tapachula, Chiapas, Mexico, now on here from 670. Increase power to 500(5). (FCC)
- HJ.. Who is the new Colombian here? (CMS) (Dunno-FV)
- 685 .... Who is Spanish speaker heard with good signal 0105 on 10/15? (BD)
- 690 ✓XETRA Logged in New Zealand good thru 3YA. (DXT)
- 692 .... Erfurt, Germany, 9/30, S-7 to 8, 2240-2304 in German with woman announcer. (SB)
- 695 ✓XEN Mexico City, D. F., Mexico, Sunday 10/15 0126 with symphony orchestra music. (AR)
- 700 JOTG Aomori, Japan, even with WLW S-1 0715 10/16, readable each morning. (PT)
- 701 .... Berbera, Somalia, BBC relay with Arabic heard at 1255. (K)
- .... Ankara, Turkey, a possibility once at 1329. Tape sent. (I)

- 710 ✓XERL Colima, Col., Mexico, moved here from 1470. 200(1). (FCC)  
ELWA Monrovia, Liberia, operates 0112-0430, 1055-1745, Sunday  
0115-1815. (WRH)
- 719 ..... Cyprus, with Arabic on BBC relay at 1255. (KR)  
..... Norte II, Portugal, heard on 10/20 through WGN until s/off  
at 1902. Readable at times. (BD)
- 720 ..... Zahedan, Iran, has moved from 1440 to 720 Kcs. (DXT)  
..... Peking, China, sent a taped report. (KR) Even with WGN  
0545 10/17. (PT)
- YVQR Cumana, Venézuëla, 10/1, 2131, 10/4 2204, 10/2, 2125, very  
strong signals. (SB)
- TGN Guatemala City, Guatemala, 10/3 2200-2210, news and ID at  
2210. (SB)
- HJAN Barranquilla, Colombia, (Ex 730) 10/3 news 2000-2010, ID  
at 2000 S-9 Plus. (SB)
- ZYU58 Porto Alegre, Brazil, 10/2 2125-2130, ID 2127 in Port-  
uguese. (SB)
- 725 TILX San Jose, Costa Rica, 10/2 ID at 2200 S-5. (SB)
- 728 ..... Deutschlander, Germany, 9/24, 2006 in German S-2-3. (SB)
- 730 ..... "Radio Sarawak", 1755-1915, 2000-2130 (Mon-Fri), 2300-  
2430 daily, Sat-Sun to 0130. (WRH) Logged in English to  
s/off at 0930. (KR) (At Kuching)
- YVNP Maracaibo, Venezuela, 10/9 2210-2205, QTH and ID at 2210.  
S-7. (SB)
- 734 HJCU Bogota, Colombia, "Radio Tricolor", most consistent SA,  
often very clear. (GK)
- 737 ..... Hof, Germany, 9/23, 1945-1950, S-3 and 9/24, 2004, both  
in German. (SB)
- 740 PRA4 Salvador, Brazil, 10/2, Port. ID at 2135 S-4-5. (SB)
- 750 ..... Nairobi, Kenya, has been heard recently in England. (DXT)
- YVKS Caracas, Venezuela, 9/1, ID at 2314, S-6. (SB)
- HJAJ Barranquilla, Colombia, 9/1 at 2349, S-5 to 6; 10/3 2000  
News; 10/2 at 2135. (SB)
- 755 ..... Lisbon II, Portugal, in with good signal on 10/20, 1815-  
1900. One of many good Portuguese signals recently. (BD)
- 760 ZFY Georgetown, Br. Guiana, "Radio Demerara", right behind  
CMCD at 0415 on 9.25 with Hindustani. (BD)
- VUNC Seoul, Korea, on top S-1, 0745 10/16. (PT)
- 770 ✓XEHB San Francisco del Oro, Chih., Mex., was heard over KOB on  
9/30, 2151, ID as "Radio Frisco" at s/off at 2259, 500  
watts. (GK)
- 773 ..... Cairo, Egypt, reported. (KR)
- 775 TIW San Jose, Costa Rica, heard very well 9/15, report sent  
9/16 and verie card back via air 9/23. Very speedy ser-  
vice. (GK)
- 780 YVOD San Cristobal, Venezuelas, 10/5 2149; 10/4 1946 S-6 very  
strong mostly heard dual with YVOC (3265). (SB)
- 782 ..... Deutschlander, Germany, 9/24 2005; 9/25 1900-1930, S-4,  
both in German. (SB) (PT)
- 785 ..... Pyongyang, North Korea, OK here each morning S-2 on 10/16.
- 790 ✓XECS Manzanillo, Colima, Mexico, from 960 with 150(1). (FCC)
- 800 KINY Juneau, Alaska, logged 0424-0500 10/10. Signer is Roy  
Paschal, Chief Ann., on returned letter. (PT)
- YVMB Maracaibo, Venezuela, 10/2 2100-2130, 2120-2130 news. ID  
at 2100 and 2130 S-7 to 8, and 10/4 2155-2210, S-6. (SB)
- 810 ✓XERI Reynosa, Tams., Mexico, in operation with 250 DAY. New(FC)
- 818 ..... Cairo, Egypt. Report sent. (KR)
- 820 ✓XESX Chihuahua, Chih., Mexico, heard with special program 9/16  
till s/off at 0151, 20 over S-9. (GK)
- HJED Cali, Colombia, easily heard nightly from 1900-0000 with  
S-4 to S-8 signals. (SB)

- 825 TIOS San Jose, Costa Rica, "Radio Titania", logged easily on 10/7 around 0030 with American pop music. (BD)
- 830 .... "Radio Caribbean", St. Lucia, Windward Islands, is often good in the mid-evening hours using French from 2000-2100. Signs off just after 2200. Heard playing "Santa Lucia" at 2025 10/5. (BD) Logged 10/1 2005-2110 in French. (CMS) S/off 0250. (KB) /((BD)
- HJDM Medellin, Colombia, "Radio Vision" heard here evenings.  
 .... BHBS, British Honduras, heard occasionally in the evening. They are  $\frac{1}{2}$  hour behind EST. (BD)
- 836 .... Nancy, France, heard again on 10/15 at 0015 with fair signal. Much WCCO QRM made it difficult to log. (BD)
- 840 ✓XEEC Ciudad Mante, Tams., Mexico, delete assignment. (FCC)  
 DYSR "Voice Of Christian Brotherhood" Manila, 0400-0900 weekdays relayed by (6055). (WRH)
- HJKC Bogota, Colombia, was in for first time 9/21 at 2334 under WHLS. (SB)
- HLKY Seoul, South Korea, S-2 at 0740 on 10/16. (PT)  
 YVMY Barquisimeto, Venezuela, 10/9 2030-2045 ID at 2030 S-4-5; Spanish news 2030-2045. (SB)
- 845 HROW Tegucigalpa, Honduras, good signal 10/2 2300; Verie letter in from "Radio Monserrat", signor Pablo Santos, Gerente. (Country #47)(BD)  
 .... Rome II, heard again at 2034 on 10/20, AN show. (BD) 9/23 1943 Italian talks, S-3. (SB)
- 850 ✓XEZR Zaragoza, Coahuila, new station 500 watts, DAY. (FCC)  
 .... Sarawak, operates on here 0330-0530 & 0600-0900. (WRH)  
 KICY 0342-0413, report S-4 max., 9/24. Signor is Ralph V. Fondell, C. E. (PT)
- 854 OAX4A Lima, Peru., heard nightly S-9, but too much QRM from KO. to log. Best after 2330. (GK) 10/5 2154-ID S-3-4. (SB)
- 860 ✓XE.. Ciudad Juarez, Chih., Mexico. New 250(1). (FCC)  
 863 .... Kenya station in Nairobi, heard in London. (DXT) /((KR)  
 .... Ercvan, U. S. S. R., report off relaying Moscow Arabic.
- 865 HRUC Tegucigalpa, Honduras, 10/5 2100; 10/2 2210-2215 news; 10/3 2002-2204, S-4-6. (SB) 9/30 2129 Fair, apparently will be a regular this year. (AR)
- 870 .... AFRTS station here at Adana Air Force Base, Turkey. Use 25 watts and formerly on 850 Kcs. (DXT)  
 JOLF Fukuoka, Japan, S-5 max 0720-0745 10/30 American recordings. This is the most consistent Japanese here. Report sent. (PT)
- 875 TISS San Jose, Costa Rica, fighting it out with YNW-1 here 10/1 at 2157, both S-9. (GK)  
 .... Nicaraguan, apparently "Radio Catolica", Managua, has moved to this spot recently from 900 Kcs. Has a very strong signal most evenings. (BD) (See above notes-FV)
- 890 .... Algiers, "Radio Alger" was atop this frequency at 0100 on 10/16, fine signal. Arabic program. (BD)
- 895 OBX4X Lima, Peru, fair signal 10/1 at 2159, nice music. (GK)  
 900 YNRC Managua, Nicaragua, "Radio Catolica", was quite strong behind XEW on 10/2 between 2100 and 2200. (BD)
- XEW Mexico City, D. F., verified promptly by air mail, signed by Ma. de los Angeles Carrillo, who says former VS Miss Gloria Granados no longer works there. (GK)
- LU2 Bahia Blanca, Argentina, 9/1 0100-0106 s/off at 0106 with ID at 0105, S-7. (SB)
- 910 ✓XEHO Ciudad Obregon, Sonora, Mexico, in operation with new station 250(1). (FCC) /((FCC)
- 920 ✓XEHM Chihuahua, Chih., change in call from XEPK, power increase  
 925 .... Unid. "Radio ----" here often very strong around 2200. (G

- 930 CX20 Montevideo, Uruguay, "Radio Monte Carlo", schedule is 0500-2400, 5 Kw. power. (WRH)
- 940 DYCR Manila, "Voice of the Christian Brotherhood" 1600-0100 weekdays, 1600-0900 Sat-Sun. (WRH)
- 944 .... Toulouse I, France, one of several good French signals on 10/16, from 0030-0115; even with WPEN on. (BD)
- 950 ✓XERA Chihuahua, Chih., from 1490 with 500 watts DAY. (FCC)
- 970 .... Voice of Free Korea, Seoul, South Korea, here in English from 0700-0800. (DXG)
- 971 .... Mombassa, Kenya, on here with 20 Kw. (DXT) / (KR)
- .... Odessa, U. S. S. R., reported relaying Moscow in Arabic.
- 980 ✓XETU Tampico, Tams., increase power to 1000(10). (FCC)
- .... Peking reported here. (KR)
- 990 ✓XEER Ciudad Chauhtemoc, Chih, increase power to 200(.5). (FCC)
- ..FRTS Wheelus Field, Libya, here from 1585 Kcs. (DXT)
- 993 .... Mystery, Korean or Chinese, 0445-0500 10/15, too weak to determine even the language. (PT)
- 1000 YVNM Moron, Venezuela, "Radio Moron", in with terrific signal 1900 and 2100 on 10/2. Topped everything on the freq. (BD)
- YVOB Moron, Venezuela, 10/1 2043-2100, 3 IDs 2043 S-4-7. (SB) (Which call is correct, follows?-FV)
- .... Kweichow, China, here every AM, S-3 0530 10/16, S-4 0550 10/17. (PT)
- 1010 ✓XEPB Hermosillo, Sonora, in operation now with 250 DAY. (FCC)
- 1020 ✓XEPC Ciudad Camargo, Chih., now with 250 watts DAY. (FCC)
- TXGUX Guatemala City, in with tremendous signal on 10/16 from 2400 on with English programming. (BD)
- LT2 Rosario, Argentina, 10/2 2200-2205 news, ID 2200 and 2205. (SB)
- YVLL Caracas, Venezuela, 10/2 2200; 10/3 2004; 10/4 2100, S-4 to 7 nightly. (SB)
- 1025 HOU David, Panama, "La Voz del Baru", fair to good most evenings this month. Have not as yet sent my annual report, but will before long. (BD)

Since we are not going to be able to finish this week, we will pause here to list the reporters. We will incorporate what is left in with next week's DIGEST.

SB-Sam Barto, 3 Glenwood Avenue, Naugatuck, Connecticut.

AR-Andy Rugg, 16 Lake Breeze, Pointe Claire, Quebec, Canada.

HW-Hal Wagner, 1264 Longs Peak, Longmont, Colorado.

PT-Peter Taylor, 2340 Pacific Avenue, San Francisco 15, California.

GK-Glen Kippel, Tulia, Texas.

BD-Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governors Dr., Sproul Estates, Chester, Pa.

KR-Koith Robinson, Kapuka No. 7, R. D., Invercargill, New Zealand.

CMS-C. M. Stanbury II, Box 218, Crystal Beach, Ontario, Canada.

FCC-Federal Communications Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

WRH-World Radio Handbook Bulletin, Hellerup, Denmark.

DXT-DX TIMES of New Zealand DX Radio League, Dunedin, New Zealand.

DXG-Japanese Short Wave Club, P. O. Box 29, Sendai, Japan.

KB-Ken Brownless, 7 the Avenue, Clifton, York, England.

Foreign Contest same as last year. No change in rules. Please let me know if you need a copy of them, and it will be sent. I don't want to take the space while we have so much DX information. I will be glad to rerun the rules when things ease up if they do. In the meantime, send your 25¢ to Roger Anderson, 5600 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5, Virginia, and we'll get a contest going. We'll give you until December 15th to get your 25¢ in to Roger this year due to the late announcement. AR advises we can obtain foreign stamps from W2SAV A. N. Ringler, 466 Weaver Road, Webster, New York. He has correct postage for air mail from foreign countries. So that does it for now.



" DX DOWN THE DIAL "

Send all "TIPS" To Ev. Johnson- 504-16th St, Mendota, Ill.- In E.S.T.)

FREQ.	CALL.	REMARKS"
540	WYNN	Florence, S.C. Brd. on ET's M. 10/27 2:30-2:40-Lewis.
540	WRIC	Richlands, Va had ET's 10/28- 3:05- 3:25- Kraul-ILL.
550	WAYR	Orange Park Fla. S/on Mon. at 04:00- Ev
	KOPR	Butte Mont. S/off 02:00 W Lewis-Tenn:
610	CKTB	St Catherines, Ont. S/on 6:40 Off 11:13 P.M. Plunkett*Ont
680	WRVM	Rochester N.Y. S/on 06:00 W Plunkett-Ont:
	WCTT	Corbin Ky S/on 04:00- off 7:15 P.M. Plunkett-Ont
690	WCYB	Bristol Va - S/off @ 6.P.M. Plunkett-Ont.
730	WXMT	Merrill Wisc. S/on 07:00- off 7:15 P.M. Ev. came
820	WIKY	Evansville Ind. S/on 06:00-(Thanks Fellow-Stamp <del>xxx</del> off:
910	KLCN	Blythville Ark.- S/on 06:00- Dick-Kwiatkowski-N.Y.-:
	WLCS	Baton Rouge La back on A .N. Ev
960	WADP	Kane Pa. S/on 05:00- Off 5:45 P.M. Plunkett-Ont
970	WJAN	Spartanburg S.C. S/on about 06:00 Kwiatkowski-N.Y.
	WIVI	Christiansted, Virgin Islnd, S/on 04:30 in Clear- Ev.MON.
980	WRIP	Rossville Ga S/on 04:00 Ev.
	KMBC	Kansas City Mo. announced as A.N. Ev.New KMBC.
1070	KHMO	Hannibal Mo. S/on 06:29 Kwiatkowski-N.Y.
1090	CHEC	Lethbridge Alta. S/off 03:05- Lewis-Tenn.
1220	CKCW	Moncton N.B S/on 05:00 Willis-Tenn.
	WLPO	La Salle Ill Nov.R/S is S/on 08:00 Off 5:30 P.M. Ev
1260	WAME	Miami Fla. Full time in Dec.- 5 Kws.-A.N. 7 Days.-per letter from Murray Woroner, reply for test for DX F Nittler
1340	WKYJ	Jamestown N.Y S/on 05:30- Off 01:00 X.WJOC_ Kwiatkowski-N.
1370	WIVV	Isle of Viesque P.R. S/on 04:30 Ev.
1390	WEGP	Presque Isle Me. S/on 05:30 Ev
1400	KWIN	Ashland Ore. hrd on F/C.M.- 10/23 4th MON-3-3:45- FNittler
	KHOE	Truckee Calif. A.N. Exc. MON. F Nittler
	KFRU	Columbia Mo. A.N. 7 Bays- Kraul-Ill.
1430	WDYL	Ashland Va had tests 10/30 1:45-1:50- Kraul-Ill
	KGRI	Grand Island Nebr. had F/C TT 4th WED. 1:45-2:00- Ev
1440	WCHB	Inkster Mich S/on 05:00 Daily F.Nittler-Col.
	WGCB	Red Lion Pa S/on 04:00 v.
	KODL	The Dalles Ore. hrd on tests.-10/22-4:25- 4:35-Nittler
1450	WENZ	Richmond Va. Xntr tests every Mon. 1:20- QRA is WENZ
	New	Mark Raleigh Hotel- 9th and Bank St. Richmond, 13, Va. Wheeler.
1480	<del>WXXX</del>	Whats call for Jefferson City Tenn. Station on ET'S 10/
1490	KNOW	Austin Tex was on A.N. MON.- maybe Reg. Ev.
1500	CHUC	Port Hope Ont. S/on 06:30- S/off 5:32 p.m. Plunkett-Ont
1540	WJMJ	Phila. Pa.- S/on 6:15 off 5:30 P.M. Plunkett-Ont
1550	KFIF	Tucson Ariz on ET's 10/31 S/on 08:30 Ev (Mort Meehan
	KKHI	San Francisco Calif new Call for KQBY_ Xntr- tests-10/28-
	WSHN	Fremont Mich S/on 07:03- off Plunkett-
1540	WPME	Punxsutawney Pa S/on 06:30- Off 5:30 P.M. Plunkett Ont
1560	KHOK	Hoquiam Wash. on ET's 10/20- F Nittler- Col
	WINS	Cohocton O S/on 05:00- off 5:45 P.M. Plunkett Ont
1570	WONA	Winona Miss had ET's M- 10/26- F Nittler
1580	WTFN	Watertown Wisc S/on 5:30- Off 6:15- Plunkett-
	KRAZ	Albuquerque N.M R/C is last Thurs. 02:00 per veri(Ev.
	WMTL	Leitchfield Ky S/on 04:45- Off 6:17 p.m. Plunkett
1590	WAWA	West Allsi Wisc. to go R/S soon- Sched- 07:00- to S.S.
1600	WFIS	Fountain Inn S.C S/on 04:00 Ev.
	WEUP	Huntsville Ala. had ET's M 10/26- 4-4:30 F Nittler
	WFFF	Columbia Miss had F/C 10/20 3:13 a.m. F Nittler

Some Tips were held back due to time changes, Be back to normal next issue. Thanks for tips and lets have more. 73(s Ev.

Pat had his first plane trip ever for this Convention. The only time he was scared, he said later, was in the helicopter from New York to Newark, N.J. on his return home. He says those crazy things are certainly well named!

Don Roller and Harley DeLeurere arrived by rail on the Atchison. Topeka and Santa Fe. They didn't come in Roys' Rolls.

Bus Boatman came neither by Bus or by boat- but by car, with John "Fire-Bug" Bryant. (Remember the rug in Findlay, Ohio three years ago, boys?)

Stan Morss' familiar station wagon was presently seen entering the parking lot of the Ramada - but no Dr. Pepper on board this trip!

Even though this Convention was our furthest yet from Canada, we still had excellent representation from the Dominion - five, in all! They were Ed Hill and his family, Sam McLaughlan, Sam Simmons, Phil Jacobs and Andy Rugg. Of course, the red carpet was laid out for all of them, not only Andy.

And we must offer some toasts to the hosts - Larry Godwin, Jeff Stewart, John Hathaway, Glen Kippel, John Tudenham, and John Callaman, and Glen Kippel. Everyone voted them our favorite Texas dears.

Alex Bowab came from Alabama - but with no banjo on his knee - just veries.

It seemed everyone had a camera with him, but Bill Hutchinson outdid everyone in this respect. He was taking pictures of others taking pictures!

Remember in years past how members who attended a Convention would mention seeing a lot of new faces? Well, starting with this 1961 Amarillo Convention, they could safely say they saw a lot of old faces, but new knees - not only Lefty's.

The camera bugs had a lot of trouble, therefore, with their exposures.

Just when things were getting rolling, in walked an officer of the law. But it was all OK - it was our Publisher, Pop Edge, and his wife Kate, and Jeanette.

You've heard of the powet who didn't know it - well, Pop brought one along with him who did know it, because he is, and knows it, and he did it. You read it an issue or two back, penned by the one and only Carroll Seth, who can really Buffalo 'em.

Ernie Wesolowski and Murray Mann, remembered by all for their fine hosting at the 1959 Omaha Convention in their home city were joined this year in Amarillo by two first-Convention Omaha-ers, Ted Larson and John Draus. Had they been members two years ago the NRC would have come to them in Omaha!

And we had a representative of Paris on hand as well. The Paris fashions were those of our beloved member from Paris, Eric Bristow. Paris, Illinois, of course.

They often say, "California, here I come." Well, this time California came - to Amarillo, in the persons of John Boase, Raleigh Biss and Frank Williams.

Our Olympic star was there, too - Len Lockwood, of Olympia, Washington.

One of our Westerly members to attend was Bob Easterly, who went Southerly for the big doings, who then went Northerly on his way.

Bob's NRC pal Ken Hooker was with him all the time, and they were brought in by our former publisher, now a trans-planted Coloradian, our own, Hal Wagner. And Colorado's famous DX Brother act, the Mittlers, Fran and Maurice, brought their smiles to the scene.

Renewal of Membership

Beginning immediately a different method of notifying members that their membership has approached the renewal date, will find their "DX-News" has been Rubber Stamped along the Left Hand Margin of the Front Page. The first stamp will read as follows "If Not Renewed Your Membership Expires with Next Issue" The other rubber stamp reads as follows; "If Not Renewed Your Membership Expires With This Issue"

Reason for using these rubber stamps means its cuts down the time getting notice to you, avoids continually rechecking the records. This is the new system used. The first stamp will appear on the DX News you will receive a couple issues before your expiration date, the latter one will appear on the following DX News, meaning that it is the last issue before your expiration date. As you recall we address the members bulletin envelopes with an Addressograph, using metal plates. When your DX News that contains the stamp saying this is the last issue, your Address plate is removed from the file and is not replaced until your renewal is received etc. Naturally if a renewal is received before your expiration date, the address plate naturally stays in the file.

It is hoped that no one takes offense to this method because it is being used only to lighten the book work at this end, so your cooperation will be appreciated.

Financial conditions in the States brings this request that our Canadian Members when sending in their dues, to refrain from sending checks for the following reason. Our US banks not only take or rather deduct the discount rate, but also deduct a fee, they call, commission for cashing them, thus a \$4.00 Canadian check nets the club only \$3.71 with deductions of the present exchange rate of  $.03\frac{1}{2}$  plus  $.15\phi$  commission. So suggest Canadian Money Orders if you will. To all members in New Zealand, the bank will accept your currency and only deduct the rate of exchange that exists at the time. So if favorable to you lads, no need to get US Dollars to send.

Lastly on the Clubs money. All money received in the form of Dues, sale of Stationery-First Class postage Fund are deposited in the Liberty Bank of Buffalo in the Club's name. The only cash kept on hand is that which is received thru Postal Money Orders and this is used for the purpose of purchasing stamps to mail your DX News. If at times the cash amount on hand becomes too large to keep here, the excess is deposited in the clubs bank account.

The Books are continually kept up to date and are continually in order. First Class Postage funds along with all monies on hand that belong to our New Zealand members are recorded, thus those records are not included in with the Club's assets.

Lastly regarding changes of address. First off all address changes MUST be sent to either P.O. Box 63 - Kensington Station - Buffalo 15, N.Y. or can be sent direct to me at 325 Shirley Ave - Buffalo 15, N.Y. Each change of address MUST also contain either  $.15\phi$  in coin or it can be sent in US or Canadian stamps amounting to equal value. Reason for this  $.15\phi$  is the cost to the club for a change by the Addressograph Co. However as stated before, all addresses that were in effect as of Oct 1 1960 are on file, thus if you revert back to said address, no fee is required, but if you go to a new address, a new plate must be made up, thus the  $.15\phi$  fee. The use of our addressograph and the new mimeograph has decreased the number of man hours that were formerly required to publish DX News. Thus in the future when the NRC might be looking for someone to take over the publishing job, it can be assured that they will not have to use out-moded equipment. Remember Ole POP is past 59, and plans to retire around Sept 1964 along with leaving this area. Ray

NATIONAL RADIO CLUB  
1961 - 62 DOMESTIC CONTEST RULES

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- 1 This seasons Domestic Contest will begin 00;01 September 20 1961 and end at 23;59 on July 15 1962. Stations heard and verified during this period will be eligible for contest points as follows;
    - (A) Two (2) stations from each of the 48 States, D.C., and each Province of Canada will be eligible for this years domestic Contest. ALASKA and HAWAII are NOT eligible since these are considered Foreign DX. The first station from each of these States or Provinces will count ONE (1) point with the SECOND (2nd) station from each state or province counting THREE (3) points, for a total of FOUR (4) points possible in each state and province.
    - (B) Any Domestic DX Program arranged by the CPC Staff of the NRC verified will count an additional FIVE (5) points. This station may also be counted for the FIRST (1st) or SECOND (2nd) station in a state or province.
  - 2 All members of the NRC in good standing are eligible. Entry Fee is .25¢ and must be sent to Contest Manager, Maurice W. Nittler, 1755 So. Vallejo Street, Denver 23, Colorado in order to participate in this contest. Deadline for entry will be December 1 1961 except for New Members who may enter THIRTY (30) Days after joining the NRC.
  - 4 Final standings will be announced at the Annual NRC Convention in Indianapolis.
  - 5 Deadline for entries for points will be August 15 1962. All stations entered must be heard and verified during contest period.
  - 6 Standings will be listed monthly, beginning with the FIRST ISSUE of "DX NEWS" in December 1961. The Contest Manager reserves the right to reject entries from any contestant who does not report his entries regularly. This means a Contestant who waits until he has accumulated a large number of entries which could have been entered earlier, the Contest Manager can reject them. The purpose of this is to prevent contestants holding his entries until late in the contest then flooding the Contest Manager with a lot of additional work.
  - 7 Lists of Entries (Veries) for contest must include the following; Call Letters - Location of Station - Dates Heard and Verified - and Frequency of the Station.
  - 8 Prizes will be awarded to the first THREE (3) winners. Also special prizes will be awarded this year to the DXer being in First (1st) place on February 1 1962 and for the DXer verifying the most states and provinces. A special prize will be awarded to the FIRST (1st) DXer who verifies a Mystery Station, known only to the Contest Manager.
  - 9 First Place winner will receive a years membership in the NRC. The other prizes will consist of NRC stationery or radio logs, depending on amount of prize money received from entrants.
- (PS) At this time, 35 members have entered this years contest with everyone else in the NRC invited to join in and enter.

CONTEST MANAGER is Maurice W. Nittler - 1755 So. Vallejo Street,  
Denver 23, Colorado.

All entree fees and all lists for this contest must be sent to above.

NATIONAL RADIO CLUB  
1961 - 62 FOREIGN CONTEST RULES

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- 1 Contest will be open to all members in good standing of NRC. It will be divided into THREE (3) leagues. It will be known as the NRC FOREIGN CONTEST. It will be managed by Roger Anderson, 5700 Eighth Road North, Arlington 5 Virginia.
- 2 Each contestant shall submit an entry fee of 25¢ on or before DEC 15th 1961, or in case of new members, within 30 days of the date of their membership.
- 3 Contest will run from September 15 1961, to April 15 1962 inclusive Loggings must be from ONE (1) specific location except with the permission of the Contest Manager. Entries may be submitted until July 1 1962.
- 4 All foreign stations located at least 500 miles from the listening post of the contestant are eligible. No U.S. or CANADIAN stations are eligible except that entrants in states bordering the Gulf of Mexico and Mexico may enter ONE (1) Canadian station from each Province.
- 5 Scoring will be by means of a point system as follows;  
(a) Each Country - - - - 3 Points      (b) Each NRC Special - - 5 Pts  
(c) Each 1000 miles - - - -1 Point      (d) Each Continent - - -10 Pts  
(Maximum of 10 points for 10,000 miles or over)
- 6 The first distance category shall be from 500-2000, exclusive 1 Pt and for all other succeeding distance categories shall be 2000-2999 inclusive. (2 points)
- 7 As mentioned in Rule 1, there will be THREE (3) Leagues as follows;  
WEST COAST LEAGUE; Calif-Oregon-Idaho-Washington-Utah-Nevada-Arizona  
ans New Mexico.  
CENTRAL LEAGUE; Alabama-Miss-La-Ark-Mo-Mich-Neb-No Dak-Minn-Wisc-  
Ohio-Ky-Ill-Mont-Wyo-Colo-Texas-Okla-Kans-Iowa-S.D.  
Ind-Tenn;  
EASTERN LEAGUE; Me-N.H.-Vt-Mass-R.I.-Conn-N.Y.-N.J.-PENNA-Del-Md-Va  
N.C.-S.C.-Ga-Fla-W. Va-D.C.  
NOTE; For Canadian members, the provinces of B.C. and Yukon Terr shall be in the West Coast League. The Provinces of Nfld-N.S. PEI-N.B. and Que shall be in the Eastern League. All others shall be in the Central League with the exception of Ontario. All of Ont west of a line drawn from Pittsburgh North thru Erie and extended north will be in the Central League. All that part EAST of this line shall be in the Eastern League.
- 8 Prizes will be awarded to the Top THREE contestants in each League These will be printed certificates and groups of stamps proportioned among the top THREE contestants according to the amount of the total entry fees.
- 9 A special bonus certificate shall be awarded to the person in the contest who verifies the most countries.
- 10 Contest standings will be published monthly in the 1st issue ea Mo. Final standings will be published in the July 1962 issue.
- 11 Any member living outside the US and Canada who wants to participate in this contest is asked to apply to the Manager for a list of the countries which are to be considered Domestic(Oneligible)for him. If enough foreign members enter, a 4th League will be established.
- 12 NO STATION may be entered in the 1961-62 contest which was entered in the 1960-61 contest ~~which~~ by that contestant.
- 13 Distances shall be calculated by the Manager and there shall be no appeal from his decisions as to the proper distance brackets. ENTRY FEE and all ENTRIES are to be sent to CONTEST MANAGER-NOT YOUR EDITOR