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					EST	
Nov. 15	* WFAK	1220	Falls Church, Virginia	250	TEST	4:00-5:30 AM
21	KVOR	1300	Colorado Springs, Colo.	1000	NNRC	2:00-2:45
21	KFKA	1310	Greeley, Colorado	1000	NNRC	2:15-3:00
21	KGEK	1230	Sterling, Colorado	100	test	2:15-3:00
21	KIUP	1400	Durango, Colorado	250	NNRC	2:45-3:15
21	KRDO	1240	Colorado Springs, Colo.	250	NNRC	3:15-4:00
21	KLMR	1340	Lamar, Colorado	250	NNRC	3:30-4:15
21	KA3623	1622	Leadville, Colo. (relay)	250	test	3:45-4:15
21	KUBC	1240	Montrose, Colorado	250	NNRC	4:00-4:45
21	KSFT	1280	Trinidad, Colorado	1000	NNRC	4:00-4:45
21	KFXJ	920	Grand Junction, Colo.	500	NNRC	4:00-4:45
21	KVRH	1340	Salida, Colorado	250	NNRC	4:15-5:00
21	KYOU	1450	Greeley, Colorado	250	NNRC	4:15-5:00
26	* WMAP	1060	Monroe, North Carolina	250	TEST	4:00-4:30
27	WRXO	1430	Roxboro, North Carolina	1000	TEST	4:30-5:00
27	* WNNP	690	Warsaw, Virginia.	250	TEST	4:00-4:30
28	* KWRO	1450	Coquille, Oregon.	250	NRC	3:00-4:30
28	* KCLO	1410	Leavenworth, Kansas	500	TEST	4:00-6:00
28	* WGBI	910	Scranton, Penna.	1000	NRC	4:00-4:30
28	* WQAN	910	Scranton, Penna.	1000	NRC	4:30-5:00
29	* WATN	1240	Watertown, N.Y.	250	NRC	2:00-2:15
Dec. 1	KCOM	620	Sioux City, Iowa	1000	NNRC	1:00-3:00
4	* KVCV	600	Redding, California	1000	NRC	3:30-4:00
11	* KDET	930	Center, Texas	1000	TEST	4:00-4:30
11	WWPF	800	Palatka, Florida	250	TEST	4:30-5:00
19	* HJDK	770	Medellin, Columbia, S.A.	10KW	NRC	4:00-5:00
19	HJDE	6145	Medellin, Columbia, S.A.	10KW	NRC	4:00-5:00
26	WWHG	1590	Hornell, New York	1000	TEST	4:00-4:30

* Asterik indicates program counts as Bonus Points in NRC DX Contest

Data on Coming Specials

- KFKA - Greeley, Colorado - H.B. Brewer - Chief Engineer
- KGEK - Sterling, Colorado - Elmer Beehler - Chief Engineer
- KIUP - Durango, Colorado - Harold H. Hoffman - Chief Engineer
- KRDO - Colorado Springs, Colo. - R.W. Fitzmorris - CE
- KLMR - Lamar, Colorado - D.E. Towne - Chief Engineer
- KUBC - Montrose, Colorado - Donald Anderson - CE.
- KSFT - Trinidad, Colorado - L.L. Wilson - CE.
- KVRH & KA3623 - Salida, Colo. - Vir. N. James - Owner & Mgr.

No information received on signers of KVOR - KFXJ and KYOU. Best idea to send reports to Chief Engineer.

NOTE - Dec. 19th for the swell programs to be dedicated to the NRC by HJDK and HJDE. This was arranged by George Hotton. They will be looking for your reports especially comparing the BCB and SW Trans. More on this next week.

FROM THE CONTEST MANAGER, EDGE:

To all: When sending your list of VERIFICATIONS to be entered in our contests, the following system should be used to make it easier at this end.

Domestic Contest: Call - Location -(City-State)- Freq. - Area No.--(whether it is first or 2nd) - Date reported and the date your verie was received.

Foreign Contest - Call - Location -(City-Country) Freq/ - Mileage from your location (if over 1,000 miles) - Date reported, and the date your verie was received.

DX Specials - Call - location - (City-State or City-Country) Freq. Mileage from your location, power used by station; Date reported, and date verie was received.

For all contests, stations to be eligible must of course be verified, and for the period of October 1st, 1949, up to March 31, 1950. Also; Stations in the Continental U. S. and Canada only count in the Domestic contest. ALL OTHER STATIONS only eligible in Foreign Contest.

LETTER FROM WBZ, BOSTON, TO HAROLD STEIN of NRC.

Dear Mr. Stein:

"Thank you for your reception report of March 13, with respect to the confusion in your mind concerning the call letters WBZ and WBZA. I can clear that up by advising you that these two stations operate synchronously and carry the same program. WBZ is a 50,000 watt station in Boston and WBZA is a 1,000 watt outlet on the same frequency in Springfield, Mass, approximately 100 miles to the west. This is one of the few, if not they only, synchronized broadcast operation in this county, and has been so operated for the past 20-odd years. I hope that explanation clears the confusion, with respect to this operation, in your mind.

Very truly yours,
(signed) W. H. Hauser, C.E."

recently now on the air

- 1280 Snyder, Texas
- 1410 Dunkirk, New York
- 1480 Lincoln, Nebraska
- 1490 Cleveland, Mississippi.

CHANGES IN STATION DATA

New Stations

- 900 Jeffers, Missouri 250 D Missouri Central Broadcasters
- 1320 Colorado City, Texas 500 D Colorado City Broadcasting Co. (KPAN-KSNY)
- 1340 Plattsburg, New York 250 U-1 Clinton County Broadcasting Corporation
- 1450 Cloquet, Minnesota 250 U-1 Cloquet Broadcasting Company (WSHB)

HOURS CHANGE

940 W T P S New Orleans, to 1000-500 U-2. 1070 K B K I Alice, Texas to 1,000 U-2

***** PLEASE REMEMBER THIS: *****

"DX News" of November 26 (only) is going to be done by Ray Edge. Send your reports for that issue alone to Ray Edge, 325 Shirley Avenue, Buffalo 15, N.Y. Dead-line is November 23. For all other issues of "DX News," "Musings" come to your Editor, Ernest R. Cooper, 438 East 21 Street, Brooklyn 26, N.Y. For one issue only, note please, all.

***** Musings of the Members, conf'd. *****

Stan Morss - Braford, Massachusetts.

10/29 - KTUL at 2:10 with Mail Order show, through KATV & ATL. KVOE 2:45-3:12 Football game. XEO through XEJ with test announced in English and Spanish. WHHM just a little too tough for KRUX 4:00 a.m. on. Could get about 1 item out of 3. WDKD at 5:45 a.m. sign-on. 10/31 - A toot-whistle on 1600 for 2nd or 3rd Monday - who is it? I parked there for 2/3 of an hour and no announcements. 11/1 - WDXI verie says 24 hours a day soon. KLKC f/c 1:15-1:45 a.m. WEOK, regular schedule 6:00-6:20 a.m. KARK till 2:00 a.m., Money Order Network. 11/5 - KSNY on ET. 11/6 - WEGE till 4:00 all week. WNAW on test. Veries from KALO WBUT & WNAV. WBUT from March report.

Lefty Cooper - 438 East 21 Street - Brooklyn 26.

A few veries in - letters from WLYN WUSJ WKDN (card also) and a prepared card back from WWPF, Palatka, Fla. signed by L. C. McCall, manager. I see WWPF'll test for us in December! Evidently another one has been converted to our side! DX here has netted me WUSJ on 11/3, WKAX on test at 3:03 a.m. 11/6, plus the two DX-Tests from WNAW and WPEC. I hope WPEC verifies this time. 11/8 - Two new southerners for me - WFOG and WJDC, which was testing on 970. It's your Editor's fault that this issue is a day late - just could not do my stencil cutting on Wednesday on account of another rehearsal. As a result, reports of Stein and Oliver, arriving on Thursday, got into this issue. 73's.

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We welcome Mr. Charles B. Conley, of Lemoyne, Pennsylvania, as a new member, and we also acknowledge with thanks these renewals: Joe Brauner - Len Kruse - Dave Thomas - Abe Cohen - Robert Base - Norm Maguire. Thanks to you all, and good DX.

Musings of the Members

Donald L. Frey - 3511 North Halsted Street - Chicago 13

Greetings fellow sad sacks and stooped droops, there's sad news tonight and very sad - triple sad, in fact. Not much to report this week and I am getting tired of typing out all these letters so how about taking up a collection and hiring a secretary for me - blonde preferred. I would ask Mrs. Wharton to do my typing but she is too busy doing Leo's. I have the following info. that is is ary of you are still reading this and have not already turned to the next page. 11/1 - KVLC f/c music 2:28-3:00, WBEK f/c C.P.S. (sorry Ed., I mean TT) 4:02-4:15; WGVY f/c TT 4:15-4:30. 11/2 - WPAY f/c TT 2:16-2:29, WGVY f/c music 2:19, CJBR f/c music 2:32-2:42, WLEJ f/c TT 3:00-3:15. 11/4 - WDLB f/c music 2:59-3:06. 11/5 - WREC f/c music 1:07-1:14, WPTF f/c 3:15. WGVY & WPTF, I only got their station identification, so I do not know what time they were running. I got the following veries in, which brings my total so far up to 152. 10/31, cards from KAYS and WSPA, letters from KTEC and WGNC. 11/1, a letter from WLAP. 11/3, a card from WCDT, 11/5, letters from WBEK & KTUL. We leave the air now - tune in next week and find out if Sam's wife has mumps, will the twins drop dead. Tune in next week, same time, same station to "The sad story of Sad Sam." This program is brought to you by the makers of Reeds Red underwear, union suits for all occasions. 73's.

Leo Herz - 820 Barry Avenue - Chicago 14, Ill.

Did get my outside antenna, an 75 foot inverted L, Northeast to Southwest direction, up last Sunday with the help of my fellow NRGers and DX buddies, Derek Wharton and Don Frey, but could not take much advantage of it as conditions were horrific on those few mornings I was up. Only 4 reports went out this week, October 31, on sign-ons of WILE and WJPS. November 1, KVLC on NNRC-DX with terrific interference by WMGM, am sure Lefty never had a chance to hear KVLC as I had a heck of a time hearing KVLC. Some day I have to log WMGM. Speaking of all-nighters, situation here is bad, as we have 2 50,000 watt-ers on all night, and they cover more than their frequency. Nov. 6 - Was up for WREC and WNAW, but noise was horrific and did not hear either one. Checked with Don Frey and he did not hear WREC either but heard WNAW for 15 minutes. Logged WRMN at high noon today in order to get letter-head verie to replace card. Veries now stand at 798, with 13 reports (from current season) still out. Veries in this week - nice card from KYOU and hand-written letterhead verie from KATE on f/c report. In case some one is interested, the verie signer on my WORD verie was Clyde J. Burdette, C.E. WMIN is still the only one that has not verified from last season. Will log him again and then hope they verify. For the Thanksgiving week, will, if nothing unforeseen happens, visit Eldin Ad- dy for the last week of my 3 week's vacation. CPC work proceeding - 5 more stations being contacted. Best of DX to all - as ever.

Frank Gravely - 201 Starling Avenue - Martinsville, Virginia

Well, DX for the last several days has been punk. Am located about block from local hospital and consequently there is a lot of noise. Seems to be especially bad in early morning. Have about 28 reports out with very few veries trickling in. Latest reports out are to WSUA, 1010, on f/c 10/26; WBSR, 1450, on f/c 10/26; WSLS, 610, on regular 10/29; WBBF, 1270, on 10/29. Veries received lately are WKMA, card by Jack V. La Pres-ti, C.E., letter from WSTS, signed by Edward O. Kopriwee, engineer, WDXI, typed card, signed by Grady M. Reeves, MC of early-morning show. Tried for WATN on 10/29, but un-able to hear because too much WEDC and others. Did hear on 10/29: WKJA, sign off 2:00 a.m. on top of WEDC, WBZA with test, 2:10 a.m., WBBF, apparently all night on 1270, WTWA, 1240, f/c with TT 2:15-2:30. TT's on 730, 960, 660, and others. Tried DX this morning, October 31, but too much local noise and few stations except stand-bys on graveyards. Did you know that old WABC isn't extinct? CBS is now using the call for one of their SW stations in 21 mc. band. Wonder what has happened to old WBAF call? Have suggestion to make to club. Why not start a classified section in "DX News" in which members can list radd equipment which they have for sale? Can list receivers, aeri-als, phones, etc. Would help to raise revenue for Club (if there is charge for ads) and help members get rid of excess equipment. What do you think, fellows? Know I'd like it because maybe I can get rid of my new NC-33, since I already have an S-20-P (What do you think, boys? We'll always publish such sales if anyone has something -

Musings of the MembersJack D. Rhea - 710 South Hampton Street - Springfield 4, Mo.

You say you want reports - so, will send in my first since joining the NRC last August. Don't have much time to write this issue, but intend to send in reports frequently during the forthcoming season - or present season, I guess it is, huh? DX since the first of October is: KNEM, regular broadcast, KLPR, regular broadcast, both during daylight hours) on 10/3; KICD-f/c, KVOE s/off, KNBY - ET, EPBX, hurricane watch, KRIC, hurricane watch, KGAR-ET, CKMO s/off (and topping the WING QRM!), KRCT, hurricane watch, all heard on 10/4. 10/9 brought only KWGR -f/c. Got my season off to a good start on 10/16 with XERH, regular broadcast (over KSTP for 45 minutes), WSYB-ET, XEH s/off, KTMS regular broadcast, KNOM-ET, WSFC, regular broadcast, KFOA, regular broadcast (first Islander here), KCUL regular broadcast, and WCWD, regular broadcast. WCMI-f/c heard on 10/22, and on 10/26, heard KLEM s/off, WFBK, test, WBSR, f/c, KBMW, f/c and WJGD, ET. 10/29 brought KLMX, ET, and 11/1 saw the logging of KLMO, f/c. Not all of those reported - won't list reports, but October saw about 35 go out - for biggest month in a long time. Veries in from (cards) - KTD WKDA (nice) ~~###~~ & KYOU (novel!). Letters: KOPO WCWD XET (nice) KDMO KGAR KMHPT (nice) KNBY KOTN KVIC WJZ & WSFC. Got what will suffice for a verie from KICA - measured 2" by 3", and ~~4~~ written on the left end of their envelope - no letter. Been after a KICA verie for 18 months, so it's welcome. WBSR sent report back with confirmation written on, and the prize of the month is from the anti-DX WDXI. Got a dandy book from them, with QSL panned in back - and letter promised! Here's a not about KWGR: They will test for the NNRC on the morning of November 13, from 1:05 to 2:00 a.m., C.S.T. Also, the new local job, KICK, will test on December 28 from 1:00 to 3:00 a.m., C.S.T., with nice verie promised. Incidentally, we will do the gum-bumping on that test. Been DXing about 2 weeks over 2 years - wish I had more time for it. Excellent hobby. Have heard about 975 stations, and verified some 375. Don't have all of my last season totals completed as yet. Making a new log, and it's taking a long time to get it finished. The best of DX to all - and don't miss the KWGR DX! They want reports badly. (Welcome to our pages, Jack - we surely hope for more! -Ed.)

Alan E. Arnold - 1202 South 93rd Street - Milwaukee 14, Wis.

10/30 - Late afternoon, heard WKNK WBEL WJVA WTOD WOKZ & KHBR. 10/31 - Early-morning sign-ons: WDDB 4:56 a.m., KWTO after 5:00 a.m., KWBC after 5:15 a.m., CKOC after 5:30 a.m., WDDO after 5:45, WIMA 5:58 a.m. s/on. 11/4 - KAYL f/c-TT 1:15-1:30, WOBS 5:15 a.m. on, WDKD 5:45 a.m. s/on in clear to 6:00 a.m., WRUF, 6:00 a.m. s/on. 11/5 - WEOL all night show, KVNJ 2:00 a.m. on, testing, KHON and KFOA after 3:00 a.m. 11/6 - WKAX testing TT 2:30-2:50 a.m., WPEC very weak on DX, and WNAW good on DX. Latest veries in from WFUR WLPO WCLT KWCR WIGM WIL WBRW WSIX WCAZ KFXD KROW KWTO KSOO WARC WCBI KLCN KATE KRDU WBEL & KTTS. So far since September 1, have added 48 veries, with 45 reports still to be heard from since 9/1. Biggest surprise was verie from WBEL, which arrived Sunday morning by SPECIAL DELIVERY! Notice WEOL beat WPAT going all night on 930 kc/s. Morning of 11/5 tops so far this season. All-nighters are giving me a very rough time so try to DX every Monday morning, and am also trying this season to fill in some of the Eastern stations, a lot of which are missing from my log, due mostly to laziness previously in not getting up at this early hour of the morning. So long now.

Bernie Duffy - 68 Watchogue Road - Staten Island 14, New York

The high noise level has held my new catches to a very low weekly level of but three. They are KLKC heard cycle-toning 11/1 at 1:15 a.m., WEOL during several of their new early morning's schedule, that seems to run daily to 4:00, and WNAW DX-cast of 11/6 that was barely audible at 4:00 a.m. To make matters worse, the only radio mail of that period is an acknowledgement of my report of inability to log KTTS' recent DX. Therefore it's proven that our long-drawn-out draught and intense heat of last summer was much more conducive to DXing than this semi-freezing autumn weather. (Bernie also sent in a clipping from a publication to the effect that WCHV's transmitter antenna tower of 391 feet was struck recently by a plane, killing 3 people in the plane.) Both your Editor and Eldon cut a Page 1 last week through a mis-understanding, with the result that this announcement did not reach you - For the "DX News" of November 26, reports are to be sent instead of to Cooper in Brooklyn, to Ray B. Edge, 325 Shirley Avenue, Buffalo 15, N.Y. Your Editor cannot handle that issue due to the play's being presented that week, and we wish to thank Ray for taking over. His deadline - Wed. Nov. 23.

Musings of the MembersSid Rosenbaum - 806 Market Street - Wheeling, West Virginia

Some fair mornings this period. Reports out to those underlined. Have veries from a few that I have reported, but will use duplicates for contest. On Oct. 31st, WMAE, Marshall, Texas, 1450, on f/c. Prompt verie return says, "This was repeat f/c. Regular is 4th Wed., 2:40-2:55." Change on "DX Down the Dial" last issue. On evening of same date WBAE, 1600, Marion, Ind. heard till 6:00 p.m. s/off and KCMO on their "Hymn Time" at 5:30 p.m. On Nov. 1, WVBC heard through heavy static and KVLC on their test 3:30 a.m. This one has never verified before, so will await result. CFAC has always been one of the friendliest stations toward the DXer. On November 2, KIBY on f/c, WEOL on a request program, WKY on ET to 4:00. WFCB, 1400, Dunkirk, N.Y. on ET all morning to 4:30. Questionable report to KEWD. Static distorted call. WYVE on their regular morning show, announced as 4:00-6:00 a.m. WCOB on f/c, WDOD on their "Four O'Clock Frolic" at 5:00. WCBS s/on, from Len Kruse tip. On Nov. 3, KIHN on regular f/c 2:15-2:30. WUSJ on f/c 2:27-2:46, *WCMN on f/c, *WULA on f/c with march music, 4:00-4:15. KSON, 1240, San Diego, Cal., on with Buyers' Guild Program, easily heard under WEDC. On Nov. 4, *WHAP, f/c, WTOP ET till 2:03, *WOKO f/c and KVCO with "Sleepwalkers' Serenade" 2:00-3:00. Asked for cards. *KWAT f/c, KSON regular silent period on Monday morning. On Nov. 5th, WGNB regular "Spinning Wheel" 5:15-5:30 p.m. s/off, KAKC (1570) regular 6:00 p.m. with "Saturday Sports." On Nov. 6, XEMO, Tijuana, 860, "The Voice of Lower California" signs off in English and Spanish at 3:00 a.m. *WBEX, f/c, WFEC-DX, faded deeply at intervals. WNAW-DX. No titles to selections given. Very difficult to report due to the above, also completely faded out at intervals. *KGFL, f/c, WPTW regular 5:00-5:15 p.m. s/off, to return at 7:00 a.m. Veries scarce, received only two letters - KMET & WFOY. Verie total now 617 with 41 reports still out from Oct. 1. Many of the big stations seem to be making a survey on early morning programs. They are asking for listener reports which is very unusual. Nov. 7 - The WDSR, Lake City, Fla. DX program scheduled for this morning, did not come on till 4:50. Was announced as 4:30. That's all for this time.

Elbert Tewell - 228 South Lake Street, Carey, Ohio

Here I am again, late as usual. The fact is that I haven't heard very much so I just didn't write. KOAM-860 was heard testing 11/3 and a f/c by KIWT-1230 on 11/1 from 3:15 to 3:30. On the same morning, WKAX-900 was heard testing. WIHL, 730, heard lately at sign-off. I must be getting lazy as that is about all of my listening. On Nov. 19 the CHSJ-1150 will DX from 2:30 to 3:00 and on the 24th CKBI-900 will DX from 4:00 to 5:00. This info from a letter from Dudley Clarke of the NNRC. It looks as if WVOC-930 will be another all-nighter. Have heard them on till 4:00 a.m. all week. Also have heard WYVE-1280 signing on at 4:00 a.m. A few veries have showed up here, making the total now 1065. Latest in from KTTS, nice letter and blotter. Received one this week from WENO for a report sent them in December of 1946. I still have hopes that maybe some of the ~~other~~ other stations may decide to clean house and come across some of the reports that they have mislaid. Well, that is all for now; see you next time.

Ted Weiser - 19R Fairview Avenue - Schuylkill Haven, Penna.

Veries in from WEAN WJRF KOOK WORK EPOW WDXI WDUN KCHI KMOA WJEP KSGM & CJOC. WDUN TT-f/c on 2nd Mon. 3:15-3:30 a.m., v/s Jackson A. Dodd, C.E. On KSGM, my 3rd try C. M. Poindexter signed prepared card. On WDXI, Grady M. Reeves sent "This is Dixie" pamphlet. He autographed his photo and verified my report of reception. Nice verie letter from CJOC on my brief report of their sign/off material. Theodore Kalin, C.E. of WEEM, Fitchburg, Mass. says he ran tests for Radio Clubs as far back as 1946. 11/1, CFAC was heard on DX but with some fading and local noise. 11/2 - KAKE over WEDC with test, 11/3 WGSJ with good signal topping 1340 kc/s. with test. KTRN with brief carrier and voice at 3:10 a.m. on 11/5, KSNY on ET 11/5, WNAX heard briefly 6:30-6:35 a.m. at sign-on, thru WMCA WSYR WBNS on 570 kc/s.; quite a surprise here on 11/5.

Where is WQXI?

Is it in Atlanta? YES. Is it in Buckhead? YES. Is it in Buckhead, Georgia? NO! Here is the story - WQXI is located in a suburb of Atlanta known as Buckhead, but this is NOT the city of Buckhead, Ga., which is in the southern part of the state. Something like Flatbush - a section of Brooklyn, and a town just outside Kingston, N.Y. So send your mail to WQXI to ATLANTA, and not to BUCKHEAD. They have been re-routed fm. Buckhead.

Musings of the MembersJoe Brauner - 23 Howard Avenue - Williamsville, New York

After a fine start October was a disappointment, with below par DX most of the month. November starts poorly here, hope it ends better. Right now DX is not bad but it seems I fail to hear the ones I need, often hearing most of the all-nighters well, but nothing more. New ones since last report are few. KVNJ on f/c, 10/28; WKRS on regular schedule 6:55 to 8:15 p.m. on 10/30; KCCG on short test, 10/31; WJMA on regular sign-on at 8:30 a.m., 10/4, and lastly, WNAW on this morning's test and WFCB on ET. A few veries, another card from WCDT, also nice one from WKOY, letters from WKRS WOHI KLEE (via Pat, thanks, OM!) WRYO and WJBF. WRYO's kc/s. are checked by Penn State College on regular hours, so has no morning f/c. WRYO and WKRS are anxious to get DX reports, the latter on both AM and FM. WFCB shows a hot carrier here, nearly as strong as local WBNY, and was testing with carrier and voice between 4:00 and 5:00 p.m. today, 11/6. Both WNAW and WFEC came in well.

Pat Reilly - 11 Irvine Place - Jamestown, New York

New veries are WAEB WVGW WKMA. 11/1 - WKMA for new one, 1490, on f/c, heard 3:20 to 3:30. Unknown ones on 730 and 740 at 3:35 to after 4:00, neither used voice. WKAX, 900, on ET, off at 4:23 - KROP, 1300, 4:37 to 4:52 test, with better signal than WOR here - WFTM, 1240, on f/c 4:52 until WBIR came on at 5:00. 11/2 - KOOL, 960, on test at 3:20 - WLAC, 1510, at 4:07 on authorized F.C.C. test, per announcement, WFCB, 1410, on test at 4:20 heard, new Dunkirk, N.Y. station. WDIG, 1450, on f/c at 4:50, very noisy today. 11/3 - KTRH, KPRC and KXYZ on with program because of bus strike in Houston. KOAM, 860, at 3:35 test, KMBC, 980, at 3:38 test, KISM over-riding WWSW on f/c at 4:10-4:30. Very noisy. 11/4 very noisy, weak ET behind WFOM, 1600, couldn't catch call, 2-toned one also on 1600 at 3:09, WEOL, 930, in Elyria, Ohio over-ridden by KHJ, WEBR at 3:41, KFVB over-riding CKVL at 3:50, WTOP at 4:09 and to bed because of noise. 11/5, Very noisy and my cold sent me to bed. 11/6 - Heard both WFEC and WNAW on tests of which WFEC alone was needed here, and then to bed. 11/7 - Very noisy today, WTCO 1150, on f/c at 3:09 to 3:12 when WNDY came on with f/c and covered WTCO. WCLD, 1490, Cleveland, Miss., on ET over WWSW at 3:27. WDIP on f/c, 1490, at 4:21 to 4:30 over WWSW, then to bed because of noise. It was 42° here and I had had 3 new ones. That 2-toned one on 1600 again and not 1590, it drowns out WVOM lots of times and nobody on 1600 today at all. Wonder what happened to all the reports us boys send out? I see that very few are coming back, according to notes in bulletin.

Kermit Geary - Walnutport, Pennsylvania

Since my last report, veries have arrived from KWEI WBIW WCBA WERE WJBF and WVOP. All were nice personal letters, and WBIW enclosed a 3-color QSL card. Reports were sent to the following catches: 10/26 - WBIW on DX program from 4:20 to 5:00 a.m.; 10/29 - WDYK on regular schedule from 6:15 to 6:30 a.m. over the 1230 kc/s. QRM; 10/30 - WBCU on regular schedule from 7:00 to 7:45 a.m., WEOK on regular schedule from 5:00 to 5:13 p.m. and WKRS through WGAR on 1220 kc/s. from 6:05 to 6:15 p.m. 10/31 - WLRP on regular schedule from 5:45 to 6:00 p.m. sign-off. 11/1 - KVLG on f/c and DX program from 2:15 to 3:30 a.m., through WMGM; 11/2 - KAKE testing from 3:55 to 4:30 a.m. 11/5 - KSNY, Snyder, Texas, 1280 kc/s., on ET from 3:12 to 3:40 a.m., KTYL on regular f/c from 4:00 to 4:15 a.m., and KNEB testing from 4:25 to 5:00 a.m. 11/6 - WCSS testing at 3:17 a.m. and WFEC on DX test, and 11/7, WCLD, Cleveland, Miss., 1490 kc/s., on initial ET from 3:35 to 3:58 a.m. 73.

Harold Stein - 432 Sutter Street - San Francisco, Calif.

Hi gang - well, another DX season has begun and I am one DX season wiser. My latest lesson which I have learned is that Pharmacy Colleges do not allot any time to their students for BCB DXing, hi. But, I have managed to fit in three evenings' listening for the following: KVEC sign-off 3:00 a.m. (EST), KREL, KSON, 24 hour station, XEG, at 2:30 a.m., KCBQ KGIL KXRK KPOA QSA 4 R 8 at 3:45 a.m., KFVB KHBC at sign-off 4:00 a.m., E.S.T. KWIK, KGB KAGH KIRO KOH sign-off 3:00 a.m., WGN, and finally, KIOA. Well fellows, the DX season which we talked about all summer is here, so 'Lots of luck to all of you.' Say Lefty, regarding your ball club, "WHA HAPPENED?" (Nothing! That's the trouble! -Ed.)

DON'T FORGET THAT THE ISSUE TWO WEEKS AWAY - FOR NOVEMBER 26, 1949, IS TO BE DONE BY RAY B. EDGE, 325 SHIRLEY AVENUE, BUFFALO 15, N.Y. "MUSINGS" REPORTS SHOULD GO TO HIM.

Musings of the MembersMal Oliver - Houston, Texas.

Got my usual late start in the DX season. Have hay fever during latter half of September and most of October, so I never feel like getting up to do any listening until that is finished. Have yet to receive my first verie of the season, but reports have gone out to KIMO WKAX KIMX KAKE KOFO WMEV WMLE KSNY KNEY KIMO KGB and another try at WDXI, to whom I first reported on their initial ET last year. Certainly haven't noticed that signals are particularly strong this year, but hope they pick up yet. Blow-by-blow description runs about as follows: 11/1 - WKAX on 900 with ET at 4:00; KIMX, 1450, at 4:30; at 4:45 WROP was testing on 1300 and KIZ on 500. 11/2 - KAKE testing on 1240 at 4:00 and KOFO, 1220, with ET at 4:30; also WMEV, 1010, from 5:00 to 5:30. 11/4 - KSNY, Snyder, Texas, and KNEY, Newport, Ark., both testing new transmitters at 4:00 a.m. on 1280 kc/s. 11/5 - WCOR, 900 kc/s. with f/c from 3:15 to 3:30, using both voice and tone. This was a first Saturday, but don't know that it was their regular time. Was amused at announcer heard on 890 saying, "This is WLS - correction! This is WENR testing." KIMO, 1050 kc/s., Longmont, Colo. a new one, concluding ET at 4:05; KUJA, 690, s/off at 4:00; KET testing on 990 at 4:00 and another Mexican on 1240 with test at 4:35. 11/7 - WCLD, 1490 kc/s., Cleveland, Miss., with first ET at 3:00. 11/9 - Several stations on later than usual this A.M. with election returns. Now that I've gotten a start, expect to be a more frequent contributor to these columns. Regards.

Frank Grayely - 201 Starling Avenue - Martinsville, Virginia.

Reports out to WLS, 610, regular; CFAC, 960, special for NNRG; KNEB, 970, f/c; WKAX, 900, test; WCRA, 1090, f/c; KVLC; WDNC, 620, regular; KVOE, 1480, regular; KSIG, 1450, f/c. Follow-up cards went to following: WGNU WLOX WTIK WNOP WJZM & WCMI. All on Sep-tember reports. Veries received number only 3 - typed card from WDXI, signed by Grady Reeves, MC of early-morning disc show; WDNC, letter signed by George W. Bartlett, C.E. and letter from WFCN, 1570, signed by L. M. Neale, General Manager. 11/1 - Was best morning for DX so far this season. I didn't do any sensational DXing but as far as noise, and strength of West Coast stations was concerned, this was one of best mornings. Spent most of time concentrating on specials. CFAC, 960, Calgary, heard from 3:00-3:40 with special for NNRG, bad fading and QRM but was able to get enough for report. Sent long letter and 10¢ Canadian currency. Sure hope I get a verie. KVLC, 1050, heard with good signal and good special from 2:20-2:57. WCRA, 1090, heard with f/c 2:29-2:40, had music and live program. WKAX, heard testing all morning on 900. KNEB, 970, heard 3:00-3:30 with f/c TT. 11/3 - Not too much DX. WCUM, 1:45-2:00 f/c TT, WROD 2:00-2:15, f/c TT, KPLC, announcing test, no TT or music, at 2:01 a.m., WIBR, 2:30-2:45 f/c with music; WUSJ 2:30-2:45 f/c with TT, one hour later than shown in our f/c lists. 11/5 - WEOL, 930, 1:35-1:50, regular program; WDZ, 1050, on 2:00 a.m. with f/c, GEW, 990, signing off 2:00 a.m. after Radio Mail Program; KVOE, 1480, Santa Ana, with fair signal, broadcasting football game until 3:24; some one on top of them from 3:20 on with TT, KSIG, 1450, f/c TT 3:15-3:30; WMGA, 3:30-3:45, f/c TT. KFVD KNX KFI, etc., all coming in like local. Season definitely seems to be picking up. Now if veries would only start coming in, everything would be QSA 5 plus. I have been wondering if the contest will be run this year same as last? I mean, will bonus points be given for all stations listed in DX Specials, or will they be restricted to those that dedicate to NRC only? Please clarify this for us, as I have 3 or 4 of the specials listed. Can look for WCHV to test before long. Last weekend, a plane crashed into their 340' tower & killed 3 occupants. Also knocked the top of the tower out of line. Incidentally, football season is good time to get many of West Coast's stations as they stay on for football games. This A.M. I heard KVOE, 1480, Santa Ana, until 3:25 with very good signal, broadcasting football game. WMVA, here in Martinsville, on 1450, should be testing around 11/20 as they have moved their tower and will move transmitter about that time. Will have something more definite later. Does anyone have the latest line-up of Cuban stations? Seems they are having some kind of political campaign down there and the air, Cuban air, that is, is full of politics, in Spanish. With hurricane season, just about every frequency has Cuban dominating it. Best include new one on 660 (think it is CMCU, as CMK appears to have their old 1190 spot), 690, 730, 740, 790, 810, 830, 860, 910, 990, 1060, and others. Well, better quit and write some reports. Best of DX to all. Looks like my alma mater, U. of Va., is doing OK in football. Undeafated up to today. Play Penn this PM.

Musings of the MembersSteve Walbridge - 422 North Front Street - Sarnia, Ont.

Eleven new stations in the past two weeks, which is quite a let-down from earlier October reception. The weather wasn't the only reason, though. I am somewhat reluctant to get out of bed on these cooler mornings. Agemst be telling. 10/24 - WARC an all-nighter on 950 kc/s. with prompt verie. 10/28 - KCNI on 1490 at 3:38 to 4:00, with a chatty letter verie. Then WJCD, 1390, at 4:00. 10/29- WOBS, 1360, after 5:00 with regular broadcast. KIMO, 1810, on their test at 5:30. WDKD 1300 on their ##### regular broadcast 5:46 a.m. Noticed WWOK on 1470 at 6:00 sign-on. 10/31 - KCCG, 1400, 2:10 until 2:15 when I lost him. KENO 1400, sign-off at 2:17, but not enough for a report. It's been a long time since I've heard a 250 watter that far away. KMET at 2:40 with f/c until 2:50 on 1450. Lots of 1 kw. Californians this morning. 11/4 - WGGD on 1490 on at 5:00. 11/5 - WNOE on 1450 at 2:00. Odd that I never heard this all-nighter before, but it has held down 1450 11/6 also, drowning all opposition. KVVG on 1580 at 3:00 sign-off, but not enough for a report. I'll keep an eye on this one. KTUL 1430, at 3:10, an all-nighter? (Only on Saturday mornings -Ed.) 11/6 - KWEE briefly at 3:23 through WNOE. Notice they pronounce its location as Bee-att-triss, Nebraska. WEEC 1220 not strong but clear for entire program. WNAW on 860 ditto, with a nice tape-recorded program. Had some interesting announcements for reporting for proof of reception. One announcement from WMIN on 1400? Who are they? (An all-nighter in St. Paul! -Ed.) Had 9 veries in one mail last Monday including KVOE KWBM KWYO & KJOK. Veries now at 1127, 1273 heard. Am fully in accord with our CPC method of getting daytimers to DX for us. Sooner or later, we seem to catch the full-time stations anyway. I like Sid Rosenbaum's idea of giving a small favorable comment on some point about every program reported. It sure wor ks. Best regards.

Len Kruse - 817 Wilson Avenue - Dubuque, Iowa

Surprised to find myself in first place in Domestic BCB Contest. The latest DX was the logging of KKJK (950) Forrest City, Ark., on regular schedule 6:15-6:30 p.m. when they signed off on 10/31. Then on 11/5, the new Snyder, Texas station, KSNX (1280) added on ET 3:00-3:30 a.m. with good signal. The same A.M. added the ET from KLEO (1050) Longmont, Colo., 3:30-4:00 a.m. with QRM from WMGM. The scheduled DX Test from WEEC on 11/6 was not heard, wondering if C.E. forgot the DXers, or if due to "terrible" reception unable to be heard here. The WNAW DX test came through, despite the heavy static. Station KGFL (1400) Roswell, N. M. heard with scheduled f/c on 11/6, for a new one in my log. Station WCLD (1490) Cleveland, Miss., heard with an ET on 11/7 3:40-4:00 a.m. well over WWSW. Reception continues to be poor in Iowa. Verifications in lately were letters from WGBS CFRA WDUN KDET KTUL KCLO KXJK, and a card from CJBC. Both KDET and KXJK stated in their veries that my reception report was farthest received by them on their regular daytime schedules.

Robert A. Spencer - 52 Fifth Street, Woodlawn, Buffalo 19, N. Y.

Veries received from CBO, my first C.B.C. letter verie, WGBI a card with their own verie stamp affixed in envelope, CHLO a letter. They have studios both in St. Thomas and London, Ont., KTTS, letter and a KTTS comic blotter with November calander on it. They will test Nov. 30th 1:00 to 1:30 a.m., E.S.T. KCLO a nice half-size letter, pleased that their signal was so well received. WTWA letter - @.E. says they like to get reports with enough data to warrant verification. Latest report out to KVIC on their test not heard too well under WMGM. Was to a church Young Peoples Convention this November 4, 5, & 6th at Albany. Several of the stations were very friendly. We toured WPTB modern studios, also groups visited WABY and WOKO. I was in latter group. I missed out on broadcast when group was invited to take over from 12:00 to 1:00 a.m. Saturday morning over WOKO with their singing and interviews. It was not scheduled - all spontaneous so I didn't learn of it to next morning.

Ray B. Edge - 325 Shirley Avenue - Buffalo 15, N. Y.

Well boys, no DX to speak of at this location, did get up and tune in the two tests from WEEC and WNAW on the 6th. WEEC very much stronger than WNAW. The only verie received since my last report was a very welcome one from KNEB for my April 5th report, came today, November 7th, to make total an even 1630. A short but nice letter. Was signed by Dale R. Woods, no title given. Tuned in a little on 11/7 but conditions were very poor. Should get more in on account of working Midnight to 8:00 a.m. this week.

All time AM EST

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

550 KMVI Wailuku, Haw. On top of KFMB 0330 on 11-9 with election news (Wag)
 600 KPSD San Diego, Cal. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Frey)
 630 KOH Reno, Nev. Reg S/off at 0300 (Stein)
 710 KURV Edinburg, Tex. FC 1st Mon 0630-0645, not 0430-0445 as listed last week (Johanns)
 740 ~~????~~ Who on AM 11-8 with good sigs, no ann & continuous music (Cooper)
 800 WWPB Palatka, Fla. FC 2nd Sun 0430-0445, V/S L.C. McCall, Mgr. (Cooper)
 810 KGO San Francisco, Cal. Election returns Am of 11-9 (Frey)
 860 WERD Atlanta, Ga. TT hrd 0227-0240 thru bad QRM on 11-4 (Conley)
 WPHG Bristol, Va. Tenn. FC band music hrd 0438-0445 on 11-5 (" , Northup)
 900 CKBI Prince Albert, Sask. Will have NNRC-DX Nov 24, 0400-0500 (Tewell)
 WSBA York, Pa. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Frey)
 920 KVEC San Luis Obispo, Cal. Regular S/off at 0300 (Stein)
 930 WEOL Elyria, Ohio. Seems to be on almost all nite now (Cooper)
 940 KIOA Des Moines, Ia. Now hrd 0400-0430 in West with good signal (Stein)
 960 KROF Abbeville, La. Reg FC TT 2nd Thurs 0200-0215 per annrc (Brauner)
 WCMB Lemoyne, Pa. Hrd til 0235 2nd Thurs with carrier and tone (Brauner)
 970 KHBC Hilo, Haw. Reg sign off at 0400 (Stein)
 WJMX Florence, SC. On test at 0420 on 11-8 (Cooper)
 995 ~~????~~ San Jose, Costa Rico. Anyone know identity of this Latin (Wagner)
 1150 CHSJ St. John, NB. Will have NNRC DX 0230-0300 on 11-19 (Tewell)
 WTCO Campbellville, Ga. FC hrd 0300 on 11-7 not 0315 per list (Walbridge)
 1230 KYSM Mankato, Minn. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Frey)
 WCRO Johnstown, Pa. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Conley)
 WJBW New Orleans, La. ET hrd from 0216 on 11-9 (Conley)
 WSOO Sault Ste. Marie, Mich. TT hrd 0230-0244 on 11-9 (Conley)
 1240 KANE New Iberia, La. FC TT hrd 1st Mon 0540-0550 on 11-7 (Rosenbaum)
 KSON San Diego, Cal. On 24 hr sked except Mon. Hrd wk of 11-1 (Rosenbaum)
 WBML Macon, Ga. FC TT hrd 2nd Tues 0315-0330 on 11-8 (Rosenbaum)
 WENC Whiteville, NC. FC hrd 1st Mon 0315-0330 on 11-7 (Cooper)
 1270 WILE Cambridge, O. Weekday s/on at 0630 (Herz)
 WSPR Springfield, Mass. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Frey)
 1280 KSNY Snyder, Tex. ET hrd 11-5 til 0340 & later (Geary)
 WCMN Aréibo, PR. FC TT hrd 1st Thurs 0315-0345 on 11-3 (Rosenbaum)
 WYVE Wytheville, Va. Now s/on wkdays at 0400 (Cooper)
 1330 WJPS Evansville, Ind. Weekday sign on at 0700 (Herz)
 1340 WBIW Bedford, Ind. Has DX program from 0300-0600 on last Thursday of each month per verie, (Geary)
 WUSJ Lockport, NY. FC 1st Thurs 0230-0245, 1 hr later than list (Cooper)
 1360 WOBS Jacksonville, Fla. ET 0100-0115 on 14th & 28th each month (Walbridge)
 1400 KCOG Centerville, Ia. Next FC 11-26 with 100 watts. Believe time of 0100-0115 is CST. (Walbridge)
 KLIZ Brainerd, Minn. TT hrd 0301-0313 on 11-5 (Conley)
 WRRN Warren, O. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Conley)
 1410 KWYO Sheridan, Wyo. Election returns all AM 11-9 (Frey)
 1450 KWBE Beatrice, Neb. ET hrd 0323 on 11-6 (Walbridge)
 WNVA Norton, Va. FC TT 2nd Tues 0300-0310 (Cooper) (Cooper)
 1480 WRDW Augusta, Ga. Has "Cowbell Club" daily at 0530 s/on (Rosenbaum)
 1490 WCLD Cleveland, Miss. ET hrd 11-7 & 8. (Geary, Brauner, Walbridge, ")
 1600 WSFL Springfield, Mass. Test 11-9 0310-0320 ann Reg S/on 0600 (Geary)

LATE AND IMPORTANT

The NNRC Specials from Colorado on Nov 1st have the following changes and tips per a phone call from Derek Wharton last nite. Thanks Derek.

Nov 21 KOKO La Junta, Colo. 1400 Kc. 0415-0500 EST.

KA3623 has time increased to 0200-0415 and KA 3623 with KVRH in Salida will have Polka music for identification. Its possible KGEK will carry band music or classical waltzes. Also, most important, Derek Got WEDC, 1240, Chicago to stand by from 0345-0415 to give us a shot at KRDO and KUBC. Don't forget to send thank you cards to WEDC for this.

All Time AM EST

"DX DOWN THE DIAL"

550 WCON Atlanta, Ga. Regular 0530 S/on hrd 10-29
730 WLIN Merrill, Wis. FC TT hrd 0215-0230 10-13
860 WFHG Bristol, Va. FC Band music hrd 0430-0445 on 11-5
WSON Henderson, Ky. FC hrd 0305-0310 on 9-16
900 KVNJ Fargo, N.D. FC hrd 0230-0300 on 10-28
WSWN Belle Glade, Fla. FC hrd 0500-0515 on 10-26
910 KPOF Denver, Colo. FC hrd 0400-0420 on 10-28
960 KROF Abbeville, La. FC TT hrd 0200-0215 on 10-12
970 KWBC Ft. Worth, Tex. Reg s/on hrd 0530 on 9-21
KNEB Scotts Bluff, Neb. FC TT hrd 0300-0315 on 11-1
990 WCAZ Carthage, Ill. FC TT hrd 0520-0530 on 9-21
1050 KLMO Longmont, Colo. ET hrd 0310-0330 on 11-1.
1230 KOVE Lander, Wyo. FC hrd 0300-0305 on 9-16
KDZA Pueblo, Colo. FC TT hrd 0350-0400 on 10-13
KLVT Levelland, Tex. FC TT hrd 0330-0335 on 10-13
KVOC Casper, Wyo. FC TT hrd 0430-0445 on 10-13
KGAK Gallup, NM. FC TT hrd 0350-0340 on 10-14
KLWT Lebanon, Mo. FC TT hrd 0315-0330 on 11-1
1240 KUBC Montrose, Colo. FC TT hrd 0200-0215 on 9-16
KAKE Wichita, Kans. FC hrd 0500-0535 on 9-21
KIUL Garden City, Kans. FC hrd 0230-0245 on 10-17
1260 WGVM Greenville, Miss. Reg sked hrd 0615-0620 on 9-21
KFTM Fort Morgan, Colo. FC Tone & music hrd 0400-0412 on 10-26
1280 KSNY Snyder, Tex. ET hrd 0330 on 11-4
1310 WDXI Jackson, Tenn. Hrd on reg sked 0515 on 9-21
1340 KLMR Lamar, Colo. FC TT hrd 0300-0315 on 9-16
KVER Albuquerque, NM. FC TT hrd 0315-0330 on 9-16
KRBA Lufkin, Tex. FC TT hrd 0530-0545 on 9-21
KSEK Pittsburg, Kans. FC TT hrd 0550-0600 on 10-20
1390 KCBC Des Moines, Iowa. ET hrd 0315-0345 on 9-16
1400 KDWT Stamford, Tex. FC TT with YL ann. hrd 0645-0700 on 9-21
KTMC McAllister, Okla. FC TT hrd 0245-0300 on 10-13
KCOL Ft. Collins, Colo. FC TT hrd 0345-0400 on 10-13
KNOR Norman, Okla. ET hrd 0245-0300 on 10-17
KOKO La Junta, Colo. FC TT hrd 0330-0345 on 10-13
1410 CKMO Vancouver, B.C. Regular S/off hrd 0400 on 10-13
KWYO Sheridan, Wyo. FC TT hrd 0300-0310 on 9-18
1420 KTRF Lufkin, Tex. ET hrd 0215-0230 on 10-17
1440 WGEM Quincy, Ill. Reg 0600 s/on hrd 9-21
1450 KSEM Moses Lake, Wash. FC hrd 0310-0325 on 9-16
WMBH Joplin, Mo. Reg 0645 s/on hrd 9-21
KOAT Albuquerque, NM. FC TT hrd 0400-0415 on 10-5
KGRH Fayetteville, Ark. Reg 0630 s/on hrd 10-19
KRIC Beaumont, Tex. FC TT hrd 0330-0340 on 10-14
KSMA Santa Maria, Cal. Hrd on all nite show 10-26, not hrd since
KLMX Clayton, NM. ET all AM 10-26, 27, 28 and 29
KYOU Greeley, Colo. FC TT hrd 0400-0415 on 10-26
1490 KVOW Littlefield, Tex. FC hrd 0615-0630 on 10-19
KIBB Beeville, Tex. ET hrd at 0300 on 10-13
KBOW Butte, Mont. FC TT hrd 0330-0345 on 11-5
1550 KOUL Ft. Worth, Tex. No longer on all nite.
1600 KBOR Brownsville, Tex. FC hrd 0300-0315 on 11-4
1340 KRUX Glendale, Ariz. 24 hrs daily except silent period 0200-0800
on Mondays.
1230 KLAS Las Vegas, Nev. 24 hrs daily, 7 days per week.

All of these items are from Dick Northup, Socorro, New Mexico. Lots of nice catches there, and we hope you will send in tips every week now that you are caught up. Dick. We don't know how these check with the new FC list as Dick did not say.

You will note that at the present time only 15 cents of each members dues is left to take care of tip cards and to build up a surplus. This does not leave very much margin to take care of any unforeseen contingencies, as, -an increased postage rate was being prepared for Congress when they adjourned. Now, we can see three ways to increase this margin:

1. Decrease the number of issues per year.
2. Increase the yearly dues.
3. GET MORE MEMBERS.

We like to get DX NEWS every week and are sure you do too so # 1 is out. We believe \$3.00 is plenty to spend in one place on a hobby, and with the strikes, et al, we want to leave the dues at \$3.00. That means that additional members is the best way to lower costs. However, this item is one that depends on you members alone to carry out. Only you members can spread the word around among your DX pals and carries about how good you think the NRC is. Don't forget to tell them that we are the only Club that issues weekly bulletins in the DX season. We specialize in Broadcast band only, too. You members must think the NRC is the best Club or you wouldn't rejoin every year as you do. Well, don't be shy about it, tell your friends. We'll do our part in sending out sample bulletins but you members must do the selling and tell us where to send those samples.

Now, lest you think the Club is on the rocks and that is the reason for this spiel we are going to give you the status as of Oct. 31, 1949. After 2 months of very heavy spending, \$224.81 in all, supplies are built up so we can operate for a year and a half without any more buying. Over 650 #s of paper are on hand besides envelopes, ink and stencils. After this spending spree, the Club is \$60 in the red, which we do not consider bad.

However, as you can see, the budget is not set up to make such large purchases nor to replace major equipment. **FOR PROFITABLE BUSINESS, WE ARE GIVING YOU MEMBERS TOO MUCH FOR YOUR MONEY.** Well, we want to give you your moneys worth and that is why we asked for donations for the mimeo machine.

To help you publicize the Club we are going to offer Club Stationery at reduced rates in large quantities and pass postal savings on to you.

Letterheads	100 for \$0.75	200 for \$1.40	300 for \$2.00
Report Forms	100 for \$0.85	200 for \$1.60	300 for \$2.30

This is Hammermill Management Bond, a very good paper.

No doubt all of you have heard the saying 'That there is no standing still, you must either progress or fall'. Well, we officers feel that we have done about as much as we can do, and if the club is to continue progressing, it is going to be up to each and every member to pitch in and do their share. So, what say members????

As far as your publisher knows, and he has been getting various radio club publications since the early 30's, this is the first time a statement concerning the expenditures and status of a radio club has been given to the members. We have nothing to hide and are glad to present it-- but-- was it interesting, do you like it, Would you want more of it?????

An omission on the Stationery prices. \$1.50 will bring you 100 Letterheads and 100 Report Forms. If you desire larger quantities than shown here, write me for prices.

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