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NEW STATION

DELETED

1540 East Syracuse, New York 1,000 D-1 1540 Syracuse, New York 50,000 D-3.

CALL CHANGES

590 W R T H Wood River, Ill., from WBEY 1570 W F B F Fernandina Beach, Fla.,
740 W X H R Cambridge, Mass., from WTAO from WPAP.

NEW CALL

560 C H T K Prince Rupert, British Columbia; 1,000/250 U-1.

FACILITIES

790 W T U G Tuscaloosa, Alabama, to 1,000 D-1, from 500 D-1, same channel.
1070 C F A X To Victoria, British Columbia, from Saanich, B.C. 1,000 U-3 (ex-810)
1160 W J J D Chicago, Illinois, 50,000 L-3. Move XR West.
1340 W N S M Valparaiso/Niceville, Florida, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same ch.
1380 K B C H To Lincoln City, Oregon, from Oceanlake, Ore. 1,000 D-1.
1400 K J C F Festus, Missouri, to 1,000/250 U-1, from 250 U-1, same channel.
1450 W H T C Holland, Michigan, 1,000/250 U-1. Install taller (400') antenna, same sit

MUSINGS SECTIONSteve Weinstein - 435 Jayson Avenue - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania - 15228

Hi. In case anybody's wondering who is going to win the National League pennant, it's the Buccos from Pittsburgh. With Bob Veale, Alvin O'Neill McBean, Roberto Clemente, Willie Stargell, & others, how can we lose? Don't answer that. Veries this week: v/1 WHOM WBLU KLVL-TEST WGLC-TEST KTMN. v/q- WSLR-DX WFEA. DX: MM 4/5- Unk s/off on 1410 @ lam. Sounded like WFOE, but I'm not sure. Anybody know? Definitely not WUNI. WJHO-1400 s/off 1:08 w/SSB! One of the few Alabama stations I've heard s/off w/SSB. K???-1450 s/off 1:30am, who? I think it was KIRX, but I'm not sure. Unn KFRU-1400 clear again @ 2am. CJCH-920 4:46am, rr. There goes my assumption that CJCH was my unk CBCer; has anyone IDed the CBEer yet? (Thought to be CJCJ, Steve -ERC) WWNH-930 way o/everything @ 4:59am s/on; pleasant surprise. Unn WAAF-950 5:30am s/on. 4/6- WGTA-950 7:15pm s/off. 4/7- Unn KKJO-1550 o/CBE 8pm. I'm full of answers today. G. Santulli- JBC in Jamaica on 750 is supposed to s/off @ lam. They may have signed off five minutes later on 3/28. D. Welbourn- VP4RD-730 dropped calls a few years ago. It is now just called "Radio Trinidad." A. Wysocki- I use a 50' longwire antenna. K. Butterfield- WBS-695 sent me a v/1 & I only enclosed one IRC. The 795 WBS outlet you referred to is not a WBS outlet - it's a private station called "Radio Barbados." J. Hamilton- I've solved your Chicago-1390 problem. The calls are WNUS, not WNAUF. Also WJJD veries w/a v/q but it takes a long time. W. Plunkett- FF phone show on 1150 is CKTR. Your other TT on 1530 on 3/15 was ET of KCET. I also noticed TTs from 1480 through 1600 at that time. You couldn't have had WMM-1090 3/18 @ 6:58pm, because their March s/off was 6:45. Your religious station on 1370 4:32am was definitely WIV. The c/w station on 1270 mixed w/WKYR is WCGC. Is that enough answers for you, Wayne? Ernie, your het on the high side of 680 might be from RNE-683 Sevilla; they come in here quite often. 73s till next week.

Jim Hicks - 107 Tyre Avenue - Newark, Delaware - 19711

Hello again! First off, here is what was heard: 3/15- WKSB-930 @ 4:45 s/off putting in a very weak signal. 3/21- WGH-1310 @ 6pm, rather weak. 4/3- WFBL-1390 @ 10pm putting in a very weak signal hard to read; WDVA-1250 @ 10:30 w/WRYT. 4/9- WICU-1330 @ 10:03; WBEN-930 @ 10:15pm. On Sat. 4/10, CX were good for me. Heard was WYVE-1280 @ 6:45pm s/off. On the same frequency I heard two SS, one of which IDed as "Radio Quapo." Is that WCMN? The time of this reception was 6:46pm. At the same time, until the 7pm NBC NX, I heard WROC-1280 w/the two SS & about two others. (Other SS is WADO, NY-ERC) Also that night, using a 20-year-old Brewster radio w/only its built-in loop for an antenna, I was finally able to get CKOY-1310 @ 8:30pm & WDR-1360 @ 9pm. Spring Vacation permitted me to get up MM 4/12. Heard was WSM TTING @ 2:58am; WMAQ TTING between 3:40 & 4am; WLS TTING from 3:40-4:15am. WWVA TTING from 4-4:10 & then came on w/mx. Static was terrible this morning, but other than the TTers I was able to get WWSW-970. As you might have guessed I was trying to listen to about four stations at once, & for some reason I was having trouble doing it, hi! Static has decreased quite a bit by 4, & I got WROT-1330 which was somewhat weak @ 4:35am. I got WRVA's s/on @ 4:55 w/SSB, followed by ID. & "Carry Me Back to Old Virginie." The last thing I heard before going back to bed was WHMI @ 5:05am. QSLs have been "pouring in," hi. v/q- WJWK w/CM, Radio Americas, WKDN WJR WOWO. v/c- WGH. v/l- WKSB ZNS. My returns have reached a high of 80.5%, w/a total of 31 QSLs. Could someone give me the location & frequency of WHAR? I have heard it a few times around 1590 kc/s. but could never get the location. I hope to get some more DX this week & I might even get a Musing in next issue. Till then

Andy Rugg - 16 Lake Breeze - Pointe Claire, Quebec

I'd like to make a request on behalf of the CDXC of which I am ECB Editor. For the last year my section has been considerably enlarged through the inclusion of items of interest from "Broadcasting" & several reporters have noted they greatly appreciate this. At present, I cannot afford to renew my subscription, though, as the renewal cost is too high for a now more austerity-minded college student such as myself. I could probably be able to scrape up a few dollars so as to make my following suggestion be realized. There are several NRCers who subscribe to Broadcasting & I would expect in a few cases the magazine goes into the wastebasket after it has been read. If this is so would anyone obtaining no further use from it be interested in mailing me his used copies? I'd pay postage in advance. Spending \$4-5 a year on postage is much more convenient than \$11. for a subscription renewal, even if I do get it a week later. If anyone would be interested in so helping CDXC, please let me know. Assistance would be greatly appreciated. 73.

Robert Feulner - 17305 70 Court - Tinley Park, Illinois

Greetings DXers. Well, DX hasn't been too outstanding lately, as the WX has been quite mild recently. Although one rather spectacular skip has been noted almost every night this month, in the way of KFLN-960, Baker, Mont. @ 8:45pm s/off. In fact, on 4/5 they were in as early as 8:15. I sure hope they verify, as the DX season is almost ended & KFLN probably won't be heard again until next Winter. Last SM, CX were the worst this year, & the WX, as you know, was very turbulent. I was very surprised that Tinley Park did not get struck by a tornado, as our area has been locally nicknamed "Tornado Alley." A funny thing though, the next day, the air was very clear, w/ no atmospheric noise whatsoever. WCNT-1210 made it in all day w/a very clear signal, which happens only on rare occasions. Needless to say, the new WISN-1130 makes it in w/a whopping signal during the day, but at night they are a real challenge. In fact, I have yet to hear them at all after SSS. Just out of curiosity, does the NRC still send the pamphlet "How to Enjoy Better DXing" to all its new members? This pamphlet seemed to set up a fairly good reception report standard, so it should alleviate any poor reporting on the part of NRCers. I don't know whether or not I will make it to Cedar Rapids this year, but would like to very much. However, at the moment, my piggy bank just doesn't seem heavy enough, hi. I sent a report to Radio Belize, as I have noticed they have been QSLing regularly this year. I just happened to think of something, however. Does British Honduras belong to the International Postal Union? If not, an IRC wouldn't be worth anything there, or for that matter, in any other country not belonging to the International Postal Union. Latest veries include the following: CKCK WKLO WABD WSGW WTHM KTTR KBEA WKPR & WKRS. Latest DX: WCMP-1350 Pine City, Minn. heard on 4/3 from 7:45-8:00; WMPM-1270 Smithville, N.C. heard on r/c @ 2am on 4/3, & on 4/9, WCCW-1310 Traverse City, Mich, was heard at 7:30 s/off. That does it for now.

Wayne Plunkett - 124 John Street - Weston, Ontario

Enough good DX here to at least keep up interest. Following veries back recently, all v/1- CKSL-1410 along w/v/c - now have two patterns on 1410, might one "pulling in quite sharply to E & W, 5:30-1:30am except to 2am SM; a couple of European reports this season. WELD-690, April sked is 6am-7pm. In answer to query, Fisher is not on any map - located 1.5 miles SSW of Moorefield; WAIK-1690, best DX from N.Z. in 1961, three tower directional w/mill due N; WSEM-1500 says possibly furthest report but I'm sure it isn't; WGLC-1090, 60 reports received on ET, April sked 7am-7:30pm EST, farthest reports from Andy Rugg & Sheldon Miller. CFCN-1060 along w/v/c, 24 hours a day, nighttime DA pattern ~~down~~ at time of reception NE/SW, most unfavourable for southern Ontario; WSAU-550 DA pattern due N at time of reception - operate AN; WNLC-1510, their DA pattern is N 305° E, four tower array - normal sked 6am-midnight daily, recent report from Epping, Capetown, South Africa! Also enclosed old v/c from 1490 days w/many changes. DX from where I think I left off last time: 3/24- WM00-1550 was a new one very briefly @ 7pm. 3/26- Another new one, WHYE-910 s/off 6:30. 3/27- WOC-1420 s/off 1:02; KRNT-1350 s/off 1:05 mixed w/TT, who? While searching for reports from Sebring, I came across WEND-1580 broadcasting same from Triangle Towers w/surprisingly steady signal, 4:25-5:05pm - doesn't verify Canadian reports, Andy? A couple of possible catches at 5pm both needed - WCRV-1580 & sounded like weak FF behind WGAR-1220, CKSM would complete Canadians on 1220; WSLR-1350 equal to CKLB as early as 5:05; log on WELD-690 6:02-6:15pm s/off, had great commercial for Old German beer, like to give it a try, ERC? 3/28- Caught WCHE-1520 battling WKBW @ 7:20am but too late for decent log before fade; log on WNLC-1510 from 7:43-7:53 topping CKOT/WLAC. MM 3/29- Lots of static. WSLR-1350 of course easy for log 3:10-3:25; after four years of trying, CFCN-1060 this AM - nevertought this one would make it w/sloppy CHUM next door w/50kw. rr - not the best log in history mind you, but two or three definite items. WWRL-1600 AN; FF dominating 1150 again, CKTR? WACB-1380 o/WBNX/WGUS & easy, never answered Canadian reports a couple of years ago for some reason. I'd like to know address of a Dave Smith from Toronto who called WACB about 4:25. Who had TT-790 u/WTAR/WQXI @ 3:56? Radio Americas-1160 or so s/on 4:55, then parked on 550 & found WDEV-s/on 4:59 for Vt. #3; then WVA-550 & then WXTR s/on 5:04 for R.I. #6. See you again next issue. 73.

Doug Murray - 33 Crichton Park Road - Dartmouth, Nova Scotia

Just a note here as I am in the midst of exams & I want to catch the next issue. Late veries here are CSB2-755 & Mainflingen-1538. The latter is Country #19 here. Ernie, are there any NRC members in England or Scandinavia? I plan to spend my Summer over there & would like to meet any members I could. (Yes, there are, Doug, but addresses are w/Dick Cooper -ERC).

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Dave Schmidt - 44 Green Lane - Green Ridge - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19014

Hi. DX has been slow but made up for it 4/9 as I wrote four reports out in one night. There are just a few million more for us guys to find, hi. Latest veries are WKBN 4/7, WTHM 4/3, WPRO 4/3 & WHVR 3/14. My second reject was WOSU. Sat. AM I caught my second R.I., WJAR, 5:05am 3/10, & my eighth on 540, WETC, 5:45am. I plan to get up every morn around 4:30 to DX from now on because I've written to all of the daytime stations & most of the ANs. I'm not going to Cedar Rapids this year but I'll make it to Miami even if I have to walk! Joe Fela; if you just might be in the Chester area, drop by & I will take you on a grand tour of WEEZ & maybe you'll be lucky to get a QSL & CM. To guys who can't get WCHE-1520 to verie, I plan to go out there some day & I plan to see why you can't get them. Al Wysocki can't get one but I got one in four days! Just getting around to sending f/ups to KMOX & WWL. ERC, how long do KSL, WLW take sending out veries? (Dunro, Dave - I veried them in 1933, hi -ERC) Anybody going to have another gabfest this Summer? like the one John Sampson had? Great time, & I'll never forget it. If anyone is near my place this Summer, please drop by & I'll show you all of my junk. Also, if anyone wants to write this Summer, plan to do so because DX will be off & writing to guys will only keep the P.O. busy, hi. CBK-640 heard 4/12, & KXOK-630, WJAR for R.I. #4, & WYNN for #2 from S.C. New veries are KONO 3/15 WETC 4/10, #10 verie on 540, WKBO 4/7, WMPM 4/9, WNDR 4/9, & WEDO 4/9. I seem to be slipping because only "fan mail" has been coming in. ERC, your N.C. on-1520 is WDSL, & WAVA is not all-news so WINS IS the second. (They said they were, Dave -ERC) They have NX before s/off. Also would I have to get a new verie from WINS after they are NX? Joe F., the only reason I didn't send you a WEEZ CM (my favorite) is they kicked me out. If you want the reason, write. I heard the other night Joey Reynolds is trying for Caroline. John Thompson was listening & he said he sent out some info about NRC. Just think, Reynolds in Musings! F/ups sent to KOMA & KAAY. One night I heard a DJ from Carolina on KDKA. If NRC wants some more NRC members overseas, listen to Bradley on WBZ as he gives addresses of people who listen to them in England. If they do this, they've got to be DXers! If Cuba is needed try CMCA-830 around 12:30am as they have EE & s/off @ 1. They sent Thompson a reception report form & a Castro speech. I'm going to get on CPC & try for some Specials next year so I'll write RHC. As they say in Emporium, Pa. WLEM- "WE'll Listen Each Morning" to make NRC the best.

J. Warren Rutzahn - 206 Nort Forrest Street - York, Pennsylvania - 17404

I'll treat you guys to a report from this red hot DX den - cooler since the waste can fire us out! I'll never get frozen this way. Latest avalance of verifs are WSLR WABD KLVL WIFE CFAM WGLC WINA. I hope to count up some totals this week as I take a bit of vacation. WABD-1370 was r/c, 3/27, & WQXR-1560 was testing till 2:24. 3/29- KLVL nice on the TEST, WSLR not bad but plenty of QRM, WLS-890 test 3:30. 4/2- WIBA/WIFE through lots of 1310 QRM from WGH CKOY & WICH. 4/5, going for CP-19 apparently copied PRB9 strong signal or an unmodulated OC o/them. WRPL-1540 ended modulation test 3:40. WMKR didn't make it through the 1240 pack. Static bad. 4/12, more bad static w/WKAM-1460 good w/Tornado assisance. 4/19- WMBR-1460 f/c 3:20 & I thought I heard a WBNS call but not sure. More static & ANs but found an enjoyable Dixieland program & f/c from WSBP-1580 3:50-4. I agree w/recent comment on quality of reports lately, but I believe one point could help on foreign reception for guys like me who just can't seem to catch calls. Sheldon Miller's tip on PJC? makes a fine wxample as it gives some of their individual sounds & characteristics to assist in ID. Years back this type of thing was the key to correctly IDing foreigners as they gave cgt w/Bugle Class, bird calls, strains of familiar mx etc. I never forgot the tarill of my first European, Poste Parisien coming on at 2:10am w/bugle call, etc. as I was waiting for them on tip from Bob Weaver. Maybe it could be worked into DX Specials also to eliminate copying one IA where another is expected. I now end this session of typing practice.

Eric Nelson - 92 Caman Road - Huntington Station, L.I., New York - 11749

Again, long time no Muse. Here goes. First off, welcome to NRC, Jeff L. In my last Musing a while back, I said "C U in 7-21." I would have Mused in 7 to 21, but what's the use if no new DX has occurred? I think I'll take a trip to Australia where the DX season is just starting, hi. Now down to the small DX that isn't worth printing, hi. 4/4- Noted new frequency of Radio Americas at 1155 instead of 1165. That's all from the RX this month. Do I owe some people letters? Oops, I'm slipping. Don't be annoyed Roger B., Joe Boatwright, Vinnie C., etc. - I'll see if I can get them out soon. I guess this Musing is smaller than usual but I don't want to waste valuable DX NEWS space, so 73s, & C U in ???

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Ev Johnson - 504 16 Street - Mendota, Illinois - 61342

Hello all. DX has been very poor the past month; nothing new reported. I have received a few veries since 3/1, namely CKSA-1150 (now 1080) WENG-TEST, WFLI-1070 after two reports. v/q- KREA-1480, WCVF-600 CKPM-1440 WSLR-1350-DX, & v/1, WFGM-1360, two reports, & WSIM-1270, for 12/23/63 report. Total here now 2,624, after 14 years of DX. And all with the NRC - hi. Eighty-six reports sent out since 9/1/64 & 73 veries back. I want to thank all the editors & others who do such a good job w/NRC DX NEWS each year, also a BIG thank you to Dick Cooper who does the publishing. Fine job, Dick! My DX NEWS comes on Saturdays now & has all Winter; first class, though. I'll get my 2¢ in re DX reports. Some are very poor and continue not to send postage; some, plain postcards. I'll not mention any names. Glad you all got your WGLC veries. The staff & management was happy to put the TEST on for all DXers. To Ken Butterfield, I feel that it is not necessary to send a f/up after 30 days. I was just down to WGLC & he showed me your f/up. We old timers never send a f/up till at least three months after the first report. Correct me, old timers, if I am wrong. I still have reports to CJRN-1600 after two reports, KOOE-730, WMEG-920, WVIC-730, KAPT-TEST WERX-1530 KNIA-TEST WJJJ-1260 WHOK-1320 JBC-750-700, KRUS-1490. DX will be nil here till September but if I have anything I will support the editors. Best DX to all and have a good Summer. I'll see a lot of you in Cedar Rapids. 73s.

Ernest J. Wesolowski - 1416 Pasadena Avenue - Omaha, Nebraska - 68107

Reporting time again. DX around Nebraska has fallen off as expected for April, although this is the best month for SSS. Five new catches since last report: 3/8- KHUM-1580 TEST heard very weak. 3/19- KBUR-1490 Burlington, Iowa logged on r/c @ 1:05 u/ local KBON, while driving home from work. 3/28- KIZZ-1350 El Paso, Texas, r/c @ 2:10. 3/29- WSLR-DX logged at S-7. Finally, KOLM-1340 Detroit Lakes, Minn. on r/c @ 1:05 at very strong signal. Late veries are from WEMP KBQL WENG WKY KBUR WKRC WSLR-q w/no mention of my report for ex-WADC, KIZZ w/word that CE could not verify my five-year-old report of ex-KOYE as logs are not kept for more than three years. CFAM & CHSM DXes & WRUF for 15-month holdout. Word from the FCC says that only persons w/official business may enter the monitoring stations. Even my Congressman can't get me in, hi. This Easter weekend I took another "Fact-Finding Tour" of semi-local stations. This time into Kansas. In Marysville, I visited Mr. Arthur Stanley, GM, who once worked at KOLL. Now at KNDY-1570, he showed me the station, & gave me a \$5 pencil. On to Manhattan, but no visit at KMAN-1350, but did see the towers of KSAC-580, whose sked is Mon-Fri. only, from 12:30 to 5:15pm, CST. Location is on the University grounds in NW part of town. Through Fort Riley & into Junction City & visited KJCK-1420 to pick up a verie. Onward past Newton (KJRG-950) & into Wichita. Had old reports for KAKE-1240, located NW of city w/modern TV studios. Then KFDI-1070 for old report of ex-KIRL. /No Both promised they would verify by mail this week. I saw other XRs of KFH-1330 located on E edge of town, they have two towers; KWBB-1410 w/five towers NW of city; KSIR, W of town w/two. I called ex-member Maurice Ashby & was asked to forward his new address: 715 12th Street, Bismarck, N.D., in the Service. Back home through Topeka. Heard new station while there on 1550 w/50 kw., WOKJ, Jackson, Miss, exchanged with WJAQ-1590. New 50kw, full time & rr. 73 & 30, finally. I hope to visit KTTT-1510 for our veries.

John Thompson - 17 Longview Road - Glen Mills, Pennsylvania - 19342

Greetings. DX is getting progressively worse as season ends w/only routine stations popping in. However, I've decided to keep at it & not quit for the Summer as a few NRCers are doing. Finally fixed my car RX & I have a temporary antenna consisting of my aluminum window frame hooked to my antenna wire. DX over Easter: 4/15- WAEB-790 at 2:29pm. 4/15- Was fooling w/the dial when in came KOA-850 @ 12:15am w/a good signal for about five minutes, then out; WCCO-830 @ 12:27am for f/up report. 4/19- WJCA-570 @ 1:46am w/very poor signal, WHK-1420 @ 2:06 because I didn't have their verie yet. Three lone veries: v/q- CHML. v/1- WTAR, WAEB. Also, v/1, v/q & CM from WACB. Some members don't particularly like talk about DJs in DX NEWS. OK, no more DJs from me, if we can please stop this useless argument over Cuban stations. I agree w/Don Kenney that it accomplishes completely nothing whatsoever. Concerning Cuban DX, I received a reply to my 2/23 letter to CMCH in the form of a program sked, a Castro speech (which I didn't read, by the way) & a special form which I am to fill out w/a reception report & return. Does anybody know if they will verify my report in the event I do this? Please, somebody tell me so I don't have to waste my time & stamps if they don't. Well, that about kicks it in the head for now, anyway. 73s and Go, Phillies, Go!

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Joe Hamilton - 4945 Eighth Terrace South - Birmingham, Alabama - 35222

I know after this muse some people are going to think I'm a Rat Fink (one of the milder terms), because I'm going to say my thoughts. Isn't there supposed to be some kind of pride behind this hobby of ours? I have been DXing only since 12/23/64, but I'm proud of every verie I've received, because I know I earned it through that bothersome process of hearing a station before I wrote a FULL & COMPLETE report & included that expensive (I) little detail called return postage. Some station engineers are hard enough to obtain a verie from as it is, & these people (and I use the term loosely) who send such outrageous reports; i.e., typed postcards saying "I heard your station - verify", letters without the time, frequency, etc., make it even harder for the honest DX-ers to get a verie. I thought the basic thrill behind this whole hobby was to hear the faint sound of some distant station, barely coming through the static & QRM. I suggest that people read the second paragraph of the small sheet explaining the DX hobby that they received when they joined the NRC. It might wake a few of these boys up. Why anyone would want a verie dishonestly is beyond me. A verie should have the full meaning behind it, that it had been received LEGALLY. What kick would anybody get out of collecting a few thousand worthless postcards and letters? When I say worthless, I mean just some scraps of paper acquired through a lazy man's way of, to quote John Callarman, "verifying a station without going through the 'middleman' process of hearing the station." Please direct all poison pen letters to the above address. (Well put, Joe! Any such 'poison-pen' letters would seem to be an admission of guilt. too -ERC)

Park Barton - Box 43 - Troy, Alabama - 36081

Greetings all, from a long-lost one. I haven't checked, but I believe it has been about three years since I have graced these pages with my wise words. The first two of these were due to college & a general lack of interest. No excuses for past year. I have been actively DXing again since May of 1964 and have brought my totals to 723 verified, 1,230 heard, 46/45 states, 8/8 provinces, and countries to 30/23. Many of these have been due to the great tips in the DX NEWS. For those of you who don't know, I have been DXing since 1960 and have been a member of this Club since August of '60. During the past year I have taken a great interest in the new IRCA and am now East Coast Editor for the DX Forum. Received very nice verie from WACB-1380, who said that my report was the "most distant received for this test." I gathered from this that they must not have got out too far as it is only about 800 air miles. Also received 'verie' nice v/q from WIBA for their DX on 40th anniversary. Doesn't look as if I will be able to make it to Cedar Rapids this year due to starting to law school next February, and also recent marriage. Short of funds. Ross Hansch, BLANK tape received here from you??? Emuf said this time. Will try to be back before too long. 73.

Michael J. Rudberg - 6214 Forest City Road - Orlando, Florida - 32810

Salutations to one and all! Here I am again with some more "trash." On 3/22 I picked up Trans-World Radio on 800, and, believe it or not, there was NO QRM or QRN & it came in as if it were in my own home town. I also picked up WAAY-1550 4/3, Huntsville, Ala. WABC-770 New York (How's that for getting 'close to home' Ernie?) on 2/13, WBAP-820, Fort Worth, Tex 12/28/64, WDAK-540 Columbus, Ga. 1/30. Then, WRDW-1480, date?, Augusta Ga., WYZE-1480 Atlanta, Ga. (How's that for cutting it close?) 10/26/64, & now to let your easts "rest" until next time. If anybody would like some info on the Trans-World Radio Station (which surprised me very much) just write and tell how it was. Well, ta-ta for now till next time. Good DX & 73s to all.

Samuel Simmons - 11,685 Guertin Street - Montreal 9, Quebec

Greetings from Conventionland '66! My Musing of 3/27 was criticized out of context by Mr. R.S. of Miami Beach. He somehow feels that folks up here in a foreign country are very different from Miamians. As one who was in Buffalo for the recent Convention, I recall that crossing the frontier was easier for us than crossing the Delaware Bridge in Philadelphia. Of course Miami is convenient to places like Buffalo by air, but did anyone fly all the way up from Miami, or even Florida, to the '64 Convention? DX: 4/1! Logs taken in PM for f/ups to WSAR-1480 and WAAB-1440. 4/17- 12:23-12:30am, WKJR-1520 r/c, WMPT-1450 s/off 1:01, WAXK-1320 r/c 1:49. 4/19-MM- WKBR-1250 RS 12:04am, WIRY-1340 RS 12:37; 1:06, WISZ-1590 ID for ETs, 1:16 KWIA-1530 #/c. 4/21- WATN-1240 12:20 w/PoP and code IDs. Three more veries: WTSL-1400, WACB-1380 (Thanks, Wes) and WWSR-1420. R.G. of Middletown was thinking about Montreal in '56, not '66, or maybe he's got us mixed up w/Toronto, hi. Local meeting here 4/25. Montreal members have been notified by mail. 73s, and Montreal '66!

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Bob Grubbs - 4403 Hoover Street - Rolling Meadows, Illinois - 60008

I decided it was time to re-introduce myself to the NRC. I was a member previously between 1947 and 1954 when I lived in Kearney and Columbia, Missouri. This was while I was in High School and College. Studies finally gave me such fits that I dropped DXing. However, I am again gaining interest. With a family (of two kids), a home, and a demanding job as a Communications System Engineer at Motorola, I don't know how much time can be spared, but I will try for RS stations, and I really do enjoy reading the reports of the active Club members. The KX here is a converted surplus R22, six tubes (one RF; two IF) w/a 45' wire & a 24" loop. I haven't really done much except tune the band, getting familiar with it. I did get positive reception of Radio Belize and Trans-World Radio. Reports were sent & hope to continue sending more reports. As a side light, before I took the present job, I spent about two years as an engineer at WISH (now WIFE) and WISH-TV in Indianapolis. I found the world of broadcasting very interesting, sometimes wish I was back, hi! Well, I better close since I don't have any DX. I will report that when it happens! 73. (Welcome back, Bob, and we hope you get right back into the DX groove! -ERC)

Leo Fox - c/o U.K.H.M. - Calumet - Elsa P.O., Yukon Territory

No DX since last time, due to my work sked, but a few more veries received: 2YA 1YZ & Lille-1376. 1YZ was my #7 New Zealand QSL, Lille, #7 from France. Territorial Government desires to introduce Daylight Saving Time in the Yukon, yet our license plates proclaim "Land of the Midnight Sun." I suppose they're only following the example set the those in Ottawa - in Elsa, one can see the Distinctive New Canadian Flag, the red ensign, & the Union Jack hanging limply from their respective poles. Ho hum. If anybody collects stamps out there, I have a box full from about 30 different countries - U.K.H.M. is sort of a little U.N. - first come, first served, & apologies to the rest. First paycheck from the over-burden drill, 3/18-3/31, \$622, which is why I'm up here, DX and cultural improvement aside. Didn't work on Good Friday, but didn't DX either. I slept 18 hours on my first day off in a month. Some rat stole my Lvov-935 QSL, but I wrote direct to Kiev and expect a new one soon. Goot py.

Gene Allen @ 134 Bret Hatte Way - Vallejo, California - 94590

I am gradually shifting to SW DXing due to weaker signals & more noise. This is a yearly change at this QRA. We have had one of the wettest Winters on record, with over 20" of gentle rain - only had wind one time and lowest barometer was 29.70 inches. Now that the WX is under control - back to DX. Latest veries in from KFRM-550, WFTC-960, HCEW2-995, HJBI-840, KATT-885. Also, KFIF-1550 came back after the second gentle reminder out since July. My comments of the raise in dues to \$5. "It would be the best \$5 ever spent." Recent reports out to XEQK-1350, XERP-660 & Radio St. Maarten-1295. Latter was heard at 5:15am on 4/19 and copied for about 20 minutes. A verie from him would make it Country #53 from California. Any info on how to get unused Mexican stamps would be appreciated. 73s. (Try the DX Stamp Service, 466 Wesley Rd., Webster, N.Y. -14581, Gene - price list sent by them for an SASE. -ERC) (Or a trip to Mexico, hi -ERC)

John Edward Paul Drant - 210 West 251 Street - New York, New York - 10471

Spring vacation now so I might as well send in a report. DX here has been far below normal because of geomagnetic activity. Loggings here are: 3/1- XERF-1570 3:20-3:40 in EE, WING-1410 3:41-4am. 3/6- WAWZ-1380 local relogged to get verie, & low & behold they sent my letter back w/a rubber stamp on the bottom "verified." 3/22- WTAR-790 3:43-4:05, another relog. 3/29- WSLR-1350 3-3:30. 4/5- WRYT-1250 3:46-4, another relog, WKKR-1240 Special heard here w/good signals but w/two other stations QRMing her. This makes State #33. 4/12- WBSM-1420 3:19-3:30. Ernie, since you're a fellow NYC-er, what's WBNX's & WLIB's verification policy? I've been trying for over a year w/relogs & all. Finally received a QSL from WSAY-1370 for 3/2/664 report. Looks like I won't be at the Convention. Reason? Simple, like I don't got any wheels. Can't win 'em all. C U in 21. ((My WLIB & WBNX veries are over 20 years old, John, hi! -ERC))

Wayne Heinen - 126 Linwood Avenue - Orchard Park, New York - 14127

Here's DX. 4/4 brought WOTT-1410 & WENE-1430 on SSS. 4/8- 1440 had call like KILO, N.D. but not sure @ 1:05, also HJAY, Colombia, #2. 4/9- CKSL @ 1:10am. KCBC-1380 u/ WBUS. WMBD-1470 @ 1:47am. 4/10- WJAB-1440 12-12:15 f/c, #1 Maine. Later on, 4/10, WCAR @ 6:30pm, CBA-1080 @ 9pm @ WBAL @ 11:00. 4/15 noted WDXI-1310 & WTJS-1390 r/cs. Only three: v/1, WRYT; v/a- WFBG, WJJD. 4/18- Noted a Bootlegger on 1558 IDinh as WMRW, Buffalo, N.Y. I will try to get more info on this station. I missed (Page 8)

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(Wayne Heinen) WESB DX on 4/14, but logged them today, 4/18, u/WBTA. I hope to get lots of DX this week as I'm on vacation. ERC, is this Club a jirix? I've missed since I joined on 3/15. (???-ERC) It 's quite nice to get lots of DX & do school work in the sound of the RX, hi! Well, 73 & best of the DX.

Arnold Galina - 49 Penn Avenue - Worcester, Massachusetts - 01604.

Glad to be reporting again. DX: 3/22- CFNB @ 3:22 on 550, 3/29- WFTC-960 for IRCA DX Special at 3:15. Also on 3/29, WACB-1380 for NRC DX Special @ 3:46. On that same day I tried for WSLR, but no luck due to QRM & QRN. 4/5- CBO-910 in Ottwawa, Ont. @ 3:31am EST, 4/5- WITH-1230 in Baltimore, Md. @ 4:11. 4/19- WBCB-1490 @ 4am. WQXI-790 at 4:20. And on 4/21, WRCV -1060 @ 2:33am, my first station ever picked up on that frequency). Veries: v/q- CFNB CBO WACB. I've been getting a lot of WPE cards in the mail. Thanks to all the members. Does anyone have a loop antenna in working order that they would like to sell? I am too lazy to build the NRC loop. How many members are there in Massachusetts, ERC? Nothing more to say except 73s. (Dick C. can answer that one, Arnold - I do not have ~~the~~ membership list here -ERC)

Matthew Geller - 61 Silver Spring Road - Short Hills, New Jersey - 07078

I got to DX again on the morning of 4/19, and the results were fine. New junk heard consisted of mostly ETs, for static was unbeliavably loud. At 1:36am, I heard a test on 1510 when the announcer called out frequency of the tone - sounded like WONE. Any ideas, anyone? Also had test that sounded like WRIK at 1:38 on 1510. Maybe my ears are just bad. KCKW-1480 test heard per f/c list. Also, KXEOp1340 test heard per f/c list. KXEO's signal strength was amazing - it really killed the other junk on 1340. This is my first K call on the graveyards. At 2:50-3:00, I heard WFEM-1260 test, un. On 830, sounded like WCCO on for flood emergency. At 3:25-3:35, heard WMBR-1460 test w/TT. At 3:45-3:50 heard WAJC-1550 testing with the announcer speaking a lot; the 1, 2, 3, 4 bit. At 4:00, I heard the s/pn of PJD-2, way in the clear. Signal was fairly strong. Oh well, that's about it. 73s and good DX to all for the Summer. Any TV DX-ers, please write - I am interested.

Joe Boatwright Jr. - 2 Cherry Lane - Basking Ridge, New Jersey - 07920

It appears that a lot of us are discouraged by the arrival of the Summer-like CX and all their static. It's true, foreign DX now is just about nil. Well, cheer up gang, because now is a great time to try for some of the domestic stations that s/on in the mornings between 5:00 and 6:00. Many good catches can be made easily during this time period, and you don't have to worry about static this late in the morning. Thanks to the many s/ons between 5:00-6:00 am, I logged an unbelievable 13 stations on the MM of 4/19! Not too much DX done here since that great morning, but here's the very latest: 4/20- Started out by logging the r/c of WFIG-1290 at 1:16am. WFIG's signal faded in & out so much that it was almost impossible to report. At around 1:25am I logged the r/c of WVNA-1590, in nicely w/WAKR. Backup later for the WPEH-1420-TEST, but I was so busy w/r/cs that I didn't have time to try for it! At 3:30am, the r/cs of WPFE-1580 & WSKT-1580 both came on. I was unable to report WPFE, thanks to WSKT, un. Glad to receive a v/c from WBRO-1310 as the result of a f/up for a r/c report. R/c is the third MM, from 12:30 to 1:30am, EST. Also in was a letter from CFCY-630, giving me all but British Columbia verified, and a letter from WSMA-1550. 73s.

Bill Cruse - 724 East Center Avenue - Mooresville, North Carolina - 28115

My first Musing. I have been a BCB DXer for only 3-4 months, & have just joined the NRC. Being poverty-stricken, I DX on a transistor RX & have only 138 logged. Here are some of my better veries: WQXR typed letter w/special sheet; WIS KDKA WCBS WSB WBBB WHO WBT WCCO WRCV WCFL CBL CBE CJBC, all v/qs, & WOWO q, w/photos of XR building, Studio console, Announcers, & sports, plus farm DJs. DX has been poor lately & without any external antenna, it's difficult. Anyone know of a good but simple method of connecting an external antenna to a transistor RX? It would be greatly appreciated. Well, this has been short but in my inexperience I haven't anything more to say but 73. (Welcome to the NRC, Bill, & we hope someone will help you on your problem -ERC)

Don P. Rost - 505 Guindon Boulevard - Fond du Lac, Wisconsin - 54935

Hello fellows. I guess the QRN has really set in now. Recent catches were: 4/11- WLAC-1510. 4/12- KGHL-790. 4/14- KOIL-1290, WABC-770. 4/13- KSO-1460. 4/19- KOB-770. KOB was under very heavy QRN. Veries are coming in slowly w/only three to report: KOA KSO WXYZ. That's it for now. 73s.

AS THEY SAY IN HAITI, "4VSM." Just "4 VERY SHORT MONTHS" until Cedar Rapids! (Schatz) ARE YOU MAKING YOUR PLANS YET TO ATTEND? BETTER NOT PROCRASTINATE TOO LONG! ACT NOW!

Paul R. Hoffman - 1057 Bernard Drive - Fullerton, California - 92631

It's been a long time since my name has appeared in these columns, & I can't say I've enjoyed my four month absence from the dials one bit. Next year at Dayton I'll definitely be living off campus & hope to get in a full season of DXing. Wouldn't it be great if next Winter could even come close to being as good as the past one! A little DX here the past week, although nothing tremendous. 4/19- KNEW-790 Wash. concluding test 3:59. KWIL-790 Ore. weak ID @ 4am. CHUB-1570 B.C. fair around 4:15. KXOL-1360 Tex. weakly at 4:28. KIT-1280 Wash. fading in at 4:47. KBOX-1480 Tex. fair & steady after 5am. A lot of static this MM, & none of the Easterners seemed to be coming in at all, so I hit the sack early for a MM. 4/21- KTRB-860 Calif. heard for the first time o/KONO after 3am. KISN-910 Wash. ID'd during one of KEWB's fades. CJVI-900 B.C. w/a weak signal 3:30. Here's an idea for those of you, who like myself, are still playing around w/a budget RX like the S-120, NC-60, etc. My 110' antenna worked fine on a clear channel, but created a bad over-loading problem on a regional frequency to the point where all I got was a lot of distortion & slop from adjacent frequencies. I salvaged the main tuning condenser from an old transistor & hooked it in series w/the antenna. It seems to have the effect of "antenna trimming", as by tuning the condenser it is possible to greatly reduce the signal entering the RX. At its peak which is well below the signal admitted by the antenna alone, it lets through enough signal to hear the big Easterners. Yet when tuned down, it really improves clarity & selectivity on the regional frequencies. It has other advantages which you'll learn by using it, so give it a try if you're having overloading problems. Veries in here are from WCBS KGHL WBZ KICY KDAN KCEM WWJC KJR & KLCN. It's about time I got with it and started sending out a few more reports. I owe a few people letters; they'll be coming soon. 73.

Randall J. Seaver - 2119 30 Street - San Diego, California - 92104

Some DX here the last two weeks: KLOC-920 heard 4/12 on ET @ 3:02, while at Frank Williams' house in L.A. Also visited Bill Willis and Bob Coomler, & the XRs of KFAC and KTYM. KFAC's twins used to be in an open field, now there's an apartment building about 100' away, & their swimming pool is between the towers. 4/13- UnID TT on 860 from 3:57-4:40, in/out w/XENL. This is KONO's SP, wonder if they? Also had three stations on 850; two EE, one SS, latter very weak, not HEKC. First noted 3:59. Two EE, probably KICY & either 2CY or WJW. 4/15- KACE-1570 @ 2:30-pm daytime DX. 4/19- Accented EE -730 @ 5:42, Trinidad? UnID s/on on 1590 @ 5:57, I got WABW, out of it, but not sure. Said 5,000w. Help! Also unk SSB-1600 @ 5:59. KRNy-1460 w/two verises of SSB @ 6:01, 730 EE still @ 6:08, seems late for Trinidad. Cl mx on 770, EE, accented, @ 6:20-6:31, three ascending times @ 6:30, & a time check sounding like "10:30." Not // 3GI-830 & 4RK-840. Maybe WEN has an English-type announcer. KEDD-1550 @ 7:01 s/on, o/two or three other stations. I would like to express an opinion on DXers sending poor reports. It seems to me that it is NOT the new member, or the Club members who send postcard and/or "I heard your station" type reports; it is the non-club member who has a passing interest in DXing, either out of curiosity or having seen reports in Poptronics, EI, etc. & tries his hand. He may think he's the only DXer in the world. It's happened many times before. Having been connected w/the IRCA's Membership Drive in a limited capacity, I find that a majority of the reporters to KOB & other large stations are not interested in joining a DX club. These are the people whom we cannot control, yet will continue reporting to stations until the novelty wears off. One more verie in, Trinidad-730 for 2/1 tentative report. It's been a great season for me, & for most of you, too, as evidenced by the large bulletins. I hope the people in Cedar Rapids have a good time. Maybe something further West can be arranged for 1967 or 1969. 73.

Rand Keller - 23 Sauk Trail - Park Forest, Illinois

Since school has kept up a rather constant pressure, it has been a long time since I have Mused. Since my last Musing I received an HQ-100A which is much, much better than my old set. In two months I have gotten eight new countries, & 50 or 75 new domestic stations. Last night, I noticed that Managua on 615 kc/s. & Radio Belize-834 were coming in even without the Q-Multiplier. Recent new stations are: KKJO-1550 KUSN-1270 & KFEQ-680 to complete St. Joe, Mo., WSEM-1590 on f/c, KWLA-1530 f/c, KCKW-1480 r/c, KVOL-1330 f/c & K-PC on RS on 4/15. Are both WQXR & WDXR off on Friday AMS? A I am writing this I am listening to KSD, St. Louis, says it is 90° there, here only 52°. Who said Spring was here? By the way, has anyone got the KNIA verie for their TEST? Reports out to KNIA WSEM KMPC KWLA KCKW & WLIJ. Veries: CKCK-620 CKY-580 WCPC-940 WFB-710 & KKJO-1550. I hope to be at the Convention to visit w/some of the members of this wonderful Club. 73s. (Neither WQXR nor WDXR is AN, Rand, so both are off Fridays-ERC)

Ken Butterfield - 624 Arthur Street - Plymouth, Michigan - 48170

Milestones: One new country, Colombia, verified. DX as follows: 4/9- WJMD-930, 12:08am s/off. 4/10- WJAQ-1550, 1:05am. 4/14- WTIG-990 3:25pm. WGRD-1470 6:30 pm w/INX. Ver-ies are: v/q- CFAM-DX. v/1- WXOX (w/one letter, one pen, one calendar, CM, & other junk), WNRH (they called WKOP a small competitor of sorts). v/pennant- HJAK-1315, my first Colombian to be verified, w/used stamps, QSLs, pennant, photos of studios & other stuff after only one f/up. F/ups this week sent out to KCKW WHHL WSEM WBNX WEGO WEAS & WSLI, all heard on 3/15. Totals now stand at 37/24 for countries, & 782/727 for loggings. I just crossed 40 SA & LA countries off my log, as they don't seem to want to bother to write back, so why keep shelling out postage? From now on, I'll just send out reports to those stations that people are getting QSLs from. New Supremacy Ratings sent to H. Wilkinson. The Musings seem to be getting better as I think less non-essential material is being left out but there are still a few. Also abbreviationitis seems to be bad. As far as the Castro business goes, I don't like our bearded neighbor any more than anyone else does, but I feel towards the Cuban stations much the same as I do about the SA & CA stations. If they QSL, write -- if not -- the ---- with them. I'm going to drop out of the Domestic Contest as-a- I don't log enough Specials to stand a chance, and -b- it'll save Jerry a little paper work. Why is West Berlin considered a country? I've noticed a lot of members talking about the P.E. awards. How about the E.I. awards? They are just as sharp, get back sooner, & they don't rack you for 50¢ each. They are making a lot of bread at 50¢ an award. I just got a new radio, an AM-FM ten transistor Koyo w/a six or eight inch ferrite bar antenna and also a telescopic whip. It has a dial maker that works like an SW dial string w/the pointer moving horizontal. Only one problem, on both AM & FM the dial is about 1/4" off & I'm trying to find a way to move the little pointer. Also expect to get down to Frank Merrill's house on 4/22 & will swap from him a huge AM/SW radio, & hope to get it working. All you SCs, drool - I have a pen pal in East Germany & she just sent me two East German (DDR) record SCs, but they are going to Frank Merrill in swap w/the radio. So sorry, but that's life. Well, that's about it from here so 73 & will see all in seven.

Alan Merriman - 6559 Montrose Street - Alexandria, Virginia - 22312

DX has really fallen off, w/only 15 new loggings this past month. First I would like to say I had a very enjoyable time at Jonn Sampson's on April 14. I enjoyed very much meeting Ernie & the rest of the fellows there. The week after that I was in Cookeville Tenn. & met Dan Phillips. Here's my DX by dateline: 3/23- CBE off, so I logged KKHI-1550 San Francisco on top @ 2:15. 3/28- WIBW-580 Topeka, Kans. at 3:15. 3/29- KLV-1480 Pasadena, Tex. @ 1:15 w/Pop. WDLA-1270 Walton, N.Y. @ 2:15, test. WSLR-1350 Akron, good on DX at 3:00. KKAR-1220 Pomona, Cal. a tentative @ 3:40. There were two stations on the frequency and very heavy static. WACB-1380 Kittanning, Pa. very good on DX @ 4am. 4/2- WIBA-1310 Madison, Wis. at 4:00 on DX. 4/4- KALF-1510 Mesa, Ariz. between 3-3:34, tough, on TEST. 4/5- WPAL-730 Charleston, S.C. @ 1:05, r/c. No sign of WMKR DX. I wanted this one badly, but no go. 4/12- WKAM-1460 Goshen, Ind. on late for tornadoes, at 2:05. 4/14- WESB-1490 Bradford, Pa. @ 5:30am on DX, good for couple of minutes, then covered. 4/19- WMYB-1450 Myrtle Beach, S.C. @ 12:40am, r/c. 4/21- WOKJ-1550 Jackson, Miss. at 7:15pm, followed by one I've wanted for quite some time, KOKA, Shreveport, La., 7:32 to 7:43pm, pattern/power change, real fine signal. Veries very miserable this past few weeks, 18 back, but lots of reports still out, 49 domestic & 22 foreign. I sent a lot of f/ups about three weeks ago, & no luck, even w/them. Veries that have come back: v/q- CJGX CFCE KELO WDMV Radio DDRI WSLR WIBA KWMT KALF WACB. v/1- WAKX WGLC WDLA WABD KLVL WKAM. v/f- WRBC WESB. Anyone heard from KAPT or KNIA? What are the closing dates for the Domestic Contests? Well, enough for this time - 73 and DX.

Al Slater - 86 Cross Road - Southwick, Sussex - England

Just a few lines to say how useful I have found NRC since joining in January. BCB DX is a trifle different w/us over here in Europe. We don't have domestic DX as such except possibly from chasing the low-powered Spanish stations, since we are surrounded by high power, government controlled radio stations, all within 1,000 miles & often synchronized. This year can see that the logging & verifying of European stations is not a great challenge or of much interest. In fact, I only want loggings & countries outside of Europe & the main interest is really USA/Canada DX. The present scores here are as follows: Countries heard/verified: 77/61 (no Europeans), USA heard/verified, 161/128; Canadian, 69/60. USA states heard/verified: 32/29. Canadian provinces: 6/6. (P. 11)

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(Al Slater, con'd) Total loggings are 640, and total veries over 250. The RX here is an R.C.A. AR-880 w/a 60 inch and 40 inch loop available. Recent veries include: WRCV WSAI WNUS WEAM WLAN WBBM WQAM KING CKTR CKLW CFOX CKRB CKCN CFCF CKYL CKNB CBD CBO RNE-Canary Is., TIRICA Pyongyang-848, CR7SR, a BEC Middle East Relay on Perrin Island on 701 kc/s. In passing, if I can help anyone over there on any matter here in Europe, I shall be only too happy ~~adgdy~~ if anyone can tell me how to get QSLs from WAME WOEC WLDB & WHHH, I would be greatly obliged. '73 for now. (Welcome to the NRC, Al, and we appreciate your fine Musing - please let's have more! -ERC)

Ronald F. Schatz - 510 N.E. 158 Street - North Miami Beach, Florida - 33162

Greetings from Miami, only \$27 (round trip) from Nassau, Bahamas. At that price we could spend a day over there visiting ZNS, etc. as the Miami-in-'66 field trip. The Keys are dull in comparison, I think - just a series of beautiful tropical islands. Speaking of Miami-in-'66, I notice that has been the only Convention site bid, and w/decision-day only four months away someone will have to make a lot of noise in order to compete with us sun-lovers, so I consider Miami in '66 almost as good as official at the moment. By the way, if there isn't too much opposition we'll hold the Convention the weekend before Labor Day, and for the following reasons: 1. High school and college students will have freer opportunity to attend. 2/ No holiday traffic on the road. 3/ More motel vacancies will be available while driving down. 4. Plane and train tickets will be easier to obtain. 5. Workers should be able to work out their holiday skeds w/their employers so they'll be free to attend, and are urged to do so. Comments of approval or objection are desired; after all, this is your Convention. Also, be smart, like Allen Nissen; mention in your Musing that you want the 1966 NRC Convention held in Miami. On to more DX-like stuff: Ernie, your SS on 1170 heard Easter morning has to be YNUW in Leon, Nicaragua; really covered things here. 1180 heard same time was probably HIBE, but not sure. My own DX has been foreign - behold the golden arse for info. My antenna was downed briefly when the "native" gardner trimmed the coconut palm, making it look like a green feather-duster, hi. The cream of the resultant coconut crop went to Tom Arko & his wife, who were kind enough to wait two hours for me to come home on 4/23. Then it was three more hours of log & verie gazing, NRC gossip, smoking in bed, refreshments, and topped by good ol' Southern hospitality - Schatz-style. The Arkos have been invited back for dinner when they return from the Keys, & I hope Sheldon Miller will join us this time. More DX news next time. Meantime, '73s, and support Miami in '66!

John Callaman - Box 1914 - Pampa, Texas - 79066

I need a large number of volunteers to contact about 50 radio stations apiece to obtain schedules and/or frequency checks for a complete domestic log. I will type the stencils, and Dick Cooper will publish them, and the listing will be available for a nominal fee (enough to cover cost of the materials). Anyone who already has schedule information, complete, for stations, please send it to me so that I can get it into my Master List, then make out a complete roster of those who are interested in contacting stations, reproducing a small questionnaire and sending the tabulated information back to me. It will be a good Summer project, and we hope to have it completed by Convention time. I hope we can obtain enough volunteers to contact every radio station in the United States & Canada. This will be a massive project, as I have hopes of giving complete month-by-month skeds for the daytime stations. I have on order a typewriter which utilizes considerably smaller type than even elite, so space will be no problem. We haven't really had a good log since Weyrich stopped publishing several years ago.

Ken Murphy - 60 Plymouth Road - Glenbrook, Connecticut

Another fascinating season of DXing completed & a large portion of it due to the hard-working editors of DX NEWS. I would be completely lost without it & am perfectly willing to pay an increased membership fee. A special tribute must be given to Len Kruse for his truly outstanding work on lining up Specials. Thanks Len, for many new logging (but I do wish KTTT would verify). Here's a good tip for all N.E. & NYC DXers needing WDOT-1400 in Burlington, Vt. They carry Mets games & can be easily logged after midnight when the Mets play night games in Cal. Boston area DXers will have to wait till lam when WLLH s/off. I am now making arrangements w/Hammarlund to take my HQ-145 for a complete factory overhaul & thus hope to be in good shape for the coming Fall season. A welcome to all the new, young DXers but we must stress sending good, accurate & complete reception reports in the NRC tradition. I like Hank Wilkinson's line "I love this hobby & I don't want it spoiled for me." I hope everyone has a fine Summer. '73s.

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Ralph M. Johanns - 11 East Chippewa Street - Buffalo, New York - 14203

Welcome to NRCer H. W. Boyd (ex-WACB* who'll be a WHOT employee & manipulate some veries from there; don't rush him now. (Hi Homer, make mine: WHOT-1570 for WHOT-1330 is AN pest here). Noted celebrity Merv Griffin'll be Owner of WWCO-1240, Waterbury, Conn. Two DJs of Pirate Radio ship Galaxy (London), Pete Brady & Dave Dennis, rescued a U.S. A.F. pilot in the North Sea on 4/21 & a doctor had to be flown to Radio Invicta (Thames) for injured DJ, Bruce Holland. In the U.S. some bad, bad floods & hope Len Kruse is OK; hi, Len. Noted WERT-1220 & KTOE-1420 ANing & others. Buffalo had EDT & Static now, the "Population Explosion" hit 'Grandpa' RHC & so no 'choirs(. (Hold the baby, Grampa, hope "Sweetie Cake" is o/the flu, 73, RMJ). From WBAP-820 comes a new word: "Ikonogenics", being Image Control & 'Aniconic' for zero-image; Roy Bacus, GM, sent me a lovely Key-lock holder w/the Ikonogenic plate & my name on it, also v/1, CM, etc. (See DDD). Also Wes Boyd, info for WHOT-1330 ' KALF-1510. v/qs from CFCO-630, Chatham, Ont. (glossy jello on black); WOOD-1300 Grand Rapids was a picture card of building. CFAM-1290 v/q & the combo stations CFAM/CHSM letter from 2/22 DX. Nice v/1, KALI-1510 Mesa, Ariz. & CM. From WACB Special, the picture v/q & a v/1 for 3/29, also one dozen fresh eggs for my report! (RHC is hatching 'em now.) DX got the static now, but 4/19 was fair w/WIDD-1520 TT off 12:10am; KWLA-1530 r/c-TT off 1:21; WHRT-850 r/c-M heard 1:48-2am s/off (later than list); that paper/slip WMBR-1460 TTed 3:21 etc. 4/20 heard WMON-1340, Montgomery, W.Va. w/f/c-TT off 4:40am, this made me think of Sid Ros- embaum, where are you Sid? Congrats to Hank Tyndall on his Milestone (#5,500 - wow!) To W. Heinen, your Zip number is 14127, Orchard Park, N.Y. & your bootleg WMRW-1558, phone the FCC: 842-3216. My 4/6 tester was KOLY-1300 Modbridge, S.D. while the 1220 W was not WMDC, Haxlehurst, Miss 3:08-3:28 heard & so I don't know. Heard ex-WTOL, now using WCWA-1230 AN in Toledo. CJRN-1600 & WCHB-1440 (NN station, Inkster, Mich.) dont verify unless you go there personally for a v/1. (Not me - you go). "Maten al arbit-ro", C U in DX NEWS. 73. (It means 'Kill the Umpire!! -ERC)

Frank E. Curran - 314 West Wayne Avenue - Wayne, Pennsylvania - 19087

Latest veries: WWBZ-1360 CKWS-960 WRBC-1300 WHLM-550 WSER-1550 (now 1,000w.) WRAN-1510 WACB-1380 WKDN-800 CJAD-800 WSLR-1350 WGLC-1090 CHML-900 Burg-782 CEM-940 & 3AM2-1466, all these in the past two weeks. Returns have been averagine about 95% w/out f/ups. Did anyone else notice the freak CX on Easter morning? The first SM I stayed up in ages & well worth it. Not much chance for TAs as all reception from the S & SW. A quick breakdown: WEET-1320, KXYZ-1320 WUNO-1320 KFJZ-1270 WJAQ-1550 noted at s/off 2:03-2:08 w/no sign of WAKR. WMBR-1460 & a steady S-9. YNAV-850 w/frequent Radio Continental IDs & giving plugs for Radio El Mundo & Radio Corporation, w/WKIX beneath. XEQ-940, XIEF-1570 & XEDM-1580 dominated these frequencies. WINZ-940 WRBC-1300 (second Jackson, Miss. this AM) & WAAY-1550 w/no sign of CBE. Cubans also noted on 720 740 690 & 1560. Cuban jammer on 1600 ruined this frequency. After reading some of the items in the past few bulletins I can easily see why the verie situation is the way it is. In my estimation, the CE of any station is well within his rights to "13" these skimpy reports, reports w/out return postage, post card reception reports, etc. I know that I would get pretty disgusted after receiving some of this junk myself if I were a CE, PD, etc. It's about time we policed our ranks, gang. If you can't give a station some verifiable data such as commercials, announcers' names, program titles, addresses that are mentioned of sponsors, etc., forget it. No need even to mention song titles, exsept in cases of "Specials" and some f/cs. Throw away your report "cards" and WPE cards, as they are useless to the station. You can only get a limited amount of info on them. If you live in a small town, give the station personnel some idea of where it is without referring to a map (e.g., 1w miles NE of Cedar Rapids, etc. Also, when you give a station a report of their signal strength, give a signal comparison of another station in the area of your reported station, preferable of the same, or close to the same power. What about some smple reports included in the Summer issues when things get slow, Ernest? (Good idea, Frank! -ERC)

Paul H. Henning - Box 133 - Hartford, Wisconsin - 53027

Not much time for DXing due to homework & study for tests. New ones logged in last few weeks: WSPD-1370 KKJO-1550 KXEL-1540 (were their call letters ever KMCL?) PJB-800 KFIZ-1450 WSLR-1350 w/3/29 DX, WOSH-1490 & KCMO-810. v/qs since last Musing: CBL WIND WTTN WWL WLS WJJD WFOX WCAU WHAM WOAI CKLW WSM WSLR WGN & WBZ. v/1- WPLY WHBL WPAW & WMIL. Totals: 86 stations logged, 34 veries, 13 out of 17 states veried. Thirteen reports are out now. 73 till next time. (KXEL started w/these calls in the 30s -ERC)

Ben Dangerfield - 202 Governor's Drive - Chester, Pennsylvania - 19013

The Auroreal CX definitely began late last Saturday night, 4/17, and are still most evident. At 7:30pm the TAs were still coming through, & the LAs were about normal; at 11 pm there were no TAs at all, & the U.S. & Canada stations were very strong & clear. Apparently by 2am on 4/18 the LAs had taken over, although I had gone to bed by then & can't help ERC w/his 1170-1180 signals. However, hasn't XEFR been the ANer heard on other occasions w/WHAM off? There hasn't been much DX here, though I've reported a couple of LAs during the past week. Going back a little bit: Sunday 4/11, CX were noisy. MM 4/12: Heavy static forced me to go back to bed. That evening, the only long distance stuff was from Germany & Czechoslovakia. What I worked hardest on, & got nowhere, was the loud jumble of TAs on 1484 kc/s. at 11pm, & an unID TA on 1412 kc/s. at the same time. No luck in either case. The same sort of CX prevailed on 4/13-14-15; good signals from Europe, but nothing sensational. Ditto on 4/16, & on 4/17 to a point. At 7:25pm on the latter date, CBT was noted atop 540, completely in the clear, while Montserrat was good on 885 kc/s. at the same time; signals couln't seem to decide what direction to come from! 4/18, as mentioned above, not one TA, all LA. At 7pm Radio Trinidad all alone atop 730, w/Radio Demerara the best on 760. YVQJ-1080 way o/WTIC; HJCT atop 1190 w/U.S. standard @ 7:50pm. On 812 kc/s., Radio Atalaya, Bucaramanga, in w/a program of Benny Goodman @ 10:55. MM 4/19- Static, plus GCers plus Cubans plus ANers equalled zero. Did hear PJD2-1295, holding forth w/the 23rd Psalm @ 4:15am. Wonder why they still haven't answered my report of 2/1? Plenty of LAs since then, on most frequencies. Most of the signals from Cuba, Venezuela, & Colombia, so just pick a good signal & hope you get some verifiable detail. One of those I could not ID was the LA on 940 kc/s. playing polkas on 4/20 from 9:30-10pm. Got buried u/much QRM. Haven't done much DXing the last few days, & w/EDST about to begin, will consider the season about at an end, though of course I never stop trying. Veries arriving at the usual slow pace. A v/l from Deutschlandfunk (West Germany) verified their stations on 548 (Konigsutter) & 755 IRavensburg). A v/c from Radio Emperador-840 was a pleasant surprise, since no one else seemed to be having any success in getting an answer. Finally a v/c in from East Germany to confirm Berlin Welle-1358 heard back in October. Many out.

Chris Lucas - 83 Round Hill Road - Fairfield, Connecticut - 06431

Hi again. The past weekend didn't bring me much in the way of new loggings, although MM 4/26 had good CX considering it was raining. Twenty-five loggings in past two weeks bringing present total to exactly 1,000. DX: 4/14- WAMW-1580 Washington, Ind. s/off 7:30; WSB5-1578 Portugal at 7:38. 4/15- WCOG-1320 N.C. on top, 12:28am. 4/15- Good AM WVNA-1590 Tusculumbia, Ala. lam s/off I think, WAFC-900 Staunton, Va. r/c 1:08, KXOL-1360 Texas @ 1:54 u/WSAI, no WKAT noticed, KGHM-1470 loud & clear on r/c 1:55. 4/18- WTSA-1450 Vt. #8 3:29pm o/WNAB. 4/18- WKDA-1240 Tenn. on top w/S-3 at 5:11am, WLET-1420 Toccoa, Ga. at 5:32 on clear channel, WDSL-1520 N.C. o/u WKBW, 6:08am. That morning was weird, as all skip from N.E. was gone before sunrise. WALT-1110 Fla. 7pm. 4/19- WBBQ-1340 r/c 12:28am, WLAQ-1410 @ 12:58am s/off, WJJK-1580 N.C. r/c at 1:18, WDIC-1430 r/c @ 1:24, WMAC-1360 Ga. r/c @ 1:24am. 4/20- I tried for WPEH; no luck. I got WBTS-1480 Ala. r/c @ 3:17am. SSS, odd eve, only skip from S: WAXE-1370 Vero Beach, Fla. at 6:34pm in clear, WRAI-1520 P.R., I think this was SS topping WKBW @ 7:15; YVQB-940 Venezuela @ 7:39. I had strong SS on 1110 7:40-7:55, but then QRM started from WBT. I think SS was Venezuela; anyone hear it? WELV-1370 Ellenville, N.Y. s/off 4/21 @ 6:43 u/WFEA. 4/22- WFMD-930 @ 7pm w/CBS program 6:40-7, echoing^w/WBEN. MM 4/26- I didn't get WBVP, but came through w/WJEF-1230 at 12:29 for Mich. graveyard #3. CHIC-790 Brampton, Ont. at lam for station #1,000. Quite a few veries in past four weeks: v/q- WTOR WACB WSLR WIBA WOOD (giant size) CFAM & CJCA. v/l or v/f- WGLC WJCO WDAY KWIZ KSEL WLAP WACB KALF CFAM WESB WAFC WSUB & WTSA. v/r- WBBQ. v/pp- KXLF. Cms came from these: WTOR (DA NW, nulls SW, S, SE & E), WDAY (DA N & W, less signal E) KWIZ (non-DA I think) WLAP (main power NNW, other lobes NE, SE, & SSW; main null W, other nulls NNE E & SSE.) WACB WIBA KALF WSUB & WBBQ all non-DA, CFAM & WAFC look non-DA, CJCA (DA night, nulls W & S.) Static level in general appears to be lower than it was a couple weeks ago (maybe I'm just getting used to it). Soon I expect to be swinging over to the FM dials, but I'll always keep in touch w/ECB. 73s until the next issue.

Ron B. Schiller - Box 456 - Monmouth Beach, New Jersey

Veries up to 1,570 w/the addition of the following: v/l- WYNG WSPA WGBG WNEI WPIUS WISO. v/q- KTFI & CJFP, & following a clean-up program, PP cards from WJES WFBS WENC WILD WKSC WKBX WJAT KGMR WLCM & 1c, after seven reports & four PP cards, my oldest (P. 14)

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(Ron Schiller, con'd) holdout WSUZ-800 Palatka, Fla. heard one & only time, twilight in March 1959. 'Twas #81 from Florida & now leaves WCVP-600 as my next biggest holdout. New additions include: 4/5- WKKR-1240 DX in beautifully atop the AN mob; WBUS-1090 ET @ 4:49 & the CE says he is at the XR every MM @ 3am & tests it "every so often" on MMs. WISO's 4:58am s/on made it barely ahead of WJJJ et al, their v/1 made it #23 from P.R. & WNEL's made it 24 for 28 from the island. WGBG-1400 atop all at 5am & WENJ-1490 likewise atop their "graveyard" at 5:31. WEGM-1540 at 5:45 on top. 4/11, another try to RNE-737 Barcelona, a regular here prior to their 8pm s/off. 4/18, Easter AM, WPXY-1550 s/on 6:03; WKDX-1250 RS 6:07-6:16 clear; long-wanted WSLT-1520 s/on 6:31, well atop till 7am when new 1'il WTGR-1520 "Tiger Radio" (How's that for originality?) in Myrtle Beach, S.C. s/on, all 250 watts of 'em! XEN-900 that evening bombing all 9:57-11pm. 4/19- WTLN-1520 Apopka, Fla. weak but cleat @ 6:44pm s/off, as Aurora Borealis demolished all signals from the N, WKEW included. Ten minutes later, WGNP in Indian Rocks Beach, Fla. came to the fore and stayed till their 7pm s/off. WORG-1580 also heard at 7pm s/off. Radio Aeropuerto-910 YVPF booming o/WRNL & company 7:23-8:00, W.I.B.S.-535 Grenada clear but pretty weak circa 8-9pm w/everything from Steel Bands to Beatles records. HJBI-840 way o/WHAS 9-9:30 and finally, HJKA-540 o/a weak XENVA 9:54-10:19. 4/21- WCLW-1570 on top 7-7:15pm, and an hour later I pulled all the tubes & found one completely dead, & two others "weak". So the ole HQ-180 sounds much better w/those replaced. Aside - how 'bout putting your v/s in Russ' column instead of in your Musings reports? 73.

Steve Weinstein - 435 Jayson Avenue - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania - 15228

Hi. Hardly any DX done here at all lately. I won't be doing much until Summer because of schoolwork. DX: MM 4/12- The QRN was THE WORST I have ever heard. We were right in the middle of a thunderstorm & 67mph winds, & the static inside sounded worse than the storm outside. Did notice WTVB-1590, WLAM-1460 & WOWO-1190 on for the bad CX in the Midwest, though. WZIP-1050 7:16pm s/off. 4/13- WERT-1220 on AN for storm emergency. WWSW-970 off until 3:30am for emergency maintenance again. WJUN-1220 ET/OC 3:44 am. WVKO-1580 7:15pm s/off. Bulletin: Via IRCA, CHQM-1320, Vancouver, B.C. is now 100,000 watts!! This might pave the way for others. Sheldon Miller, your prediction about KFQD may turn out to be correct! Veries: v/1- WCAY WGTA WRUF WRIN WAUK & VOUS-DX finally. v/q- WOOD & KHVH. Also a folder-type verie from Hilversum-746 for country #27. John Thompson- I have a v/1 from CKEY. George Santilli- Don't bet your receiver! Your 1590 s/off at 7pm wasn't WAUK, because they s/off at 7:45pm in April. Dave Gnauck- TT on 1320 1:50am on 4/5 was WJAS. 920 TT may have been KARK. I use a Hallicrafters SX-122 RX, Dave. Oh yeah, also forgot a v/1 from Radio Suceso-995 w/pennant. 73s.

Ernest R. Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn, New York - 11226

The verie famine finally ended on 4/23 w/the arrival of v/1 from WCHE-1520 thanks to v/s in DX NEWS. But that's the one & only! The DX: 4/14- Unn WSMA-1550, heard s/off @ 7:15pm u/CBE. Someone else on 1550 s/off 7:27pm w/"Bless This House" & another u/them w/SSB, unID. 4/15- TT/OC ETer on 1270 o/WXYZ, no IDs heard, & no Cuban heard. None on 720, either. WJAS-1320 ET @ 2:40. PM, WDSL-1520 logged 6:45-7pm s/off u/WKEW Unn ZNS-1540 u/WPTR, 7:10pm ending ten minutes of NX. 4/18- Severe Aurora CX noted. SS-1170 w/no sign of WWVA 1:58-2:16am when they faded back in & on top; SS w/Coca Cola ads - Miller & Schatz think it was YNUW, Leon, Nicaragua, which they heard at that hour. Another SS-1180 "Radio Eckes" after every record (Radio X) - unID, alas - any help, anyone? "Radio Globo" suddenly atop them 3:13-3:15 & then quickly out (PRA3), unn. I heard DJ on WKAT-1360 asking listeners to look in the northern sky & view the beautiful display of Northern Lights! 4/19- Aurora still in effect, but not so strong. Logged were KCUL-1540 ET/c/w mx u/KXEL 1:58-2:26, one I've long needed. SS-975 weak & unID. 900; one w/NN mx & commercials for Volkswagons @ 2:54 didn't sound like CHML, probably CHNO. WCCO-830 AN for flood warnings. WSBP-1580 r/c-M logged 3:44-3:58. 4/20- YVPF-910 almost in the clear, 7:44-8:21pm for easy report. SS-1190 also atop but weak & unID. MM 4/26- WHSL-1490 in momentarily @ 12:55am. WPAT-930 off; WSOC/CJCA fighting it out there. HOU44-1015 in/out for report, hopefully. WINS is still silent MMs, happily; now all NX & commercials. KCLN-1390, Clinton, Iowa, AN for flood emergency, weak, but loggable just o/HNL, for welcome new one, a 500-watter. Watch for stations on the Mississippi River as the flood waters progress southward. 4/27- 1370 yielded WELV-1370, Ellenville, N.Y. atop 5:50-8:20pm mostly always on top & sometimes in the clear for second try for verie. I agree w/Randy Seaver on the postcard type reports. WFBP's were almost all from unknown DXers. An "occupational hazard." 73.

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1570 W A F S Amsterdam, New York, to 1,600 D-1, from 1,000 D-3, same channel.

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740	W S B R	Boca Raton, Florida	FCC				
920	K D H L	Now 5,000 U-4	FCC	1420	K H F H	Now 1,000/500 U-2	FCC
1050	K B L E	Ex-KNBX	IRCA	1450	W M V G	Now 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
1230	W C W A	Ex-WTOL (AN MMs)	NRC	1490	W H S L	Now 1,000/250 U-1	FCC
1270	K G O L	Palm Desert, Calif.	NRC	1550	W O K J	Ex-WJAJ	NRC
1300	W R K T	Now 5,000/1,000 U-4(AN)	NRC	1590	W J A Q	Ex-WOKJ	NRC

WATCH FOR:

540 W E T C (50,000 D-3) (around July 1), says Dave Schmidt, Chester, Pa.
1300 W R R C Spring Valley, New York; 1,000 D-3; says Allen Nissen, Fort Lee., N.J.

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DEADLINES: "MUSINGS" on Tuesday, May 18. Please try to report to
"DX DOWN THE DIAL" on Wednesday, May 19. the various sections for
"INTERNATIONAL DX DIGEST" on Monday, May 17. this & all Summer issues.
David Gnauck - 444 Old Hook Road - Westwood, New Jersey - 07675

I did a tremendous lot of DXing over the vacation & I hope it will all fit in here. Going back to 4/10 I got WKID-1580 r/c 1:19 apparent s/on-1:30 w/TT. 4/12, MM- Tremendously terrible CX & I decided to give up & come back after SR. WAKR-1590, was however noted on emergency programming & I suppose others were also on. WEZJ-1440 s/on 5:01 but not enough for report; WKBA I thought s/onto 1550 @ 6am w/religious message but un- verie says no. Who was it then? WXVA-1550 6:04 s/on to 6:27; WCBG-1590 Pa. 6:33-7am on RS/rr. WTCR-1420 6:46-6:58pm s/off, 4/13 PM, w/c/w but no report for not enough info; WSMA-1550 s/off 7:14 w/rr. WESB-1490 r/c-DX 5:23-5:46am s/off w/TT on 4/14 and WEMJ-1490 at 5:29 s/on during it. 4/16- WBCI-740, Va. r/c-TT 12:02-12:14am. Also a tester w/TT on 1430 between 2-3am, anyone know who? WAXK-1320 r/c, Wis. 1:45-1:59am w/TT. I got up at 3am. on Easter & discovered some weird CX (?). Noting CBE-1550 off I checked & could note not one CBC station. Could not pick up CKOY-1310 or any other Canadian. At first I figured they all signed off but on 1470, suddenly CFOX came bomb- ing in at 8-9 but then disappeared again completely. Maybe it was a super Canadian blackout. XESM-1470 RS 3:39-3:50 w/mx; WQSN-1450, RS-rr 3:54-4:12; WMOC-1450, Tenn. RS -rr 3:56-4:08; WDXB-1490 Tenn. RS w/pop mx, 4:13-4:19; WLOF-950, Fla. RS-rr 4:34-4:53 WDOL-1470, 4:59 s/on w/SSE & one other @ 4:57 came on & had a Portals of Prayer program I didn't get ID, who? WBIG-1470, N.C. s/on SSB 4:59-5:05 w/mx. Nrxr my prize for the morning, KOKY-1440, 5am s/on w/SSB for special Easter SR Service. MM 4/19- WSIC-1400, N.C. 12:04-12:06 s/off w/Lord's Prayer; WSHB-1400 N.C. 12:03-12:06 s/off; WBBQ-1340 r/c 12:17-12:30, Ga.; WMYB-1450, S.C. r/c-TT 12:30-12:40; WHSL-1490, RS-rr 12:45-1am s/off SSB; WOPI-1590, Tenn. RS 1-1:08am s/off w/SSB, w/NBC NK. KWLA-1530, r/c-TT La., 1:10- 1:21 off for second report; WDIC-1430 Va. r/c-TT 1:22-1:25; WRKT-1300 RS-rr 1:54-2:08, Fla.; KCUL-1540, Tex. ET w/c/w mx 2:22-2:37; WWIN-1400, Md. second report, 3:29-3:42 w/ jazz on RS; WBIR-1240, Tenn. 3:45-3:55 r/c-TT, second report; WKSC-1300, s/on w/Dixie at 5am I think, along w/WCKI-1300, s/on 5am. Veries are CFAM WABD WACB WNEL WXRF WJEJ WCGC (f/up) WSAY (f/up) & WSHN. John Thompson, I have veries from CKEY WPON & WPOR. Who were the testers on 1290 w/TT on 4/12 MM @ 2am & 1260 w/TT @ 3? Both IDed, but I couldn't decipher either. Enough - 'bye!

POOR REPORTS

There has been much said, and well said, on the subject of skimpy reports, particularly those on postcards. We have pointed out that this is NOT an NRC-type report. So, if there are any of you out there who have been sending these "I heard music - please ver- ify" type of "reports," you have seen what the REAL DXers in the NRC think not only of the reports, but of those sending them. Probably, at some time early in all our DXing lives, we all sent such tiny reports, but we all progressed to the NRC-type, with much program and reception detail. It's wonderful to be young - but let's not overdo it in our reporting methods! Let there be NO MORE of this type of report from an NRC member! This Club has a very high standard, and a fine image to uphold, and we do not wish to see our good name besmirched by postcard, no-return-postage reports. So - "IX NAY."

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Please use the following rules as a "GUIDE" when compiling information. This should be referred to by those members who wish to participate either as a new contributor or those who are now active and mail in their additions from time to time.

1. TOTAL VERIES. This category to include ALL veries in your file that you personally count as veries. Each member has his own "honor code".
2. FOREIGN VERIES. Under this heading count all veries except those veries in the U.S.A. and Canada. INCLUDE HAWAII AND ALASKA. (New Zealand DX'ers can not count New Zealand veries in this group).
3. TOTAL COUNTRIES VERIFIED. Count ALL countries in your total. INCLUDE U.S.A. AND CANADA IN THIS GROUP). Use NRC Country List by Continent as a guide. Watch for revisions or additions as they appear in John Callarman's section.
4. NORTH AMERICAN VERIES. Count ALL VERIES from countries shown on past, present and future NRC Country Lists indicating the continent of North America. COUNT ALASKAN VERIES in this group. DO NOT COUNT U.S. AND CANADIAN VERIES IN THIS GROUP
5. SOUTH AMERICAN VERIES. Count all veries from the countries shown on the NRC Country List by Continent of the past, present and future.
6. EUROPEAN VERIES. COUNT ALL VERIES FROM THE NRC COUNTRY LISTS that have appeared so far. WATCH FOR CHANGES. U.S.S.R., Isle of Man, etc.
7. OCEANIA VERIES. FOLLOW THE NRC COUNTRY LISTS. INCLUDE HAWAII as a country in this group.
8. AFRICAN VERIES. USE NRC COUNTRY LISTS by CONTINENT of the past, present and future. There have been many changes in this continent in the past few years.
9. ASIAN VERIES. FOLLOW THE NRC COUNTRY LISTS by CONTINENT. There have been many changes in the past few years--especially in the U.S.S.R.
10. BEST VERIE IN EACH CONTINENT. JUST WHAT IT IMPLIES. YOUR BEST VERIE FROM EACH CONTINENT. EXCEPTION: U.S. and Canadian veries are not eligible for "N.A. BEST".
11. Send in your new totals once a month or not less than once each two months. This is important if standings are to be current.
12. When submitting information as a new contributor please follow each step so that your file card at this den is complete. When established contributors send in any additions please remember to group your new veries by continent and if any new countries are added please be sure to give the names. Too many letters come to me in regards to SUPREMACY RATINGS where the information is incomplete. May I have your fullest cooperation on this matter in the future.
13. There are a few good reasons to be a SUPREMACY RATING contributor: (1) Records of your progress as a R.C.R. DX'er is kept for you as the years roll by (2) As a contributor you invite good clean healthy competition among your brother DX'ers (3) Award Certificates for "Veries" and "Countries Verified" are mailed to you automaticaly as you reach each multiple. (Veries in 500 multiples---Countries Verified in multiples of 25).
14. We have a fine group as of now but I believe that 100 CONTRIBUTORS is not out of sight. Will all of you serious DX'ers give this item some thought ?

H.J. Wilkinson, Jr.

May 1, 1965

540	WETC	Bill Kirby, CE	D	1270	WMPM	Carl E. Lamm, GM	D
	CBT q	J.J. Maloney, Tec.	D	1280	WHVRq	P.A. Rolerlaugh, CE	D
550	KFRM	Les Svoboda, CE	B	1290	CFAMq	John J. Pauls, CE	G
	WKRCc	Dore Frantz, ESu	BG	1300	WAVZ	Ralph Carrano, CE	E
	WGR q	Wayne A. Chilson, ESu	F	1310	WIBAq	Norman G. Hahn, CE	BA
560	WQAMq	J.D. Hampton, CE	A		WGH qh	Ed Leman, CE	A
600	WREC	Robt. Tincher, DPR	C		CFGMq	Brian Sawyer, CE	A
630	CKRCqu	R.E. Patterson, CE	J		WBROc	Earl Lauderdale, M	G
	WPROq	Gilbert W. Johnson, CE	DE				
670	WMAQq	C.L. Pierce, CE	E	-1300	WEEE	Gary C. Woods, AE	A
690	WAPEq	Ken Fuller, PD	H	1350	WSLRq	George Paul, AcCE	A
	KGGF	Bob McBride, PD	C	1360	KEYZ	Andrew Busch, EIC	B
730	WPIT	Michael Koichak, AM&CE	D	1380	WTOB	G. Roy Vogler, CE	B
790	KXGof	Norris P. Pederson, CE	G	1420	CKPTfmh	Fred Owen, E	A
800	PJB c	Mrs. Lois Harvey	B	1450	CJBMe	Andre Lecomte, VP&GM	A
810	WEDO	Grace Garbett, , CD*	D	1460	WMBR	C.R. Mills, Jr., CE	I
820	WFAAq	Bob Bruton, PM	C		WCMBq	Chas. L. Stefauei, CE	I
	WOSUx	A.J. Boggioni, CE	D	1470	KRBCf	H.F. Ridgway, CE	B
860	KONOq	W.A. Kiley, CE	D		KTWO	Ben Lockerd, CE	B
870	WWL q	J. Blanc	C		CFOX	Gordon Sinclair, P	A
910	CJDV	Tony Mayer, M	B	1480	CBZ q	Ross Ingram	A
	KLCN	Les Biouford, PD	B		WLEAf	Carol Pascoe, TM	F
930	WSOC	A.O. Richardson, CE	G		KBOX	Wm. Thompson, TS	G
940	KIOAm	Bert C. Auten	C	1490	WOKOc	Chas. R. Heisler, CE	A
	WCPCq	J.B. Skeiton, Jr, CE	G	1510	WINU	Glenn F. Bircher	G
-920	CFRYum	R.D. Hughes, CE	J	1530	WCKYq	Larry Gardner, CE	C
960	WEAVq	Jack Nazak, CE	D		KDSD	Don Abel, CE	B
990	WNOXq	Robert Eugert, CE	C	1540	ZNS-1	H.R. Bethal, GM	C
1010	KLRAq	Blande Perry, CE	C		KXEL	Jerry Dee	A
1035	4VEF	Leone Wallace	B		WPTRq	Dave Kruse, CE	D
1070	KNX q	Ted Denton, MTOps.*	BC	1550	WSMA	Tommy Goodwin, PD	G
1080	KRLDq	B.B. Honeycutt, CE	G	1560	KPMCq	Leo P. Jarvis, CE	G
1110	CBD q	Ross Ingram	A		WBYSf	Chas. E. Wright, GM	I
1140	WRVAq	John B. Tansey, DPR	CD	1600	WINXf	Bill P. Vickers, CE	I
1150	CKTR	C. Couture, M	G				
	CKOC	John M. Hill, AM	F				
1190	KRDS	I.R. Drummond, OM	B				
1220	CKDA	Elizabeth Flint	B				
1230	WNIA	Gordon P. Brown, GM	F				
	WITHq	S.E. Hawkins, Jr.	A				
	WKBO	Richard E. Gardener, CE	D				
1235	ZBM-1q	Tom Lewis, PD	G				
1260	WFBMq	R.W. Flanders	C				
	WNDR	Francis A. Cicoricca	D				

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 C- J. Hamilton; D- D. Schmidt; E-
 R. Bruhns; F- W. Heinen; G- J.
 Boatwright; H- D. Russell; J- Me.

NEW ABBREVIATIONS:

CD - Continuity Director
 MTOps - Manager, Technical Oper-
 ations.

UNSIGNED OR UNREADABLE VERIES:

770- KOB 1570- CKLM 1580- CBJ 850- WJW 570- WKBN

CONTRIBUTORS AND CORRESPONDENTS PLEASE TAKE NOTE:

After May 25, 1965, address all correspondence to my New Jersey address. 24 Rosslyn Court, Little Silver, N.J. 07739. Deadline for summer issue will be the FRIDAY before publication, as I expect large lists in the order of 2-3 pages per issue. Deadline for 5/22 issue will be 5/17/65. LATE DX DATA: WOLF-1490 Syracuse is now back on its 1000 watt pattern days, after a long layoff due to reconstruction.

KCLN-1390 Clinton Iowa; has been on with its full 1000 watts (KCLN is a daytimer) for emergency broadcasting for the flood conditions. Heard Sun AM 4/25 under WNUS and again MM 4/26 with an S/5 signal here in Syracuse. This should be a good catch for many of you. Programming consists of rr with frequent flood reports. Watch for other daytimers in the upper Mississippi area to be on AM with similar programming.

Russell J. Edmunds - Box 435; 415 University Pl; Syracuse, N.Y. 13210

Well, it's been a long time since I layed out a full-scale musing, so after last time's editorial binge, here goes the musing: My f/ups seem to be doing the trick, as I have only two holdouts as of 3/1. Those are the 6-month verifier KOMA and WJGO-1510. Veries into the fold recently as a result of f/ups are: CFRY-920 and CKRC-630. Since they seem so effective, XERF and HJED each deserve one too. Then there is WIDD-1520, whom someone was going to visit. I seem to recall a verie reported from them.... was it you, Ralphie?? Well, they'll get one too. One overdue report is WHHL, so guess an f/up is in order for them/ soon. Reports out to: WAVZ, WDEM, WTAR, WCOJ, WJAR, WOND & KCLN. Now on to DX... Amidst the first thunderstorm (and it was a whopper) of the year, heard a station w/ light pop way o/ WAKR 0025-35 on 4/12 well after WBRY s/off. 4/44 brought a good log on WAVZ, but unn. WOLF was off that night, but only CKCR there. 4/17- 0350- CFNB-550 w/ CBC mx; 0352, WDEV-550 ID; 0415, WRCH-910 ID; 0430, WBRC-960 ID w/ CHNS ID 2 minutes later. 0435, WCOB-1150 . Unn WTAR in well 0405-0413. 3/19, MM on 1490 w/ WOLF off, CKCR in background with station with many Tony Bennett records and several Doris Day types also. Loc. says it's in PA., so any ideas. Wasn't WARD, as I ID'ed them under this mess. 4/25, CKRS-590, 0151-0155 w/ CBC FF ID and Pgm. 0223- heard my second NJ station in WOND-1400... and a graveyarder, yet! 1390 brought KCLN u/ WNUS w/ emergency BC. 0245-0300, XEDM in well. 4/26, same for XEDM around same time. 0126, WBAX-1240 ID; 0129, WCPO-1230ID u/ a tester who couldn't seem to stay on the air. Tester was playing old rr, but doubt WBVP as he shouldn't have been on that late. Didn't log him earlier, tho'. 0137, CJLR in FF w/ old rr. 0200- CKKW-1320 on top up to S/5. Very unexpected. Then at 0218, a solid log on KCLN for emergency. 15 minute continuous, but then weather got bad somewhere as static from thunder took over the dial. This batch gives me 397 logged for this season, my first in Syracuse. Total for NY + NJ is 716. Plan on consolidating my logs this summer. Should have no trouble making my 400 goal... maybe I'll hit for 425!! Going at it again tomite (4/27 AM) as band has been unusually free of static for this time of year. S/off time, so CU 5/22

The following list of Verie Signers was sent to Kittanning by our new member from up Wisconsin way ... PAUL H. HENNING, P. O. BOX 133, HARTFORD, WISCONSIN 53027. Thanks a lot Paul. It's good to see you new members joining right into the swing of things. Will you please send your next list directly to RUSS EDMUNDS who cuts the stencils for this section. And good DX to you! (rhc)

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|------------|------------------------|------------|-----------------------------------|
| 540 WYLOfm | Joseph C. Waters, CE | 1350 WSLRq | George Paul, AcCE |
| 800 WDUX | Dan Yates, CE | 1420 WPLY | H. J. Mayer, CE |
| 880 WWLq | N. Blanc | 1510 WLACq | XXXXXX F. D. Birms, CE |
| 940 WFAW | Clifford Groth, CE | 1540 WTKMr | Galen Baumer, GM |
| 1160 WJJDq | Herman Gruther, CE | 1560 WGLB | Frank Wright, PD |
| 1250 WEMP | Rolland E. Paske, CE | 1570 CFORq | James Profits, CE |
| 1330 WHBL | Julian Jetzer, Stfe | 1580 WTTNq | David Beithe, CE |
| 1340 WRITm | LeRoy Wolniakowski, CE | | |

We are in receipt of several letters from members offering to work on the CPC. It seems likely that we will try to reorganize the CPC and get under way with plans for a big year starting next fall. One of the letters from DAVID N. LEWIS, 3429 FOREST, KANSAS CITY, MISSOURI 64109 also includes the information that KUDL 1380 is now off Monday mornings. This makes 1380 a clear channel in the east from 3:00 to 4:00 EST. Those of you who continue to DX through the summer months should be alert for some DX on 1380 during this period on Mondays while Daylight Savings Time is in effect.

We also heard from Dave Schmidt and Bill Lipis who are interested in a little CPC work. You fellows will hear from us as soon as we get details worked out, and we look for a lot of activity along CPC lines for the next season.

Send DXDD items to J.W. Brauner, RD 1, Box 61, Punxsutawney, Pa. 15767 - - - -

Call. Location, Remarks.

560 WFIL Philadelphia, Pa. RS 5:30 to 2:00 AM, Sun. 5:30 AM to Midnight. Schmidt.

570 WMCA New York, N.Y. Noted off on MM 4/19 at 12:30 A. Back at 12:15. Boutwright.

620 WDNC Durham, N.C. MM S/on is 4:56 AM. Boutwright.

630 CFCC Chatham, Ont. is NSP w 10 Kw dys, 1 Kw nites, per QSL, Johanns.

640 CMQ Cuba. Silent MM's from Midnite to 1:00 AM. Bob Bruhns

670 WMAQ Chicago, Ill. Silent MM's 2:00-6:00 AM per veri. Bruhns

680 CKGB Timmins, Ont. Sked. Mon-Fri. 5:58 A.-12:10 AM. Sat. 5:58-1:10, Sun. 6:58-12:10

730 CKDM Dauphin, Man. AN w 10 KW's. Do they verify? (Dunno here) (Boutwright

750 WHEB Portsmouth, N.H. s/off at 7:15 PM. Bruhns. (Kreidler.

820 WBAP Fort Worth, Tex. on 820 1:00-8:00 AM. & 1:00-5:00 PM. Otherwise on 570. MM Silent period 1:00-6:00 AM. per V/L/ Johanns.

850 WEEU Reading, Pa. RS. Mon.-Sat. 6:00 AM to Midnight. Schmidt.

860 WHRT Hartselle, Ala. Mx/FC on 4/19 from 1:48-2:00 AM. Johanns.

900 WKYV Paducah, Ky. S/on 7:00 AM. Johnson.

910 WDOR Sturgeon Bay, Wis. S/on 7:00 AM, Johnson.

910 CBO Ottawa, Ont. Is AN on MM's, Johnson, (Sure pro, JWB)

910 WSBA York, Pa. Silent Sun. AM., at 3:00. Schmidt

930 WPAT Paterson, N.J. Noted off AM of 4/20., Boutwright.

940 WMAZ Macon, Ga. S/on weekdays at 6:00 AM., Kreidler

970 WREO Ashtabula, O. Had ET w RR Mx. 4/13 @ 4:30-4:50 AM. Kreidler.

970 WWSW Pittsburgh, Pa. Off 4/13 to 3:30 AM, May do maintenance Tues. AM's. (Weinstein.

1030 WBX Boston, Mass. Off MM's 12:07 to 5:00 AM., Bruhns.

1080 WFIV Kissimmee, Fla. Had ET on 4/11, 1:00-2:00 AM. Boutwright.

1220 CJOC Lethbridge, Alb. S/off on 4/15 at 3:05 w GSQ. Boutwright.

1220 WERT Van Wert, O. on 4/12 & 13 for storm emergency (AN) Weinstein & Johanns

1220 WJUN Mexico, Pa. Had ET/OC on 4/13 at 3:44 AM. Weinstein.

1220 WMDC Hazlehurst, Miss. No RC, May sked. 7:00 AM-7:30 PM., Sun. 8 AM-7 PM. Johanns.

1230 WNIA Buffalo, N.Y. S/off 12:29 AM w SSB. Heinen.

1240 WKDA Nashville, Tenn. is NSP w RR format. Kreidler.

1250 CHVO Oakville, Ont. S/off 12:35 AM. Daily. Heinen.

1260 KFGQ Boone, Iowa. May sked 7:00 AM-8:30 PM. Weinstein.

1280 WDNT Dayton, Tenn. had FC 3/10 (2nd Wed.) 2:00-2:15 AM. Kreidler.

1290 WTUX Wilmington, Del. TT 4th MM of Month. (Time ?) Schmidt.

1290 WHIO Dayton, O. S/off 1:00 AM w SSB. Heinen.

1300 WERE Cleveland, O. Silent on MM 4/19 from 1:00 AM, noted back @ 3:30. Boutwright.

1300 WOOD Grand Rapids, Mich. weekly FC/TT. MM 1:00-1:15. per H. Lonke, A/CE. Johanns.

1300 KOL Seattle, Wash. is AN except. MM's from 3:00-8:00 AM silent per. Johanns.

1320 CHQM Vancouver, B.C. is now 100,000 Watts. Weinstein.

1320 WJAS Pittsburgh, Pa. Had ET on 4/15 ending at 3:00 AM. Boutwright.

1330 WRRR Rockford, Ill. S/on 6:00 AM. Johnson.

1330 WHOT Youngstown, O. AN with taped show, Wes Boyd, CE, now verifying. Johanns

1340 WEKY Richmond, Ky. S/on 5:00 AM w Old Ky. Home. Kreidler.

1340 WHAT Philadelphia, Pa. AN except for off MM's Midnight to 5:30 AM. Schmidt.

1340 KBRS Spring Dale, Ark. had FC. 12:30 to 12:45 AM on 4/23. (4th Fri./ Bristow.

1340 WMON Montgomery, W. Va. hrd 4:35-4:40 AM on 4/20. Johanns.

1350 WJBD Salem, Ill. May S/off 8:00 PM. Weinstein.

1360 WLIQ Mobile, Ala. Weekday S/on 6:00 AM. Weinstein.

1370 WFEA Manchester, N.H. S/off w SSB at 12:59 AM. Heinen.

1370 WDEF Chattanooga, Tenn. S/on weekday at 4:59 AM. Kriedler.

1370 WFDR Manchester, Ga. S/on MM's at 5:30. Kreidler.

1380 WBNX New York, N.Y. Did not S/off on MM. 4/19. Boutwright.

1390 WRSC State College, Pa. had Test 3/28 at 1:15 onward. Johnson.

1390 WFBL Syracuse, N.Y. S/off 12:58 AM w SSB, ID afterwards. Heinen.

1410 WCMT Martin, Tenn. FC is on 4th Thursday @ 2:30 AM, per veri. Kreidler.

1430 WENO Madison, Tenn. S/off 1:00 AM daily, CW format. Kreidler.

1440 WGIG Brunswick, Ga. MM S/on is 5:31. Boutwright.

1440 WBUY Lexington, N.C. MM S/on is 5:33. Boutwright.

1440 WHY Holly Hill, S.C. TT every 3rd MM. ID's every minute. (Time) Schmidt.

Kcs.	Call	Location	Remarks.
1460	WKAM	Goshon, Ind.	Was AN for storm emergency on 4/12. Weinstein.
1460	WMBR	Jacksonville, Fla.	had TT/FC on 4/19 at 3:20-3:25 etc. Johanns.
1470	WVOL	Nashville, Tenn.	S/off 1:00 AM July. MN Programming, Kreidler.
1470	WVHY	Huntington, W.Va.	Had ET on 4/14 starting at 4:30 AM. Boatwright.
1490	WOPI	Bristol, Tenn.	MM S/off is 1:08. Boatwright.
1490	WBCB	Levittown, Pa.	AN on MM 4/19. NSP?(Yes, JWB.) Boatwright.
1510	KALF	Mesa, Ariz.	Skeds. May 7:30-9:15; June. 7:15-9:00; July 7:30-9:00; Aug. 7:45 to 9:15. per V/L frm CE. Johanns.
1510	WJCO	Jackson, Mich.	FC heard on 1st MM. 1:30-1:45 AM. Kreidler.
1520	WIDD	Elizabethtown, Tenn.	had TT/c. on MM 4/19 at 12:05-12:10, Johanns.
1520	KWLA	Many, La.	TT/FC hrd on 4/19 at 1:08-1:21. Johanns.
1540	WOGA	Sylvester, Ga.	F/C w CW Mx on 1st. Thursday, per veri. Kriedler. (Time?)
1550	WTYN	Tyron, N.C.	had test on 3/29 at 3:00-3:15 AM, Johnson.
1550	WTYN	Tryon, N.C.	Had FC. MM 4/19 Starting at 3:00 AM. Boatwright.
1550	WSMA	Smyrna, Ga.	had ET. 4/21 at 12:10 AM. Boatwright.
1550	CBE	Windsor, Ont.	Silent Thur. 1:05-3:05 AM. only WAAK noted. Schmidt.
1560	WQXR	New York, N.Y.	S/off 12:58 AM w America. Heinen.
1580	WWIL	Fort Lauderdale, Fla.	S/on MM's at 5:01 w SSB. Boatwright.
1580	WCLS	Columbus, Ga.	S/on MM's at 5:01 w SSB. Boatwright.
1590	WALG	Albany, Ga.	S/on MM's at 4:55 AM. Boatwright.
1590	WTVB	Coldwater, Mich.	Was AN on 4/12 for storm emergency. to 1:36 AM, Weinstein.

FC's per list.

2nd Mon.	3rd Monday	4th Mon.	4th Sun.	1st Fri.
WOOD-1300	WBBQ-1340	WBIR-1240	KRUS-1490	WMMH-1460 (3:15-3:30)
WATC--900	WOLS-1230	Johnson.	Johnson.	WLSI--900.
Weinstein.	WMYB-1450-to 12:40			Boatwright.

3rd. Tuesday	
WABH-1150	KWLA-1520
WVOP--970	KCKW-1480
WFIG-1290	WHSC-1450
WVNA-1590	KXEO-1340
WFFE-1580	WBIR-1240
Boatwright.	WSBP-1580
	WEAS--900
	Boatwright.

Note Due to DST. Many of above skeds will be one hour off time listed. Some FC's will be on DST, others on standard time. Most N.Y. & Pa. FC's will be on DST, many before midnight, EST. If your DXDD item was not listed here, it was perhaps an April daytime station sked, now out of date.

Static exceptionally active this past month and very little DXing done here. Thunderstorms on 2 of 3 recent MM's. Did here a few unknown Ky. station FCing on 1230 Kcs. w band Mx. and many ID's on 4/4 at 2:30-2:45, who? logged WCKM, 1250 on Sun. 4/18 at 6:33 with WRYT silent and WDSL. 1520 with S/on at 6:45 AM on 4/19.

Way over WKBW. Probably will be different time in May. Have a nice summer, JWB.

Ernie Cooper telephones with this last minute information:

WFBR 1300 BALTIMORE, MARYLAND will present a special test program for the NRC on SATURDAY, MAY 15, 1965 from 12:15 to 12:45 AM.

This is EST of course. The program will feature frequent identification and music that is familiar and easy to identify, with NRC member Ken Maylath acting as the master of ceremonies. Ernie was notified by NRC member Rick Marr who is also associated with WFBR. Reports should be addressed to the Chief Engineer Bill Hoos, who is anxious to hear from a lot of you. Confirmation will be by QSL card. Let's try to support our fellow members and send them a report!

REMEMBER TO CONVERT YOUR TIME TO EASTERN STANDARD WHEN SENDING IN REPORTS.

May we say "WELCOME" to new member PAUL CANNON who is a DJ at Detroit's #1 station...

W K N R . Paul works the NITE OWL hours at WKNR (1 to 5) and gets in some DX on his night off. His address, in case you want to tune in and send him a report is

PAUL CANNON, 5436 STEADMAN, DEARBORN, MICHIGAN 48126.

We have a growing list of members who are also DJ's, engineers, general managers, etc.

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FOREIGN CONTEST STANDINGS: Compiled by Ben Dangerfield, Chester, Pa. ---

EAST:		Pts.	Ctries
1. Dangerfield, Pa.	Adds: TGRT; Cottbus; VOA-791; CSB-5; Konigs-lutter; Ravensburg; TGKL; Berlin-1358.	499	39
2. Schiller, N.J.	Adds: WUPR; HJAV; Sofia-827; Caroline-1495; TGRT; Rhensender; Konigs-lutter; Damascus 746/786; WNEL; Hilversum II; WISO.	458	35
3. Holbrook, Md.	Adds: XEUN; ZEM-2; Warsaw-1502; Szezecin-1304; Krakow-1205.	422	30
4. Tweedie, N.J.	Adds: PJC-2; Tunis-962; Tallin-1034; Bremen; HCEW-2; Stagshaw; Rheinsender; Falun; Oran-1304; Bucharest; Horby; YVPP; HJAV; Stavanger; TGRT; Burg-782	291	21
5. Rugg, Que.	Adds: Brussels II; Dresden; Petofi I; Veronica.	240	16
6. Hoffman, N.J.	Adds: Baghdad-764; Cairo I; OAX4A; Vilnius I.	211	15
7. Parsons, Pa.	Adds: Sofia-827; Dresden.	180	14
8. Fela, N.J.	Adds: BBC-1214; Monte Carlo; Veronica; Seville; WLEO.	85	6
9. Peniston, N.J.	Adds: NONE		
10. Marbach, N.Y.	Adds: Vilnius II	61	4
11. Schatz, Fla.	Adds: NONE	57	4

CENTRAL:

1. Gustafson, Ill.	Adds: Seville; Ibadan-1358; Haifa-1025; Monte Carlo; Toulouse; CSB-2; Madrid-980; Hilversum II; Belize; Americas; ZEM-1; RNE-737; Burg-782; Berlin-1358; HJKH; Beirut; Damascus-786; Nancy; Brussels II; TGRT; PJB; Vilnius II.	460	32
2. Callarman, Tex.	Adds: YNQ; PJB; Monte Carlo; JOBB; TIRICA; HOJ-2; PJD-2; XEZZ; YNOL; HJAK; HJAV; VOA-Munich.	403	30
3. Bartels, Wis.	Adds: WUPR; Americas; BEC-1295; HJBI; HCEW-2; KHVH; IZD; Monte Carlo; CSB-9; TGRT; RNE-737.	302	26
4. Tilbrook, Pa.	Adds: None	196	12
5. Conrad, Ky.	Adds: None	182	12
6. Wheeler, Pa.	Adds: None	18	1
7. Hathaway, Ill.	No entries yet. How about a few, John?		

WEST:

1. Fox, Yukon	Adds: VOA-1140 (Poro); VOA-Rhodes; Kishinev; Lvov; Tallin; Khabarovsk; Vladivostok; KTKN; AFRN-960/1490; 2MG; KLEI; Horby.	263	14
2. Freeman, Calif.	Adds: XEDM; HJBI; Thule-1425; 2GL; HJAY.	261	15
3. Millar, Wash.	Adds: None	255	18
4. Taylor, Calif.	Adds: LYC; 3YW; JOWF.	115	6
5. Kenney & Thompson, Calif.	TIED No additions	71	4

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 Leo Fox also veried KJNO, KLAM, KINY, AFRN-790/980; all Alaskans which cannot be counted as they are less than 500 miles from Mr. Fox, per contest rules. Wish I had that problem! Also, fellas, bear in mind that veries must be bona-fide, and that receipt of a QSL card does not necessarily make a verie bona-fide! Reception details must be proven to the satisfaction of the contest manager. Ben Dangerfield.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC NARBA CHANGE LIST NO. 4, March 4, 1965 ---

HIDL (New)	La Vega	1000	.5D/.1N	ND	U Class III	expected in Opa.7/1/65
HIDE (New)	Cotui	1160	.5D/.1N	ND	U III	6/1/65
HICS (New)	Higuesy	1540	.5D/.1N	ND	U III	6/1/65

(Thanks, Pete Taylor.)

 Your editor has been plagued by Thunderstorms, Little Theatre activities, Jaycee work, and ... of all things ... the job at KPDM ... so no DX for some time.

E.B.U. Report No. 40, Supplement No. 40-B, dated March 1st, 1965....

- 530 UNID. RUSSIAN heard since mid-January, mornings and nights, European time.
- 548 W. GERMANY. Deutschlandfunk, Bad Dür rheim. In service since Feb. 1st.
- 565 ALGERIA. Behcar heard here since 2/21. Previously on 548 and 560.
- 629 RUMANIA. Timisoara II (30 kw.) heard here since mid February.
- 836 AZORES. Ponta Delgada - San Miguel (1 kw.) In service since 12/28/64. (Note, Stan Morss)
- 863 FRANCE. Paris I. Power increased to 300 kw. 1/10/65.
- 890 AUSTRIA. Linz. Power increased to 20 kw. since 2/18/65.
- 980 R. Invicta. Heard on this frequency 2/23 and 2/26. Previously on 985, 991, and 1319 $\frac{1}{2}$.
- 1115 POLAND. Polish station heard here mornings and evenings since early February. (By the way, EBU says the Russian on 1115 is Kaliningradsk)
- 1125 GREECE. Greek station rarely heard since late January by one of our members.
- 1129 $\frac{1}{2}$ INTL. WATERS. Radio London on this frequency since 1/8, previously on 1125.
- 1130 SPAIN. ECS23, Guadalquivir, heard on 1130 2/5 by two of our members. ($\frac{1}{2}$ kw)
- 1133 ICELAND. Alftafjörður. (20 watts) in service here since 2/1, ex-1510.
- 1184 SPAIN. EFJ23, Albacete (2 kw.) heard here since mid-December, ex-1190.
- 1241 YUGOSLAVIA. Radlje. Changed here from 1484 in 1964, and heard here until mid-January.
- 1263 YUGOSLAVIA. Station heard here 1/17 by one of our members, may be Radlje, above.
- 1295 RUSSIAN Station heard here 2/7.
- 1301 GREECE. Greek station heard here on 2/24 by one of our members.
- 1310 SPAIN. EAK10, Noreña, heard 1/12.
- 1313 RUSSIAN station heard here since mid-January.
- 1376 SPAIN. EAJ24, Cordoba, (2 kw.) on this frequency since mid-January, ex-1367.
- 1388 SPAIN. EREL, Valladolid, heard here 2/16, ex-1385.
- 1394 AUSTRIA. Bad Goisern (50 watts) in service since 2/4; Hopfgarten (50 watts) in service since 12/24.
- 1412 ICELAND. Husavik (20 watts) and Siglufjörður (20 watts) in service since 2/1.
- 1413 SPAIN. ECS7, Tarrega, heard 1/14 here, previously ID'd on 1422 12/7/64.
- 1415 SPAIN. ECS8, Tudela, here since early February, ex-1417.
- 1431 GREECE. Pyrgos (2.5 kw.) here since early February, ex-1437 and 1450. (Arctic Radio Club, on 4/17 WRUL show, said heard on 1435 kc. more recently.)
- 1443 SPAIN. ECS64, Hellin (1 kw.) heard here 2/8.
- 1484 ICELAND. Skulagardur (20 watts) in service since 2/1.
- 1492 SPAIN. ECS14, Gerona, (2 kw.) on this frequency since mid-February. Ex-1498.
- SPAIN. EFE54, Cardona (70 watts) heard 2/16, ID'd on 1486 11/11/64.
- 1493 FRANCE. Tours (50 watts) in service 2/1/65.
- 1502 YUGOSLAVIA. Slovenj Gradec (50 watts) moved here from 1484 in 1964.
- 1507 GREECE. Greek station heard here 2/14, previously on 1505.
- 1509 SPAIN. EAJ40, Pontevedra, heard here 1/6. Ex-1490.
- 1510 ICELAND. Kopasker. (20 watts) In service here since 2/1. Alftafjörður moved to 1133.
- 1511 YUGOSLAVIA. Ptuj (50 watts) moved here from 1484 in 1964.
- 1519 SPAIN. ECS12 (2 kw.) Cabra, heard here 2/28. Ex-1524 $\frac{1}{2}$.
- 1538 SPAIN. EAJ35, Villanueva (2 kw.) here heard on 2/17.
- 1562 YUGOSLAVIA. Brezice (50 watts) moved here from 1594 in 1964.
- 1569 $\frac{1}{2}$ HUNGARY. Hungarian station heard here 2/12.
- 1570 RUSSIAN station heard here since mid-January.
- 1579 YUGOSLAVIAN Station heard here 2/2, and on 1577 1/31.
- 1594 MOROCCO. Marrakech 3 (1 kw.) in service since 1/1/65.
- 1599 CZECHOSLOVAKIA. Station heard here 2/2.
- 1625 INTL. WATERS. Heard since mid-January. (Since reported moved down to 1608.)

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 Quite a number of changes in the flea-power variety there. Who'll be the first to hear one of the 20-watt Icelanders, hi! Do not have my IDXD file handy as I type this, but didn't Stan Morss hear something earlier this season which might be that Azores outlet on 836??? No details as to whom, but possibly R. Nacional.

- 535 GRENADA. W.I.B.S., St. Georges, noted 2000-2100 up and down with CW QRM at times on 4/19. Steel band music, etc. (Schiller, N.J.) Stretched the dial chord to log this one past evening. Not very strong, but there, under T.V.I. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 540 COLOMBIA. HJKA, R. Horizonte, Bogota. Oft passed-by Latin who I assumed to be XEMA, way over S9 4/19 with news & L.A. music 2100-2130; frequent cerveza ads. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 640 CUBA. Habana, CMQ is received here with perfect S9+, hiss-free, bell-clear signal from 0600-1800, yet 220 miles away! HJBJ interferes at night. Hear it yourself in Miami in '66! (Advertisement.) (Schatz, Fla.)
- 791 TROUBLE. A letter from Greece says their home service starts daily at 2355, but my report covered the "interval" 2330-2335, so must have been another station. I don't think they understood me correctly, as I referred to the invernal signal. You would think they would know just what time the interval signal commenced. Just in case it wasn't the Greek I.S., and was possibly a theme song of a Hindu-stani program, or similar oriental type, I have sent the exact description to Mombasa, Kenya - this freq. - which does have such programming. Unfortunately, my tape of the signal on 3/16 was unsatisfactory. Luckily, I already verified VOA-791. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 812 COLOMBIA. HJEW, R. Atalaya, Bucaramanga. Has been good the past few evenings, particularly on 4/18, prior to 2300. Fades often. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 840 COLOMBIA. HJBI, Ondas del Caribe, Santa Marta, up high over WHAS 2030 4/19 with WHAS virtually unreadable. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 850 URUGUAY. CX16, R. Carve, Montevideo. Heard station with last part of ID, but no call or slogan. The above is what my lists show. Plenty of ads mentioning Montevideo, etc., 4/7 0401-0407, fighting CHKC. Castro made copy almost impossible. Somebody heard here with ads at 0410 4/11. Faded rapidly. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 870 ECUADOR. HCN2, R. Cristal, Guayaquil. Noted with distorted signal under WWL jammer. ID at 0305 4/11. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 900 MEXICO. XEWB, Veracruz, Ver. Moved here several months ago from 760. (Schatz)
- 910 VENEZUELA. YVRQ, R. Aeropuerto, Maiquetia, high over WRNL et al 1900-1945 4/19. (Schiller, N.J.) Ron listed YVPF, but latest WRTH shows YVRQ. Station doesn't seem to care! (Ed.)
- 926 COLOMBIA. HJCS, Bogota, ID'ing as R. Continental, very strong and completely in the clear on 4/19 at 2100. Many ads. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 940 COLOMBIA/VENEZUELA. These two heard under WINZ at 1851 4/5, who? HJGB and YVQB? Some time ago, heard mention here of Union Radio, Cali. (Silvera, Jamaica) YVQB, R. Carupano, Carupano, and HJGB, R. Eco, Cali, affiliated with Union Radio, listed here. (Ed.)
- 960 COLOMBIA. Who is the R.C.N. here? Mentioned special program, then seemed to s/off at 0258 4/18, no slogan or calls given. (Silvera, Jamaica) HJHK, R. Nacional, Manizales, is only one listed here, not an R.C.N. affiliate. Must be new. (Ed.)
- 975 COSTA RICA. TIRS, R. Athenea, San Jose, on top at 2030 4/18, with no trace of Ecuador. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1000 VENEZUELA. YVM, R. Moron, atop at 2000 on 4/22. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1010 MEXICO. XEFM, Veracruz, Ver. Logged while dominant 0040 4/12. ID's like most Mexicans, with last two letters of call. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1020 COLOMBIA. HJ??, La Voz de las Escalleras, (Location?) belonging to Todelar network heard ID at 2400 2/10, then believe s/off. (Silvera, Jamaica) HJFQ, La Voz del Pueblo, Pereira, is listed as a Todelar affiliate, as is HJDQ, Emisora Claridad, Medellin. (Ed.)
- 1025 COSTA RICA. TIAC, R. Fides, San Jose. Classical music program 4/1 evening -- fading up and down, but clear. Alas, no South African QRM. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1030 CUBA. CMAC, R. San Cristobal, San Cristobal, heard with fair signal daytime 4/7. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1035 PANAMA. HOS21, R. Opinion, Panama, in quite well atop 4VEH; noted 1259 4/10 and good all day. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1080 VENEZUELA. YVQJ, Barcelona, always strong behind WPIC, was way over that station 4/18 1930-2000. (Dangerfield, Pa.)

As they say in Cap-Haitien, Haiti ... Very Enjoyable Heterodynes, it's Cedar Rapids over Labor Day.

- 1090 UNID. Mexican; on 4/10 at 2155 and on, a Mexican R.C.N. net station was strong behind WBAL with the light heavyweight championship fight at Panama. I sent an inquiry to XEOD, Vera Cruz, who is listed in WRTH as being an RCN affiliate. They sent a nice letter back, saying I had the right program, but the wrong station, as their s/off is "ocho de la noche," and suggesting that I write XERCN-1110 for info, which I did, enclosing a photostat of the XEOD letter, which was signed by Juan de Dios Rodriguez-diaz. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1100 COLOMBIA. HJAT, R. Reloj, Barranquilla, has joined the Caracol Net, like HJEW-1110, and probably the other "Relojes." (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1125 COSTA RICA. TISR/HB, R. Popular, San Jose, fair signal, but clear logging while searching for TGRR 2321 4/12. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1140 CUBAN Jammer. heard in Orlando, Fla., at noon EST when WMIE not readable. 4/16. (Taylor, Calif., visiting in Florida)
 VENEZUELA. YVMU, R. Carora, Carora, good for ID and noticias atop WMIE 1800 4/14. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1165 UNID. Spanish speaker here 1808-1816, not R. Americas, latter on 1160 now, sounded like R. El Mundo ?? Jammers made it tough 4/14. HCUE6, R. Runatacuyac, B. Quevedo, shown here with 500 watts. (Ed.)
- 1170 COLOMBIA. Who is the one here? Sounded like R. Popular or could be R. Popoyan. Clobbered by V.O.A. slop, but mostly jammer 1954 4/6. (Silvera, Jamaica) WRTH shows HJJE, Emis. Villa Cespedes, Tulua; HJDT, R. Nutibara, Medellin; and HJDP, R. Colosal, Neiva, each with 1 kw., here. Latter may be phonetically close
 ** enough. (Ed.)
- 1190 COLOMBIA. HJCT, B. arranquilla, IDing as "La Voz de la Costa" was atop the freq. at 2000 on 4/18. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- *1170 NICARAGUA. YNUW, R. Dario, Leon, was dominant here early AM's during Lent. (In Spanish, "cuaresma.") (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1190 CUBA. CMJD, Ciego de Avila, got ID of this one under HJCT at 1930 4/14. (Silvera)
- 1200 VENEZUELA. YV-- noted many times here with R. Minuto slogan. Is this YVOZ-1200? (Heinen, N.Y.) YVOZ uses time check format, but be careful for the AN Cuban tick-tocker with Radio Minuto Nacional slogan. (Ed.)
- 1220 MEXICO. XEB, Mexico, D.F., is all night except Sunday morning. (Heinen, N.Y.) Have not checked here recently MM's, but earlier in the season the channel was clear around 0300. (Ed.)
- 1225 COSTA RICA. TIBSD, R. Victoria, Cartago, fair to good signal till 0104 s/off despite XEB QRM 4/10. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1230 COLOMBIA. HJDS, La Voz de las Americas, Medellin, noted with fair signal atop WNIK and WJNO, believe s/off at 2400 4/10. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1235 COLOMBIA. Unknown. Still seeking identity of HJ heard here last Christmas under ZBIL. What do you hear there, Mike Silvera? (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1290 COLOMBIA. HJTH, R. Ritmos, Medellin, is the ANer here; noted 0217 4/13. Very distorted signal. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1295 SINT MAARTEN. PJD2, blasts in here early eves. Most of the programming consists of selling country-style gospel records for U.S. \$\$\$. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1304 UNID. T.A. transmits powerful OC eves. circa 1900. Who? (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1350 MEXICO. XEOK, La Hora Exacta, Mexico, D.F. fair to poor 0203-0209 under WAVY and WSMB 4/19. (Silvera, Jamaica)
- 1358 W. GERMANY. Berliner Welle, Berlin-Köpenick, 200 kw., is station with 2200 EST s/on. (Blödorn, W. Germany)
- 1360 COLOMBIA. HJ--, Sincelejo (did not catch slogan) caught last part of s/off anncts. at 0005 4/13. Believe call is HJMA, not sure. (Silvera, Jamaica) HJNI, R. Sabanas, Sincelejo, shown here. (Ed.)
- 1367 POLAND. Synchronised stations heard on 4/10, prior to Saturday night 2000 s/off. Mixed with Porto. Didn't report. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1370 COLOMBIA. HJEA, La Voz del Cauca, Popoyan, logged while AN on 4/11. Best HJ, cause furthest and only 750 watts. HJ #76. (Schatz, Fla.)
- 1430 PUERTO RICO. WNEL, Caguas, s/on 0358 4/8. QRM a-plenty. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1450 DOM. REP. HIAC, R. Salcedo, Salcedo, good signal at s/on, then out with domestics 0600 4/8. (Silvera, Jamaica)

- 1511 E. GERMANY. R. Berlin International, broadcasting in French, is certainly Ben Dangerfield's unid. station on 4/2 DXD with s/off 1915 EST. It's on from 1400 to 1545 and again 1845 to 1915. (Blödorn, W. Germany)
- 1520 PUERTO RICO. WRAI, San Juan, clear at 1900 4/19, but unneeded, following s/off of Floridians, thanks to extraordinary conditions. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1530 PUERTO RICO. WUPR, Utuado, likewise unneeded, clear with no sign of WCKY 4/19 at 1900 due to Aurora† (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1540 BAHAMAS. ZNS, Nassau. A hiss-free local days, even on car radio. Excellent programming too. Here it yourself in Miami in '66! (Advertisement)(Schatz, Fla.)
- 1567 UNID. English/British speaker, noted 1920 4/20; guessing perhaps a W.I.B.S. outlet. Weak and couldn't check for parallels, and others too weak. (Schiller, N.J.) Some sources show W.I.B.S., Castries, ST: LUCIA, on 1570. (Ed.)
- 1580 COLOMBIA. HJAY, La Voz de la Cordialidad, Galapa. The expression "No hay nada mas alla" means "There is nothing further." (Schatz, Fla.) Thanks, Ron. (Ed.) HJAY with its hetro, on top of freq. in Miami, over WWIL, easily readable PM 4/18. (Taylor, Calif, visiting home.) Seems to be on 1581, not 1580. (Heinen, N.Y.)

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V E R I F I C A T I O N S ...

- With apologies to Roger Anderson, whose report arrived 6 days before deadline for April 17 issue, but got misplaced. First one this season.
- 548 W. GERMANY. Konigsutter. Form letter from Deutschlandfunk, re my 3/20 reception. Signer, Ehrhardt Imelman. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 - 560 GUATEMALA. TGBOL, R. 560, Guatemala. Sent nice, rather long v/1 for 2/6 report, signed by Enrique Mendoza Hidalgo (Jefe, Dept. Radio). Address: Apt #1367, Guatemala. (Silvera, Jamaica)
 - 615 NICARAGUA. YNM, Radiodifusora Nacional, Managua, sent pennant, card and letter signed by Tacho Sanchez. (Silvera, Jamaica) Ditto, for April 1964 reception. (Dabelstein, Nebr.)
 - 625 COSTA RICA. TIRICA, R. Internacional, La Voz de la Victor, San Jose. QSL-card showing map of Costa Rica received for August 1964 reception. Power listed at 50 kw. (Dabelstein, Nebr.)
 - 683 SPAIN. R.N.E., Sevilla, fine v/1 from Adolfo Parra Martinez, El Director, stated 250 kw. Letter in Spanish. (Schiller, N.J.)
 - 685 GUATEMALA. TGRT, R. Fabulosa, Guatemala. QSL states now 10 kw. on 670. (Anderson, Va.)
 - 746/786 SYRIA. English form letter sent registered mail from the Directeur Generale de la R-T Syrienne. (Schiller, N.J.)
 - 755 W. GERMANY. Ravensburg. Form letter from Deutschlandfunk re my 3/19 reception report. Signer, as 548. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
 - 773 EGYPT. Cairo I. Two QSL's via air mail after three follow-ups. One signed by Mr. Ghali, one by Mr. Amany. Feast or famine. (Anderson, Va.)
 - 810 VENEZUELA. YVLP, R. 810, Valencia. Sent v/1 for f/up to report of 12/2/63. V/s is Eva de Nuñez. Venezuela #19. (Rugg, Que.)
 - 827 BULGARIA. Sofia sent QSL card in English, personal letter, and assorted stuff for afternoon report last fall. Took awhile, but most welcome. Country #69. (Schiller, N.J.)
 - 836 LEBANON. Beirut I, QSL card and beautiful stamps. This card definitely gives date and 836 kc. Some I've seen did not list frequency heard. Two follow-ups. Country #91. (Anderson, Va.)
 - 840 GUATEMALA. R. Emperador, definite verie on picture post card, typed on fanciest typewriter I've yet seen, to Mr. Ben. No call given. This was for 3/28 report. Just signed "Radio Emperador." (Dangerfield, Pa.) Aha! (Ed.)
 - 875 COSTA RICA. TISS, La Voz del Tropico, San Jose, v/1 in Spanish received for December 1963 reception. V/s is Juan Bautista Araujo Fernandez, and address is Apartado 910. (Dabelstein, Nebr.)
 - 1015 EL SALVADOR. YSC, San Salvador. V/1 in Spanish received for April 1964 reception. V/s is Felipe Ochoa Valenzuela, Gerente-Proprietario. Power given is 10,000 watts. Address is Apartado Postal 150. (Dabelstein, Nebr.)

- 1016 W. GERMANY. S.W.F., Rheinsender, v/l, GM & postcard picture of their layout. All-nighter often heard here in mid-evening at good strength. Letter in German. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1030 COLOMBIA. HJGE, R. Bucaramanga, v/l with pennant took 4½ months. Signer is Jaime B. Sorzano. (Heinen, N.Y.)
- 1040 HAWAII. KHVH, Honolulu, QSL, signer is station manager, btt name unreadable. I left out of order, but also got usual verie from PJA6, R. Victoria, 900, same as previous digests. (Callarman, Texas)
- 1043 E. GERMANY. DDR 1, Dresden. QSL card, two letters and schedule for DDR-1, mailed from R. Berlin International, North American Dept., with v/s Paul Lindner. (Anderson, Va.)
- 1150 MEXICO. XEJP, R. Variedades, Mexico, D.F. sent a rather inspecific v/l in English. V/s is Ramiro Garza, Musical Director. My report was in English. (Burket, Pa.)
- 1220 COLOMBIA. HJAV, R. Cordobesa, Monteria, me too, the nice Spanish v/l and pennant from Jose Pupo Jiminez, Gerente. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1235 BERMUDA. ZBML, Hamilton. V/q back promptly. Picture postcard with "Radio Bermuda" printed on front. Bermuda #2 here. (Burket, Pa.)
- 1260 PUERTO RICO. WISO, Ponce, nice v/l from Luis E. Freyne, GM, back in 5 days for 0457 s/on report, English. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1304 POLAND. Szezchin, v/l and QSL from director, name unreadable. (Schiller, N.J.)
- 1315 COLOMBIA. HJAK, La Voz de la Patria, Barranquilla, air verie, picture post-cards lovely banner, several photos, batch of stamps (no kitchen sink). Apdo. Aereo 231. Signer: Clemente Vassalo Manfroni. (Tyndall, Vt.)
- 1358 E. GERMANY. Signed v/c re my 10/26/64 log of Berliner Welle. (Dangerfield, Pa.)
- 1529 VATICAN. Vatican Radio sent photo card QSL showing transmitter console room. V/s is Edward Lynch. (Anderson, Va.)
- 1578 PORTUGAL. CSB5, Porto, nice v/l from Pedro Velasquez re my 3/9 log. My third try at this one. Logged when WEEZ off. (Dangerfield, Pa.)

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Roy Patrick reports: Here we are again. Have been DXing around 0330 GMT, only stations audible are the ones listed below: 800, TWR, always a good signal; 988 Andorra, heard with English commercials from time to time; WINS-1010 heard with fair signal at 0400 to 0500; CBA-1070, old faithful, good up to 0430; 1130-WNEW good signal like European at 0330; tuning signal at 0350 which spoils the transmissions of WNEW; 1608 R. City has moved to this frequency to avoid QRN with the shipping band.

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Rolf Blödorn reports: Last night (4/17) I noted really strange, curious conditions. I heard North American stations which I had never heard before: At 2105 EST I heard WAAB Worcester, Mass. on 1440. Signal strength was so good, they must be using 5 kw. at night, too. (Yes, they are - Ed) Then after 2115, I heard WLCY, St. Petersburg, Fla., on 1380 kc., but faded out around 2145, as did most of the stateside stations. At 2200, there wasn't even a sign of WKBW-1520 any more. Instead, I noted a very weak, unidentified Spanish-Speaker on 1520, never heard before.

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A C K N O W L E D G E M E N T S ...

- 1. Roger A. Anderson, 5700 8th Road, North, Arlington, Va. 22205
- 2. Rolf Blödorn, 6301 ALLENDORF, Postfach 26, W. GERMANY
- 3. Roger Burket, 1213 24th Ave., Altoona, Pa. 16601
- 4. Carl Dabelstein, 12524 "C" Street, Omaha 44, Nebraska.
- 5. Ben Dangerfield, 202 Governor's Drive, Chester, Pa. 19013.
- 6. Wayne Heinen, 126 Linwood Ave., Orchard Park, N.Y.
- 7. Roy Patrick, 8 Sidney St., Derby, England.
- 8. Andy Rugg, 16 Lake Breeze, Pointe Claire, Que.
- 9. Ronald F. Schatz, Uleta, Dade County, Fla.
- 10. Ronald B. Schiller, Box 456, Monmouth Beach, N.J.
- 11. Michael Silvera, 5 Trenton Ave., Kingston 8, Jamaica
- 12. Peter V. Taylor, c/o KFOG, 900 North Point, San Francisco, Calif. 94109
- 13. Hank Tyndall, 285 North Street, Burlington, Vt. 05401.