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NRC GATHERING

By--Bill\_Stone Rolling into Kittanning just befor eleven AM EST (October 2,38) for the convention there, we found the sun shining, and a bright day for our little shin dig. We drove up to Dick Coopers house, only to find him out down to Saxonburg showing the Eastern Penna.boys the KDKA Xmitter, but that he was suppose to meet the train at eleven AM, so down to the station we went, to meet the train, offthe train came Frank Schmidt. We then hiked back to Dick's house, not seeing him around, the we consisted of Harry M Gordon: Hody Wagner: Ed Feitchner: Max Demuling: Frank Schmidt: and yours truly. Dick and the gang still absent, so we took Mrs Cooper's house into possesion, till the rest of the gang came back. Cooper and his gang arrived about twelve, his gang consisting of Bob Botzum: Warren Routzahn Arthur Brackbill: and another chap, whose name I cannot recall. At twelve forty-five the group sat down to one swell dinner, which Mrs Cooper prepared for us, say Dick, you got a peach of a cook there, when it comes to eats, those boys from the eastern part of Penna.; leave the rest of us in lurch, I guess it was the mountain air, eh boys, they sure done justice to Mrs Coopers cooking. After the dinner, the boys went outside for fresh air, and to shake the meal down. Then we had some pictures taken of the group, oh yes, to more Kittanning boys came along, a Mr. Yapp(NRC Member) and Mr. Button, then right after them John Kalmback from Buffalo, so we took some more pictures of the group, now fifteen in number. After the pictures were taken, we looked over the hard to get veries of Dicks and Bob Botzum, easy for the sharks, and generally discussed the finer arts of Dxing. At two PM, the group had a meeting in the parlour, and the following was done. We went over the splendid progress, the NRC has done in the past year, and asked the members to keep up the fine co-operation that they are giving the club. A report was gave on the Publicity department, and the CPC department. From this point on, the boys then discussed Dxing amongst themselves. All in all, a swell time was had, it was only too bad, that a whole day could not have been devoted, but owing to distance this was out of question. On behalf of the Board of Directors, and all members of the club, I wish to thank Mrs Cooper, and her mother, for the splendid dinner they served, and to all of the members who attended the convention.to make it a success. As John Kalmback, and I were forced to leave at four thirty PM, I cannot say what was done after that time. In closing, I have this to say to Dick, my opinion of Pennslyvania, in your district, is that you should give it back to the indians. I have not got the kinks out of my neck yet, from looking around corners, and keeping out of the ditches. I want to thank the following people for making my trip to the convention, as easy as possible: - Mr and Mrs Wagner: their favorite son Hody: Mr. and Mrs H. Gordon: the rest of the Erie boys: Mr and Mrs R.Cooper:Mr and Mrs Kalmback:and their son John:my hat is off to everyone of you, you treated me.like a king. (Bill OM each and every one of us were glad to have you here, and you are always welcome at any time.HG.) (TIP PAGE ON PACE 12 THIS ISSUE)

(PLEASE CHECK YOUR TIP PAGE AS THERE ARE SOME OUT STANDING TIPS)

--Mr.Up Paul Knight-Once again its time to take a "horn" out of our quart (milk) and to adjust our "horn" rimmed spectacles and "horn" into our notes for a look at the weeks developements along the DX frontier. Ahem! Specs adjusted so lets go.

WKST,1250 kcs., New Castle Penna., has the spotlight this week. They advise that they will go on a regular schedule Sunday Morning, October 16th. Further information is that they will test in the early mornings starting on one of these dates 10. 11 or 12th. Their carrier has been heard on several mornings and during the day but no modulation.

Bob Botzum, our Reading pal has been doing a bit of "Reading" and says that WPG, 1100 kcs Atlantic City N.J. are slated to move studios and transmitter to New York City. Inasmuch as they are a municipal station, and since their call letters signify World's Play Ground, it seems obvious that a change of call will be forthcoming. So, take a tip and verify WPG while you have the opportunity.

KMMJ, 740 kcs., Clay Center Nebraska, an old-time friend of NRC, is scheduled to move lock, stock and barrel to Grand Island Nebraska. They will move sometime in October. The new location will provide them with more than three times their present listening audience.

KGFW, Kearney Nebraska also maintains a remote control studio in Grand Island.

The Pioneer radio voice of the world KDKA, Westinghouse at Pittsburgh, Pa., are among those stations looking for a new transmitter site. KDKA has maintained their transmitter at Saxonburg for a number of years and just recently erected a 718 foot vertical antenna. The new tower has a big help in overcoming fading problems but does not completely satisfy KDKA engineers. It is beleived that they will move to within ten miles of Pittsburgh and the new equipment will permit 500,000 watt operation. The new set up will not be completed for at least two years.

The recent hurricanes played havoc with New Englands broadcasters, Worcester, Mass stations WTAG and WORC suffered the loss of antennas. WTAG had two 360 foot towers and one 260 foot tower blown flat while WORC lost two of its three poles. All Rhode Islands stations suffered. WPRO lost towers and technical and tuning equipment but are back on the air with emergency equipment as are nearly all New England stations. We heard WFEA operating with a tractor grinding out power for it and a very appropriate selection "More Power To You" was played during the course of the emergency transmission.

--DUMB OR--

Bill Stone: "Isit true that bald headed men always sit in the front few rows when they go to a musical show" Pat Reilly: "How should I know? I never turn around!"

CKOV, 630 Kcs., Kelowna B.C. have invested some twenty grand (not cigarettes either) in new transmitting equipment. They are now prepared to use 1000 watts in place of measly 100 watts used heretofore.

Dont forget that WDAN, 1500 kcs., Danville Illinois will be testing from October 10th to 16th. It's always a good idea to report a new station on their first tests.

--THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK--

Keep and even mind and a fine spirit and eventually the bouquets will outnumber the brickbats. (Cont Next Page

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(Mr.Knight column cont)

On their frequency check of October 1st, WPAY made dedications to several NRCers. We heard "The Whistler and his Dog" for Mr. and Mrs Joseph Becker and other selections for the Becker family. Brackbill, Reilly and Cooper were also mentioned.

### --SIMPLE SAYING--

Dick Cooper says "Pat Reilly is a harp without a tune"

Joe Becker says "Early to bed and early to rise would spoil the fun of any good Dxer."

Max Demuling says "Unfortunately a DXer never forgets to mail his Dx letters, even if he forgets his wife's letters."

Harry Gordon says "Do youse remember when we saved our wives old silk stockings to use in straining the home brew."

Bill Stone says "If the Beckers would go to bed earlier, the burglars wouldn't have to stay out so late."

Frank Schmidt says "Night falls but lands safely"

Warren Routzahn says "A married man is one who has two hands with which to steer the car." P.S.I am wondering about that OM.HG.

Bob Botzum says "I call my girl Oyster as she is often Stewed"

Mr.Knight says "Blame these simple saying on Pat Reilly who sent them in and send him all the bombs."

Our pal the Hamilton Hight Owl advises that KSAM,1500 kcs., Hunts-ville Texas were heard on the 25th of September with a test program and coming through WJBK very nicely. It might be well to cast an ear in that direction for the further test.

Rita Becker-"Dad, we learned at school today that the animals have a new fur coat every winter !"

Too Booker " Be quiet your mathematical the next many!"

Joe Becker-" Be quiet, your mother is in the next room" --ORCHARDS TO--

KPAB. 1500 kc. 100w Laredo, Texas for their beautiful 4 page letter verification... KOH Reno Nevada 1380 kc. 500w. and to their very exact station manager "Ethel Leonard" for the intersest taken by her in checking over dx reports. (NOTICE Dick Cooper-heres a chance that you have been looking for) WHJB: Greensburg Penna. 620 kc.250w and L.L.Allen for answering DX reports prompt...WNYC 810 kc. 100w for offering there auxillary transmitter to the C.B.S. to carry columbia programs due to the fact that Columbias station was damaged by the server storm that hit these parts, when WNYC officials prepared to warm up their auxillary transmitter which is located a top the Brooklyn Techinical High School they found that this plant was also damaged so they cancelled all programs that were going out over their main transmitter and turned it over to the C.B.S. officials untill their plant at Wayne N.J. was put back in operation.

WDEL.: Wilmington Delaware 1120 kc.,250w. This station will begin to test its new 250w transmitter about October 10th. I will inform the club as to the exact date and times. (Duffy) Ed.come on Bernie how about giving the club a write up on your recent trip to the studios of WDEL and WILM.

WKAR 850 kc. the Michigan State College at East Lansing, Michigan will be on the air with the power of 100w from October 1 - 19 from 1:00-6:00 AM EST in order to conduct site surveys for their new antenna.

That winds it up again. Last week our column was cut short because of lack of space. (Yes Mr. Knight and it will be short this time also. Hi)

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L.P.O. REPORTS

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Well here comes our two BCB Editors and what a page these boys will have befor long, just a word to all you members all BCB news in the NRC bulletin is layed up by our two Editors, on this page we always carry their names and QRA in case you care to write to them. Our Tip Page, Front Page, FCC news are all taken from the BCB section, with Cooper and Clarius, there are two other NRCers working with them, Joe Becker is the Offical FCC Checker and Warren Routzahn is our new station CPC man and what a very nice job he is doing. So lets all support these Editors, SEND ALL late reports DIRECT to HQ, all late news must be here not later than Saturday mornings mail. Send all other reports to the Editor nearest you. Help support the Editors of the NRC. We will see that the news is publish.

--L.P.O. REPORTERS--

Ed.Feichtner-Erie Penna.I want to thank Mr.and Mrs Cooper for the fine time extended to us at Kittanning last sunday. Did any one hear WDAN-1500 kc.,October 6th at 1:00 AM EST I heard what I thought was their call, with news reports. I also heard KTRI and that mystery station on 1150 kc.,heard their announcement as XEC, Tijuana B.Cfa. 4YA-R/6 also heard 1YA-R/6 and 3YA-R/5 Friday AM, KGU was also heard very good.

Dick Cooper-Kittanning Penna. "Thanks to the tip in the bulletin, I logged KTRI on the 6th. Heard TGl on Sunday
morning 2nd, on 1307 kcs., as late as 2:30 AM EST and suggest that we
watch to see if this might not be a regular program. Radex lists TGl as
on 1320 but I'm positive they are still on 1305 kc. Heard LS2 from 7 pm
to 7:30 PM most every evening. Mexican on 1090 anouncing location in
lower California but did not catch call or city. Cuban on all night on
1150 (Check Ed.s report OM) Veries in from KOCY, WFEA, WLBZ, WRBL, WJEJ
KATE (attention John Curgan Hi.) all letters and cards from WFAB and
WLAW. Total is 523 and a dozen reports outs.

Harry M Gordon-Erie Penna. October 4 on 630 kc. CMCD was heard with a R/6-8 QSA/3-5 at 10:30 pm. TIPG-625 kc., has been putting in a signal here, with an R/7-9 QSA/3-5, heard them sign off at 11:30 PM EST, they sign off with an English announcements. CMBQ, XEW, CMCJ, WIRE, KTUL, WSAU, KMO, KOMO, KFPY, KTEM. A spick on 1050 kc., at 10:30 PM EST. TGW, CMCK, CMBY. October 5 at 11:00 pm TIPG-625 kc., came in with an R/6-8 Sig and at signed off said that they would be back on the air at 6:00 AM in the morning.

Joe Becker-Hamilton Ohio . On Sept 25th heard KSAM testing. No veries as yet from KYSM or WHLS alltho I have 2 reports to each station. A nice verie from CMGE received. Have heard TGW several times lately, around 9 PM EST.KSAN, heard this morning fairly good, static was less severe this morning than it has been for the past few mornings. Did you hear KSAM or did any of the Erie boys. How about KWJB, Globe Arizona. No Joe OM I beleive that you were the only one that heard KWJB, no one has reported them in yet. By the way boys Joe has KWJB verified. KWJB verie signed by Bartley Sims P.O.Box 905 Globe Ariz. KRBM, Bozeman Montana probably will test late in October, their QRA is lol West Main St., Robert B.Mac Nab Jr.,

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Bob Botzum-Reading Penna September 27th., WBAA testing 2:25 AM on KOY heard at 2:30am on.KQW heard at 3am also KGER. KOAM testing 3:04 am on. WISN testing at 3:31 am. XEMO heard at 2:50 am. KQV testing 3:40 am. Another good evening for Cubans reception, CMKD heard with European News of War Crisis 9pm on good R/7 sinal. Too sleep--y to DX this AM. Heard some station testing on 1500 kc., (KS--) 3:36 to 3:42 AM with recordings. Sept 30th, WEED testing 4 AM on also Mex on 1150 Kc. (Bob check Eds report) CFRB testing also hear KFAC and several West Coasters. WEEI heard after 4:15 am- WEDC headr 4:46am. Some station on 1370 kc., playing recordings and no announcements 4:12-4:50am. Who was it. October 1st. Up at 4 A.M. this morning, KRSC coming thru R/6-7 at 4:45 am. Mex again on 1150 kc., KGMB heard rather poorly at 4:01 am. All niters coming thru like a ton of bricks. Had to leave early for my trip to NRC gathering at Kittanning Pa.Oct.4th., Nothing doing fading was very bad, and after la hrs of punishment, back to sleep. October 5th. Set the clock for 2 AM, but forgot to wind the clock and sleep untill 9 AM, the clock had stopped at 12:20 AM. Just my luck to have missed a good catch. No OM you didnt miss much as I was up untill 5:00 Am. Oct.6th, Reception good up to 3:30 AM then signals started to fade as rain started in. Some Cuban on 1200 kc.heard 1:50 to 2:30 AM too much QRM from WIL at 2 AM to get the calls, as announcer Spoke Spanish and English given calls and location & ects. KTRI testing 2:01-2:31 AM R/6-8. Following station heard and identified from 2:30 AM on KOH, XEMO, KJR, KYA, KOL, KGER, KERN, KDYL, KFBK and ects. From 3:00 to 4:14 AM heard, KFBK, KFAC, KRSC, WJZ, WHN, KOAM, KSAN heard 3:16 AM and had to stick to them till 4:15 befor getting enough for verification. They faded badly at times. Mex on 1150 kc.R/6 at 3:45 Also some one on 1380 kc. testing but no announcements at 4:35 just music. Also on 1420 kc. 4:32 to 4:45 AM another test program music but no announcements R/7-8 5AM.WPRO starting their days transmission.WNEW QRMed badly though out AM

Bill Stone-Toronto Canada Enclosed you will fine my LPO report, also a FCC that you have not listed so far. WOMT-Manitowoc Wisconsin, Second wednesday- 4:10-4:25 AM EST. New veries in here are:-WOMT:and a swell card from CMCA, its a beauty, and I dont mean maybe.10-04-38--WEDC testing 330-415:KOAM testing 415-430. 10-05-38--KWNO testing 215-230: CMCA testing 200-300: WSAU testing 230-300. 10-06-38--KTRI heard for a new one, from 200-230. some station distorting their program badly.WGY testing 253 on. In contrast to Mr Gordons statement of last week end, KIRO Seattle does not sign at three AM EST, but stay on the air till five AM, EST. Band very quite, coast stations below 800 kc.picked up after 230 AM EST, tried to log KEHE who were coming through in FB, but WGY messed it up plenty when they came on the air, throwing their R/9 plus signal up here.

Max Demuling-Erie Penna. Reception around Erie had been just average for the past Week-although strength from the west shows an increase. KERN and KMO put in nice signals Oct. 6th-heports out to KTRI and KOAM testing Oct. 6 after 3 oclock R/9plus. Cubans show wuite frequently reaching peaks between 10 and 11 PM. Sep. 28 brought CMBQ and CMBK-Spanisher on 1150 still goes on unidentified. (Check Ed's report OM) Veries continue very slowly with KOCY-CMBL and CJRC responding. Had a swell time at the Kittanning confab. Dick Cooper sure is a generous host as everyone agreed. Appreciation and Sincere thanks extended to Mrs Cooper for her thoughtfulness and kindness in making the gang comfortable. Best of all the delicious dinner which was really relished.

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Pat Reilly-Jamestown N.Y.Oct 1st 42 degrees and foggy and too noisy to Dx at all. Oct.2nd 34 degrees, very heavy fog WMIN at 2:55 on every Sunday till 3 AM, KARM signed at 3:02 with a resume of next days programs. WGRM on test at 3:05 with new equiptment and asked for truth on reports. WJBO on their usual DX at 3:15 AM. KSANthe 24 hour station at 4:40 AM. KHBC and KGMB with Hawaiian Election returns, KHBC at 3:48 on and KGMB at 4:30 AM. The best one was TGQ on 1450 kc from 2:05 untill nearly 3:00am when the faded out, they said they would verify by return mail and very anxious to get reports, spoke very good English. Oct.3rd-40 degrees very heavy fog, not much noise but not much mileage on the signals, seemed to be a blanket over my house. KFBI on 1050 kc at 3:25 making bad GRM on KNX. October 4th-40 degrees, very heavy fog lousy noise in spots. WEDC on test at 3:30 AM.KOAM on test at 3:33. KHBC at 3:50 with very bad fade. WHN on test at 3:55 AM. KSAN very good after 4:00 AM. KGMB very strong at 4:08 AM. Oct.5th 42 degrees damp and foggy but not much noise. WSAZ-1190 st 4:30 on test. KGMB and KGU about 4:30 and both good KGMB the strongest. KRSC and I think KRKD on 1120 badly QRMing each other. KSAN also very good. Soooooo Bill Stone had to go to Erie to hear the Hawaiians?? (Pat and the Cubans to, by the way he heard KOB after 4 years Dxing Hi.HMG) Why dont you move down this way Bill. Suggest a slogan for KYSM Kant You Stay Mean! KLS says that they have a DX program every Friday night at 11:30 on Saturday at 2:30 AM EST. Phew to youse guys, the old log reads loo5 verified calls now. New veries back from KOCY, WSLI, WHLS.

C.E.Jacques-Hornell N.Y. The bulletin arrived and reply to Dick Cooper about KATE: wish to state that on their 11/38 the said that they would send a picture of their studios but did not do so. I wrote to them 2 letters and on Sept 10/38 I received a verificat—ion card from them, and they said sorry in being so late in answering. Also in reply to Merlin Steen of Decorah Iowa in regards KS00 I have a verification from the station dated Dec 4 1930 and have heard them several times, its a good catch and so is WNAT Yankton S.D. New stations heard are CHLN, KWJJ, CFAC, CHLT, KAND, KCMC, KGVO, KGCX, KROC, CFAR and LR3. Last month heard KEX and CFQC and today at 4 AM heard KNX.

Harry F. Hawkins-Manchester N. H. Well well did some one say that Harry had a bad tube.Ed) You wanted to know something about my masts I recall. Thought I told you the Western mast was 26' of three quarter inch galv. water pipe set up atop the 30 ' gable of the main house: the eastern mast was about 70 ' from the other one, made of 1 ' iron pipe 40 ' long set upon a 16 ' shed in rear of barn. Both masts were guyed by three wires (No.14 galv.) broken up every 6in by three inch insulators (glass), respectively. The rear guy of both poles were also broken by a strong steel spring. By means of a roller pu;;ey at the top of each I could very easily replace or repair the ant.without taking down the masts. But today my beautiful antenna lies tangled on the roof with the Eastern mast hung up in a tree somewhere. Perhaps you heard of the hurricane that devastated New England states, and my antenna. You should have seen me climbing up a 34 ft ladder in that galo trying to repair the first guy that snapped! Fortunately I didnt have time to step on the first rung befor a blast of hurricane snuck up behind me, picked up the ladder and deposited it 15 feet away. So I said to H&%% with the antenna and dove into the house. Well to get after a little DX on August 24 I heard KGU the loudest I've ever received them KHBC and KXA were other outstanding bits of this summer DX. I covered the Sept FCC check fairly well and managed to get a few new ones such as KDNT, KPAD, KVOX, KGFF, KOCY, WSGN, Ect. (Cont Next Page

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(NPO Reports Cont) (Harry Hawkins report cont) Best veries received lately have been KPAB and CMBC. KPAB's verie is truly a honey for any collection. CMBC mentioned the fact that they were using 3000 watts on Aug.9, the verified date of my report. CKTB and CFRC verified my reports of evening reception very promptly with fine cards. WFIL seemed surprised and pleased when I told them of regular R/5 reception in daytime. KXYZ is back on all-nite schedule again, but WAAB is still off the air after 2:00 AM to which there is no objection. Also WEVD had been observed as off the air frequently in addition to Tuesday mornings. Did any of the boys run into WFEA on the AM of the election returns on the 14th. WHEB and many others that were listed as expected to carry early morning election returns failed to do so. WCBM and WBAL veries were welcome additions from reports during election programs. WCOJ messes up WHAI in the daytime here. WGAN has had my report since Aug. 28, but no verie. Reception is R/5 daytime Manchester. WFEA hopes to go to 1 kw.daytime soon. Who knows the station hetrodyning WQXR in the evenings. So far XERB has not been heard on their newly assigned 1185 frequency, nor on 730 either. XEPN has been seen operating off frequency several times lately, tending toward 735 kc. Who is the Spick on 760 kc., that signs at 2:00 on Sundays after a program of mixed Spanish and American dance music! (Harry I would like to find out how that bird is my self, have heard him several times with an R/6-8 signal here, but no calls when he is at the peak.HG) Other stickers are Spicks on 1150 kc., running all nite, on 1130 badly QRMing KSL around 3:00, on 1100 kc., running late irregularly and on 1110 kc., with some kind of an amatuer hour untill after 3:00 ???? I still think those "Official" Mexican lists are screwy on XEK. They are still being heard on 990 kc. Unless synchronized why on earth would they try to buck XEW. New CHGB hasnt put in a signal here yet. By the way how is anyone to know where Ste. Anne De La Pocatiere is located when the newest maps lists a dozen Ste. Anne De La so-and-so's, but put them down on the map just as Ste.Anne. Tell the boys to get after WRDO and KGDE.Recommendation for renewal of their licences were recently disapproved, by the examiners. Also KMMJ is supposed to move to Philips Nebraska soon. Note that the FCC lists KSD at Clayton Missouri and WGCM as at Mississippi City. If it will help the inquirer any, WCSH was logged on test Dec.31, 1937 beginning at 2:00 AM. Whether this is a regular test for the last day of the month I do not know. CMBQ will not verify my reports for some reason: same with CMQ. Former is an associate of a small Cuban network. WCOU is probably the Frenchman heard after 5:00 AM on 1210. Who knows the schedule of WOV, New York? TGW gave a remarkable performance during the past summer months and even up to this Date, being logged every evening as early as 10:00 PM and heard regardless of conditions at any point. Something for the book. The Cubans are slowly but surely coming back again. Already CMBL has resumed its usual blanket over WJR and CMBQ over-riding WPTF, not to mention heavy QRM by CMQ, CMCY, CMX, CMBC, CMBY CMCD, CMBX, CMCM, CMCK, CMW, CMBF, CMCF etc. Has anyone definite dope on CMCL . The only solution to the Cuban QRM problem strikes me to be the adoption of doubling up on their frequencies relinquishing some, by timesharing. Who knows if the present CMC is the same station deleted several years ago. Heres an FCC check shange not previously noticed in the bulletins: (WDNC.1500 kc., from 3:45-4:00 Tuesday to 3:45-4:00 on Saturday. WOV and WBIL may soon be absorbed by WPG! Guess that's all for this time, in the way of news. (Who said that Harrys tube had burned out. Ed)

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SHORT WAVE NEWS

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--DX PROGRAMS--

TI4NRH-9.695 megs. Heredia Costa Rica November 24, 38 from 9-10 pm EST. dedicated to the NRC. (Lets all report this one. Editor) TGWA-9.685 megs.Guatemala City Guatemala.October 22 10-11:30pm EST(IDA)
TGWB-6.040 "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" ""

## --BEPORTER--

Leo Herz, our Asst SW Editor is as reliable as a clock in sending in his reports. Thanks Leo OM for your VFB reports and I hope that next week we shall have many more reporters for this section. 

# --EDITORS CHATTER--

Your Editor a few weeks ago had a swell visit with Merlin Steen, R6 Decorah Iowa whom recently joined the NRC. Watch out you BCB tuners as Merlin has been DXing like a whirl wind the last few weeks. Over the Week-End your Editor had a visit from several well known DXers including Richard Brian, H.V. Gribble and Gerald Anderson of Minneapolis and Chuck Orme of Thief River Falls, Minnesota. Carl and Anne Eder of Will, ar also paid me a visit. Several items of interest were talked over. A swell time was had by all. In the future issues of the NRC bulletin your Editor is going to try and bring out some of the points that were talked over as I am sure that these will be of interest to all NRC members.

Your Editor was disapointed last week in not being able to get his receiver back it has been promised to me this coming week and I hope to join the ranks of the NRC SW reporters as soon as possible.

## --N.P.O. SW REPORTS--

## ASTA

Japan JZJ 11.800 R/7 QSA/4 on the South Seas Transmission from 8-9:30pm EST.(Herz)

JZK 15.160 Being heard R/6 QSA/5 daily at 7:00am EST. (Herz) OCEANIA

Leo Herz reports that nothing was heard last week of the Oceania Stations (Neither BCB or Ham)

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Canary EAJ43 10.370 Radio Tenerifo (Relaying Salamanca) is not being Island heard very well lately R/3 QSA/3 (Herz) South Africa ZRK 9.606 Heard occasionally from 11:45pm -12:45am EST with a R/6 QSA/5 signal .

### EUROPE

Czech. OLR4A 15.230(Both stations were heard at all hours of the day OLR5A 11.840 with VFB signals during the war crisis. (Herz) OZH 15.165 Still is being heard with VFB signals on their Sundays Sked from 8am: 1:30pm. Is heard best from Denmark 12:30pm till the end of their sked. (Herz) 11.810 R/7 QSA/5 on North America program. (Herz) 9.930 R/5-7 QSA/3-4 from 6-9pm EST (Herz) 2R04 Italy IRF

11.676 R/7 QSA/4 on North American Program. (Herz)

IRF IQY Russia RKI 15.080 R/5-6 GSA/4 at 7:00pm.(Herz)

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SOUTH AMERICA

Brazil RSH

10.220 Heard Mondays from 8-8:30pm R/6 QSA/4.(Herz) Peru OAX5C 9.580 "Radio Universal" Ica Peru is on from 6-10pm EST and heard R/6 WSA/4-5. (Herz)

CENTRAL AMERICA

15.170 Heard Sunday Afternoons till 3:30pm with a R/8 Guate-TGWA

-9 QSA/5 signal.(Herz) mala

Panama HP5G 11.895 Heard nightly at 8:00pm. Their sked is from 8-11

pm EST. (Herx)

WEST INDIES D.R. HI3X 15.280 Heard Sundays 8-8:30am R/7 QSA/4.Also heard once at 8:00pm R/7 QSA/5. (Herz)

# VERIES DEPARTMENT

Lundberg-HI7P. (HI7P verified with a pictorial folder folded in 3 parts. They gave the following information on their card) HI7P-6.800 megs. Trujillo City D.R.6.800 megs. QRA"Calle Jose Reyes No.35, Ciuad Trujillo City D.R. "Sked. Daily-12:40pm-1:40PM: 6:40pm-8:40pm EST and Sundays 9:40 pm-10:40pm EST.

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# SPECIAL NOTES OF INTEREST

In a verie received by one of your Editors friends from Y15KG at Bagdad Iraq from His Royal Highness"Prince Faisal" the following information was given which might prove of interest to our NRC members. "There are three transmitters at this stations. No 1 & 2 transmitters are Xtal controlled with a power of 400 watts. No.3 is also Xtal controlled but operates with 1000 watts. No. 1 & 2 are for experimental purposes while No.3 radiates on a frequency of 7.2 megs and relays the Baghdad, medium wave programs. Transmission will take place from 8:30am EST to 3:00pm EST. This station has been received in London England with good signal strenght. But owing to the freq used it is doubtful if we in the USA will ever have the privilege of hearing this fine catch. The QRA is "Mr.I. Hassan, Supervisor Wireless Stn: Civil Airport, Baghdad, Iraq." (They operate also on 20 meters experimental) 

The Following programs may be heard over the Italian stations, also their skeds ect. (Leo Herz).

3:15 pm-3:35 pm EST. "News in French "over IQY 11.676 megs.
1:10 pm-2:00 pm EST. "Arabian Hour over IRF 9.830 megs and 2RO4 11.810
2:37 pm-3:14 pm EST. "Yougoslavian Hour"over IQY 11.676 megs.
4:00 pm-4:30 pm EST. "Daily news bulletin in Russian will be broadcast

over IRF 9.830 megs.: IQY 11.676 and ICC 6.355 megs."

8:30 pm-10:00 pm EST. "The North American Hour over 2RP4 11.810 megs. IRF 9.830 megs and IQY 11.676 megs.

## NEWS FROM-HERE-THERE & EVERYWHERE

HP5G has moved to a new frequency of 11.095 megs and have their studios in the Exposition Grounds. QRA P.O. 1121 Panama City, Panama". They announce frequently in English. (Herz)

IQY 11.676 megs is again relaying the North American Hour with 2RO4 and IRF. (Herz)

XGOW is now on 8.900 megs arround 8:00am daily (Radex)

Dont forget to listen to TI4NRH program dedicated to the NRC on November 24th from 9:00pm-10:00pm EST. (Herz-Lundberg)

LZA 14.970 megs is now off the air and have been for several months. They are planning a new station. They are now operating on CW. (Lundberg)

2ZB is the call of the new transmitter at Wellington N.Z. and they operate on a freq of 6.96 mc.(Lundberg)

Manilla, Philippines Island plans a new short wave station with the call of KZEG. (Lundberg)

Bill Hungerford (VP3THE) will leave soon again for Brazil for another expedition. He will again operate another SW transmitter on 10 and 20 meters with a power of 150 watts. The call of this station will be PY-8THE so listeners watch for further details on this expeditions. (IDA)

Moscow has a Special English broadcast on Sundays at 4:00pm over RAN 9.6 megs. (Herz) (Daily at this time. (Lundberg)

France may be heard giving news in English daily at 11:45pm over TPB7 11.88 megs and TPA4 11.71 megs. (Lundberg)

"Guest Night" is a program feature every Friday evening over the Italian. stations at 7:30pm EST. (Herz)

Paris France may be heard daily at 11:25pm with a variety of different programs originating over TPB7 11.88 megs and TPA4 11.71 megs(Herz)

SOS SOS FROM IDA BULLETIN

ALL LISTENERS are requested to be on the lookout for any emergency messages from WloXAB (MacGregor Expedition) from which no communications have

been received since August. The freq which was used was 14.368 megs.

Dx the past week has been about the worst that it has ever been. This may be the reason for the few reports from our members for this issue. The Northern Lights were seen against and they sure cause havoc with reception. Lets hope that this condition clears up soon so that we all again can get some real DX.

## STATION SKEDS

Bob Hoynes states that the Schedule of the British India transmissions have now been fixed as follows.

VUB2 Bombay, 9.550 megs 9:30-10:30pm and from 1:00am-3:30am EST.

4.900 megs.7:00am-12:30pm EST.

VUC2 Calcutta 9.530 megs 2:06am-4:06am EST.

VUC5 Calcutta 4.880 megs. 6:36am-12:06pm EST.

VUD2 Delhi. 9.575 megs 8:30pm-10:30pm and 1:30am-3:30am EST.

VUD8 Delhi 4.920 megs.7:30am-12:30pm EST.

VUM2 Madras 4.960 megs 7:00am-12:00 non EST.

Ken Miller sends us the new sked of VLP at Melbourne Australia which transmits on 9.580 megs.

Mon to Saturday 9:25pm-2:00am EST, Tues till 2:15am & Fri till 2:30am Saturday: 3:30am-12:40pm EST and 5:00pm-10:30pm EST.

Sundays: Midnight to 7:30am EST and 9:25pm to 2:00am EST.

Conducted by Cyrus Will 651 Brier Street, Kenilworth Illinois.

Well here we are with another issue of the Short Wave Listeners Corner. Since the last issue I have'nt heard from any of you, so will just fill in with a little news here. I would however like to hear from you by the next issue. Just let me know anything that would be of interest to the boy's who read this section.

I might repeat again for the benefits of newcomers that this page is devote to those interested in collecting SWL cards and other things as sort of a side line with their regular DXing activities. Included in the page are a number of QRAs of those who also like to exchange SWL cards. We try to print at least 25 QRAs with each issue. Of these 25 a number are foreign. You are invited to write these SWLs for their cards. When doing so please mention the NRC as doing so may add a new member to our organization and each new member counts.

For those who are very much interested in this sort of thing, I would like to recommend the very fine publication put out by our Short Wave Editor, Larry Lundberg. In this section we are only able to cover a limited part of this vast field, but Larry in his FB "Hobbymag" is doing a fine job in covering not only SWL card exchange but almost any hobby you can think of. Those of you desiring a sample of "Hobbymag" might drop a line to Larry, and I am sure he will oblidge you with a sample and also more information on his growing club.

Larry Lundberg also exchanges SWL cards and anyone not yet owning one of his FB cards might send for one. His QRA is. 1020 Lowry Ave., No.

Minneapolis Minnesota.

Merlin N.Steen, Route 6, Decorah Iowa sends a FB card and says he has just sent in his dues to become a member of the NRC. So what do you say fellows lets welcome Merlin into the club and exchange cards with him. He QSLs 100% and would also like QRAS from Nev., N.D., Miss., Ariz and N.M.

--SWL CARD EXCHANGERS--QRAs. QRAs Wm Dean Noyes, 5112 North 22nd St., Omaha Nebraska Robert Soice, 700 N.Michigan St., Plymounth Indiana Lewis V..Nason 40 Newell Ave., Auburn Maine H.B.Emmett 1639 6th St., Portsmouth Ohio Kenneth Walker 303 South Second, Marlow Oklahoma Jack Fitzgerald, 1701 California Ave., Peoria Illinois M. (Marty) Greene, 68 East 3rd St., New York City N.Y. Joseph J.Kras, C.C.C Co. 3632, Newberry Michigan Joseph Grosso, 429 Bonsall Ave., Yeadon Penna. Harry Roessing Jr., 123 Willow Ave., Altoona Penna. Gerald Anderson, 539 North Newton Ave., Minneapolis Minn Clarence I.Cook, 920 Gwinn St., Medina N.Y. Gerald B.Cape, P.O. Box 163, Desloge Missouri Homer Evans, Jr., 205 W. Main St., Portland Indiana Mario Talamini, 124 Market St., Garfield New Jersey D.V. Young, 615 Euclid St., Santa Monica California Jack Clements, 6800 Division Ave., Birmingham Ala. H.R.Kiger, 2101 Wayne Ave., Dayton Ohio FOREIGN

Bob Russell, Taupo Road, Taumarunui New Zealand
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D.C.Johnson, 169 Coburg Rd., Halifax N.S. Canada
W.D.McComb, 1 Merani St., Devonport, Auckland N.Z.

# Call----Location----Club-----Kcy---power--Month-Date----Time

Rio de Janeiro (IDA) 1060 10kw Oct. 15 3:00-4:00am EST. PBD-2 22 10:00-11:30pm EST. (IDA) 1520 lkw "" Guatemala City TGW Nov. 5 3:00-5:00 am EST.
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"" 29 1:00-2:00 am EST.

Jan. 8 1:00-2:00 am EST.

"" 22 3:00-4:00 am EST. (IDA) 1095 10kw Dec. (IDA) 1070 50kw "" (IDA) 859 100kw Jan. EAJ-7 Madrid Spain 11 11 WATW Cleveland Ohio Radio Strasbough 11 11 Guatemala City (IDA) 1310 200w TGI

# LATE TIP

KFBB Great Falls Mont(CRC) 1280 1kw Oct. 30 1:00-5:00 am EST.

A SPECIAL DX will be Dedicated to the NRC from CX-26 November 5 and 6 from 3:00-5:00 A.M. E.S.T. on 1050 kc., Quote from their letter. We have thought that, as long as CX-26 Radio Uruguay is celebrating their 9th anniversary in the month of November, to have a series of photographs taken the day we put on the program to send to those who would enclose in their letter 30 cents and in this way they would have a little remembrance that would be of more value to them than just the diploma of verification, and at the same time to those who sends 10 cents we will send them a certificate of reception.

SPECIAL TIPS SPECIAL TIPS SPECIAL TIPS WDAN-1500 kc., 250 watts, Danville Illinois, sends a letter to Headquarter stating that their tests will be made between the 15 and 22nd of October, after 1:00 A.M. Central Stanard Time. (2:00 A.M. EST)

WPIC-780 kc.,250 watts, Sharon Penna. Sends the following letter:-Our staff is now almost complete and we should begin testing our transmitter about the 15 of this month. (October). As to the exact time of such tests I cannot say as yet, but we are endeavoring to get things going as soon as possible. The tests probably will be conducted between 2 A.M. and 6 A.M. EST. QRA:-The Sharon Herald Broadcasting Co., 205 Dollar Title and Trust Building, Sharon Pennsylvania. . John C. MacDonald-Program Department.

WKST-1250 kc., 250 watts, New Castle Penna. will start their testing on October 10, 11 and 12 on. They will start their regular test on October 16th at 8:00 AM.

KRBM-1420 kc., 100 watts, Bozeman Mont., will start their tests the later part of the month. QRA:-101 West Main St., Bozeman Mont., Robert B. Mac Nab Jr..

The above information was gathered by our very able, New Station CPC man, Warren Routzahn-York Penna. Keep up the good work Ok.

We will have to hold over some of our BCB materal untill the next issue, these BCB Editors are sending in the materal so fast that it seems as if we can not get caught up with them. But we will keep all the latest and Hottest news in the bulletin and hold over other articles that are not so urgent.